

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

KEVIN LYNN FERNANDEZ,
Petitioner,

vs.

THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CARSON CITY; AND THE
HONORABLE JAMES E. WILSON,
DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondents,

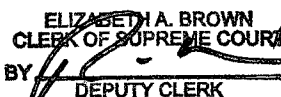
and

THE STATE OF NEVADA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS;
JAMES DZURENDA, DIRECTOR; THE
STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF
PAROLE COMMISSIONERS; AND
CONNIE S. BISBEE, CHAIRMAN,
Real Parties in Interest.

No. 76266

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ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

This is an original petition for a writ of mandamus challenging the district court's denial of petitioner's motion to proceed in forma pauperis.


A writ of mandamus is available to compel the performance of an act that the law requires as a duty resulting from an office, trust, or station or to control an arbitrary or capricious exercise of discretion. *See* NRS 34.160; *Int'l Game Tech., Inc. v. Second Judicial Dist. Court*, 124 Nev. 193, 197, 179 P.3d 556, 558 (2008). This court has discretion as to whether to entertain a petition for extraordinary relief and will not do so when the petitioner has a plain, speedy, and adequate remedy at law. NRS 34.170; *D.R. Horton, Inc. v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court*, 123 Nev. 468, 474-75, 168




P.3d 731, 736-37 (2007). Petitioner bears the burden of demonstrating that extraordinary relief is warranted. *See Pan v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court*, 120 Nev. 222, 228, 88 P.3d 840, 844 (2004).

Having considered the petition and appendix filed in this matter, we are not persuaded that this court's intervention by way of extraordinary relief is warranted. *Id.* Accordingly, we deny the petition. *See* NRAP 21(b)(1); *D.R. Horton*, 123 Nev. at 475, 168 P.3d at 737.

It is so ORDERED.


_____, C.J.
Silver


_____, J.
Tao


_____, J.
Gibbons

cc: Hon. James E. Wilson, District Judge
Kevin Lynn Fernandez
Attorney General/Carson City
Carson City Clerk