IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

BRIAN KAMEDULA, Petitioner, VS. THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE MICHELLE LEAVITT, DISTRICT JUDGE. Respondents, and HOWARD SKOLNIK; NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS: STATE OF NEVADA PAROLE COMMISSION: AND STATE OF NEVADA PAROLE AND PROBATION. Real Parties in Interest.

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person petition for a writ of certiorari. Petitioner challenges the validity of his judgment of conviction. 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 34.020. A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction must be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas

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corpus filed in the district court in the first instance.¹ NRS 34.724(2)(b); NRS 34.738(1). Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

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cc: Hon. Michelle Leavitt, District Judge
Brian Kamedula
Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City
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¹We express no opinion as to whether petitioner could meet the procedural requirements of NRS chapter 34.