

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

DEANGELO LAMONT MITCHELL,  
Appellant,  
vs.  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

No. 66080

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*ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE*

This is an appeal from an order of the district court denying a motion to correct an illegal sentence.<sup>1</sup> Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Elissa F. Cadish, Judge.

In his motion filed on June 12, 2014, appellant claimed that the district court had improperly imposed deadly weapon enhancements to his sentences for murder. Appellant's claims fell outside the narrow scope of claims permissible in a motion to correct an illegal sentence. See *Edwards v. State*, 112 Nev. 704, 708, 918 P.2d 321, 324 (1996). A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction must be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the district court in the first instance.<sup>2</sup> NRS 34.724(2); NRS 34.738(1). Therefore, without considering the merits of any of the claims raised in the motion,

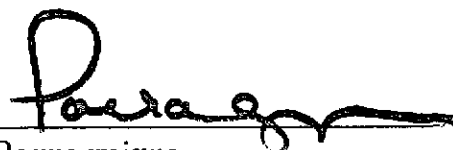
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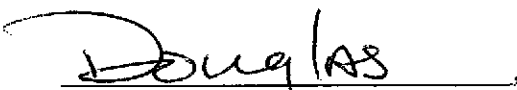
<sup>1</sup>This appeal has been submitted for decision without oral argument, NRAP 34(f)(3), and we conclude that the record is sufficient for our review and briefing is unwarranted. See *Luckett v. Warden*, 91 Nev. 681, 682, 541 P.2d 910, 911 (1975).

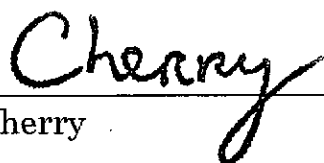
<sup>2</sup>We express no opinion as to whether petitioner could meet the procedural requirements of NRS chapter 34.

we conclude that the district court did not err in denying the motion.  
Accordingly, we

ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.

  
Parraguirre J.

  
Douglas J.

  
Cherry J.

cc: Hon. Elissa F. Cadish, District Judge  
Deangelo Lamont Mitchell  
Attorney General/Carson City  
Clark County District Attorney  
Eighth District Court Clerk