

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

WILLIAM CARL PETERSON,  
Petitioner,  
vs.  
THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
CLARK,  
Respondent,  
and  
THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Real Party in Interest.

No. 76339

**FILED**

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*ORDER DENYING PETITION*

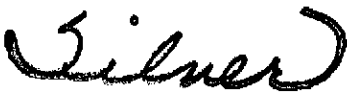
In this original petition for a writ of habeas corpus William Carl Peterson asserts he is being unlawfully restrained and he is being denied credit allowed under NRS 209.4465(2) because Nevada Department of Corrections officials are refusing to provide him fair and meaningful educational or work opportunities.

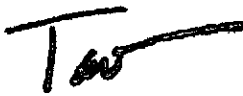
We conclude this court's intervention by way of extraordinary relief is not warranted. To the extent Peterson challenges the conditions of his confinement, this claim is not properly raised in a petition for a writ of habeas corpus. A challenge to the conditions of confinement may be raised in a civil rights action. To the extent Peterson challenges the computation of time he has served, this claim is not properly raised before this court in the first instance. A postconviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the district court in the county in which the petitioner is incarcerated "[i]s the only remedy available to an incarcerated person to challenge the computation of time that the person has served pursuant to a judgment of


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conviction." NRS 34.724(2)(c); *see* NRS 34.738(1). Accordingly, without deciding upon the merits of any claims raised, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

  
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Silver

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

cc: William Carl Peterson  
Attorney General/Carson City  
Clark County District Attorney  
Eighth District Court Clerk