

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

STEVEN L. SCOTT,
Petitioner,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CLARK, AND THE HONORABLE
VALORIE J. VEGA, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,
And
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Real Party in Interest.

No. 40076

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

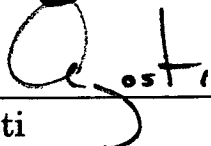
This is a proper person petition for a writ of habeas corpus challenging the validity of petitioner's judgment of conviction. We have considered the petition on file herein, and we are not satisfied that this court's intervention by way of extraordinary relief is warranted at this time. Any challenge to the validity of a judgment of conviction should be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the

district court in the first instance.¹ Petitioner may then appeal to this court from an adverse decision.² Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.³


_____, J.
Rose


_____, J.
Young


_____, J.
Agosti

cc: Hon. Valorie Vega, District Judge
Attorney General/Carson City
Clark County District Attorney
Steven L. Scott
Clark County Clerk

¹NRS 34.724; NRS 34.738; NRAP 22.

²NRS 34.575.

³We have considered all proper person documents filed or received in this matter, and we conclude that the relief requested is not warranted.