IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

DAMIAN D'MARC HALL, Appellant, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 63663

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE

This is an appeal from an order of the district court denying a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Brent T. Adams, Judge.

On appeal from the denial of his March 2, 2012, petition, appellant argues that the trial court erred in denying his request for a second competency evaluation and hearing. This claim was already considered and rejected by this court on direct appeal. *Hall v. State*, Docket No. 58407 (Order of Affirmance, January 12, 2012). The doctrine of law of the case prevents further litigation of this claim and "cannot be avoided by a more detailed and precisely focused argument." *Hall v. State*, 91 Nev. 314, 316, 535 P.2d 797, 799 (1975). Therefore, the district court did not err in denying the petition. Accordingly, we

ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.

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: Hon. Brent T. Adams, District Judge Story Law Group Attorney General/Carson City Washoe County District Attorney Washoe District Court Clerk