IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MOHAMMED AKRUM GHAFOOR, Petitioner,

vs.

No. 50196

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF HENDERSON, CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA; THE HONORABLE MARK STEVENS, MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE; AND SHAUNA HUGHES, CITY ATTORNEY FOR THE CITY OF HENDERSON, Respondents.

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person petition for a writ of mandamus. Petitioner seeks an order: (1) staying the proceedings in the municipal court; (2) directing that he be allowed to file an interlocutory appeal to the district court; (3) directing that the judge recuse himself due to allegations of bias; (4) allowing him a jury trial; (5) changing venue; (6) directing that a Spanish-language document be translated; and (7) directing that he be provided with a copy of a <u>Miranda¹</u> warning document. We have considered the documents submitted to this court, and we conclude that this court's intervention in this matter is not warranted.² Notably,

¹<u>Miranda v. Arizona</u>, 384 U.S. 436 (1966).
²<u>See</u> NRS 34.160; NRS 34.170.

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interlocutory appeals are not permitted from municipal court proceedings.³ Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

J. Gibbons J. Cherry J. Saitta

cc: Hon. Mark Stevens, Municipal Court Judge Mohammed Akrum Ghafoor Henderson City Attorney Eighth District Court Clerk Henderson Municipal Court Clerk

³See NRS 5.073(1) (providing that the practice and proceedings in the municipal court must conform, as nearly as practicable, to the practice and proceedings of justice courts in similar cases and that the municipal court must be treated and considered as a justice court whenever the proceedings thereof are called into question); NRS 177.015(1)(a) (providing that a defendant may appeal to the district court of the county from a final judgment of the justice court); NRS 189.010 (providing that a defendant in a criminal action tried before the justice of the peace may appeal from a final judgment within 10 days from the time of the rendition of the judgment); NRS 266.595 (providing that appeals to the district court may be taken from any final judgment of the municipal court in accordance with the provisions of NRS 5.073).

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