

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MICHAEL STEVE COX,
Petitioner,
vs.
THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT; THE SIXTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT; THE SEVENTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT; AND
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
Respondents.

No. 58653

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BY *H. General*
DEPUTY CLERK

ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person petition for a writ of mandamus. Petitioner seeks the issuance of a formal criminal complaint against, or an investigation into allegations of abuse by, prison officials. We have reviewed the documents submitted in this matter, and without deciding upon the merits of any claims raised therein, we decline to exercise original jurisdiction in this matter. NRS 34.160; NRS 34.170. Any claims challenging the conditions of confinement should be litigated in a civil rights action. Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

Douglas _____, C.J.
Douglas

Cherry _____, J.
Cherry

Pickering _____, J.
Pickering

cc: Michael Steve Cox
Attorney General/Carson City