


IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

TONYA MEREDITH,
Petitioner,
vs.
THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
WASHOE; AND THE HONORABLE
EGAN K. WALKER, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
and
WASHOE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL SERVICES,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 70931

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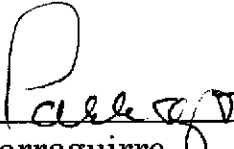
ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

This is an original petition for a writ of mandamus challenging an order regarding the placement of petitioner's minor child in a parental rights termination action.

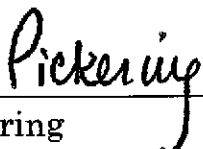
Having considered petitioner's arguments and the record before this court, we conclude that petitioner has not met her burden of demonstrating that extraordinary writ relief is warranted. *See Pan v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court*, 120 Nev. 222, 228, 88 P.3d 840, 844 (2004) (explaining that petitioner bears the burden of demonstrating that writ relief is warranted); *see also Smith v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court*, 107 Nev. 674, 677, 818 P.2d 849, 851 (1991) (providing that it is within this court's sole discretion to determine if a writ petition will be considered). Because petitioner may appeal from an order terminating her parental rights, she has a plain, speedy, and adequate remedy at law and extraordinary writ relief is unwarranted here. *Pan*, 120 Nev. at 224, 88 P.3d at 841 (explaining that petitions for extraordinary relief generally

will be considered only when there is no plain, speedy, and adequate remedy at law). Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.


_____, C.J.
Parraguirre


_____, J.
Hardesty


_____, J.
Pickering

cc: Hon. Egan K. Walker, District Judge
Washoe County Public Defender
Washoe County District Attorney
Washoe District Court Clerk