

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

GEORGE SHOENBERGER,

No. 37425

Petitioner,

vs.

THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE, AND THE HONORABLE SCOTT JORDAN, DISTRICT JUDGE, FAMILY COURT DIVISION,

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JANETTE M. BLOOM
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY *[Signature]*
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK

Respondents,

and

JERRY HOWLE, M.D.; THOMAS BITTKER, M.D.; MUJAHID RASUL, M.D.; BHC HEALTH SERVICES OF NEVADA, INC., D/B/A WEST HILLS HOSPITAL; LINDA SHOENBERGER; RICHARD A. GAMMICK, IN HIS CAPACITY AS WASHOE COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY; AND THE STATE OF NEVADA, DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HYGIENE AND MENTAL RETARDATION, NEVADA MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTE, AND ITS DIRECTOR,

Real Parties in Interest.

ORDER DISMISSING PETITION

On February 12, 2001, petitioner filed an emergency petition with this court seeking his immediate release from the Nevada Mental Health Institute (NMHI). Petitioner has now notified this court that the district court has entered an order directing NMHI to immediately release petitioner from custody. Therefore, petitioner explains, "the Emergency Petition previously filed is now moot." Accordingly, based upon petitioner's representations, we hereby

ORDER this petition dismissed as moot.

Young

Young, J.

Leavitt

Leavitt, J.

Becker

Becker, J.

cc: Hon. Scott Jordan, District Judge
Family Court Division
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