

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ERIC TODD DOUGLAS,
Appellant,
vs.
CHAIRMAN DORLA SALLING,
NEVADA PAROLE BOARD; HOWARD
SKOLNIK, DIRECTOR, NEVADA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS;
AND THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondents.

No. 51663

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ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL

This is a proper person appeal from an order of the district court denying a petition for a writ of mandamus. First Judicial District Court, Carson City; William A. Maddox, Judge.

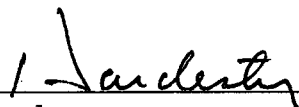
On March 26, 2008, appellant filed a proper person petition for a writ of mandamus in the district court. The State opposed the petition. On April 25, 2008, the district court denied the petition. This appeal followed.

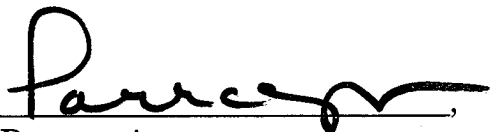
In his petition, appellant claimed that the Parole Board failed in its duty to provide him a timely parole hearing pursuant to NRS 213.1215 and consider him for mandatory parole release. Petitioner sought an order directing his immediate release on parole.

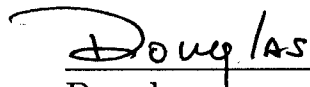
The record on appeal indicates that appellant discharged his sentence during the summer of 2008. Thus, appellant's petition was rendered moot by the subsequent discharge from his sentence.¹

Having reviewed the record on appeal and for the reasons set forth above, we conclude that briefing and oral argument are unwarranted.² Accordingly, we

ORDER this appeal DISMISSED.


_____, J.
Hardesty


_____, J.
Parraguirre


_____, J.
Douglas

cc: Hon. William A. Maddox, District Judge
Eric Todd Douglas
Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City
Carson City Clerk

¹See Johnson v. Director, Dep't Prisons, 105 Nev. 314, 316, 774 P.2d 1047, 1049 (1989) (stating that expiration of a defendant's sentence rendered any question concerning computation of the sentence moot).

²See Luckett v. Warden, 91 Nev. 681, 682, 541 P.2d 910, 911 (1975).