

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JAMES ANDREW ALEXANDER,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 70019

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE

This is an appeal from a district court order denying a motion to vacate sentence.¹ Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; William D. Kephart, Judge.


In his motion to vacate sentence filed on February 22, 2016, James Andrew Alexander claimed he negotiated this case to a conviction for petit larceny and a sentence of time served, there was insufficient evidence to charge him with burglary or attempted burglary, he received ineffective assistance of counsel, he was coerced into entering his guilty plea, and his punishment does not match the crime he committed because the victim did not suffer any loss. The district court denied the motion.

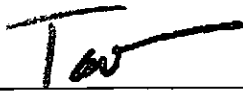
Alexander raises the same claims on appeal. Alexander's claims fell outside the narrow scope of claims permissible in a motion to modify or correct an illegal sentence. *See Edwards v. State*, 112 Nev. 704, 708, 918 P.2d 321, 324 (1996). Therefore, without considering the merits

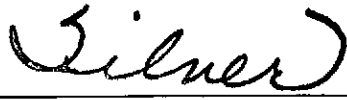
¹This appeal has been submitted for decision without oral argument. NRAP 34(f)(3).

of any of the claims raised in the motion, we conclude the district court did not err in denying the motion. Accordingly, we

ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.


_____, C.J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Tao


_____, J.
Silver

cc: Hon. William D. Kephart, District Judge
James Andrew Alexander
Attorney General/Carson City
Clark County District Attorney
Eighth District Court Clerk