

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

BRET SHANNON,  
Petitioner,  
vs.  
THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE  
DONALD M. MOSLEY, DISTRICT  
JUDGE,  
Respondents,  
and  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Real Party in Interest.

No. 57954

**FILED**

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

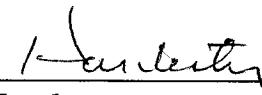
This original petition for a writ of prohibition challenges the district court's order requiring petitioner's former counsel to provide an affidavit, prior to an evidentiary hearing, responding to the allegations set forth in petitioner's post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus. We previously directed the State to file an answer. Shannon v. Dist. Ct., Docket No. 57954 (Order Directing Answers, March 17, 2011).

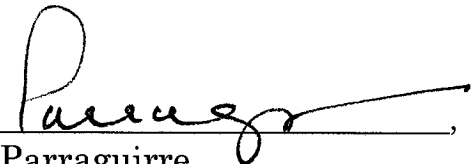
On April 18, 2011, the State filed an answer to the petition for writ of prohibition. Among other claims, the State argued that the petition for writ of prohibition was moot because the evidentiary hearing was held on March 18, 2011, two days after this petition was filed.

Petitioner did not respond to the State's answer. Cause appearing, this petition for a writ of prohibition is denied as moot.

It is so ORDERED.

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Saitta

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Hardesty

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Parraguirre

cc: Hon. Donald M. Mosley, District Judge  
Clark County Public Defender  
Attorney General/Carson City  
Clark County District Attorney  
Eighth District Court Clerk