IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

STANLEY EARNEST RIMER, Petitioner,

VS.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE DOUGLAS W. HERNDON, DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondents, and THE STATE OF NEVA

THE STATE OF NEVADA, Real Party in Interest. No. 57454

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This original petition for a writ of mandamus challenges a district court order denying petitioner's motion to dismiss an indictment on the grounds that: (1) the indictment fails to specify the provision of NRS 200.508 (related to child abuse, neglect, or endangerment) under which he is being prosecuted; (2) the indictment fails to provide adequate notice of the criminal acts allegedly committed and the elements of the charged crimes related to child abuse and neglect; (3) the second-degree murder count is deficient on several grounds; (4) the indictment presents a danger that petitioner's double jeopardy rights will be violated; and (5) the indictment is insufficiently specific because of the repeated use of "and/or" connectors in pleading the factual allegations supporting the counts. We have considered the petition and the documents submitted, and we are not

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satisfied that this court's intervention by way of extraordinary writ is warranted. Accordingly, we deny the petition. See NRAP 21(b).

It is so ORDERED.¹

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cc: Hon. Douglas W. Herndon, District Judge Clark County Public Defender Attorney General/Carson City Clark County District Attorney Eighth District Court Clerk

¹We deny the motion for stay filed on January 4, 2011.