IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ROGER WILFRED HUDON, Petitioner, vs. THE STATE OF NEVADA, Respondent. No. 53124

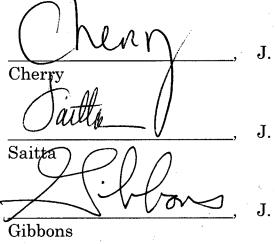


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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person document labeled, "motion to dismiss and vacate." We elect to treat this document as a petition for extraordinary relief. In his petition, appellant challenged the validity of his judgment of conviction. We have reviewed the documents submitted in this matter, and without deciding upon the merits of any claims, we decline to exercise our original jurisdiction in this matter. A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction and sentence should be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the district court in the first instance.¹ See NRS 34.724(2)(b); NRS 34.738(1). Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.



¹We express no opinion as to whether petitioner could satisfy the procedural requirements of NRS chapter 34.

SUPREME COURT OF NEVADA cc: Roger Wilfred Hudon Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto/Carson City Lyon County District Attorney Lyon County Clerk