

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

RANDALL GEORGE ANGEL,
Petitioner,

vs.

THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
WASHOE, AND THE HONORABLE
BRENT T. ADAMS, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
and
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 53697

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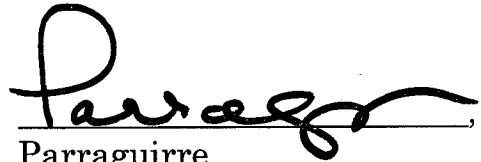
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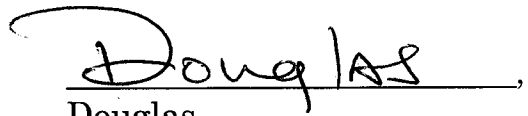
ORDER DENYING PETITION

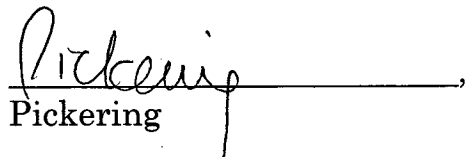
This is a proper person petition for a writ of mandamus, or alternatively, a writ of prohibition. Petitioner challenges the validity of the judgment of conviction and sentence. We have reviewed the documents submitted in this matter, and without deciding upon the merits of any claims, we decline to exercise original jurisdiction in this matter. NRS 34.160; NRS 34.170; NRS 34.320; NRS 34.330. A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction must be raised in a post-conviction

petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the district court in the first instance.¹ NRS 34.724(2)(b); NRS 34.738(1). Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.


Parraguirre, J.


Douglas, J.


Pickering, J.

cc: Hon. Brent T. Adams, District Judge
Randall George Angel
Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City
Washoe County District Attorney Richard A. Gammick
Washoe District Court Clerk

¹We express no opinion as to whether petitioner could meet the procedural requirements of NRS chapter 34.