IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

CARRIE L. WARD; AND WILLIAM H. WARD,
Petitioners,
vs.
THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE
MARIA A. GALL, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
and
KNIGHT BUILDERS, LLC, D/B/A
POWER PALLETS,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 85622

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ELIZABETH A BROWN
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
DEPUTY CLIRK

ORDER DENYING PETITION

This original petition for a writ of mandamus or prohibition seeks to compel the district court to rule on a pending motion to disqualify counsel. Having considered the petition and its supporting documentation, we are not persuaded that our extraordinary and discretionary intervention is warranted. See NRS 34.160 (defining a writ of mandamus); NRS 34.170 (providing that a writ of mandamus may issue "where there is not a plain, speedy and adequate remedy in the ordinary course of law"); NRS 34.320 (defining a writ of prohibition); NRS 34.330 (providing that a writ of prohibition is appropriate only where the petitioner lacks "a plain, speedy and adequate remedy in the ordinary course of law"); Pan v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court, 120 Nev. 222, 228, 88 P.3d 840, 844 (2004) (observing that the party seeking writ relief bears the burden of showing such relief is warranted); Smith v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court, 107 Nev. 674, 677, 679, 818 P.2d 849, 851, 853 (1991) (recognizing that writ relief is an

extraordinary remedy and that this court has sole discretion in determining whether to entertain a writ petition). We therefore

ORDER the petition DENIED.1

Stiglich, C.J.

Gibbons, Sr.J.

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cc: Hon. Maria A. Gall, District Judge James Kwon, LLC King Scow Koch Durham LLC Eighth District Court Clerk

¹The Honorable Mark Gibbons and the Honorable Abbi Silver, Senior Justices, participated in the decision of this matter under general orders of assignment.