

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JOHN MICHAEL DUNN,  
Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE  
KERRY LOUISE EARLEY, DISTRICT  
JUDGE,

Respondents,

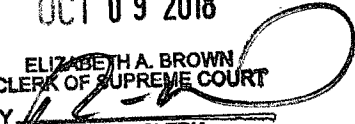
and

THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Real Party in Interest.

No. 74854

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CLERK OF SUPREME COURT  
BY   
DEPUTY CLERK


*ORDER DENYING PETITION*

This original petition for a writ of habeas corpus “seeks an evidentiary hearing to authenticate search warrants, which if proven to be false would entitle the petitioner to release from custody.” We decline to exercise our original jurisdiction in this matter. See NRAP 22 (“An application for an original writ of habeas corpus should be made to the appropriate district court.”); see also *Zobrist v. Sheriff, Carson City*, 96 Nev. 625, 626, 614 P.2d 538, 539 (1980) (indicating this court has discretion to decide whether to entertain an original petition for a writ of habeas corpus and that such petitions raising questions of fact should be considered “by a

tribunal equipped to handle that task"). Accordingly, without reaching the merit of any claims raised, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

  
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Silver

  
\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
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\_\_\_\_\_, J.  
Gibbons

cc: Hon. Kerry Louise Earley, District Judge  
John Michael Dunn  
Attorney General/Carson City  
Clark County District Attorney  
Eighth District Court Clerk