IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

WILLIAM CARL MISIEWICZ,
Petitioner,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 53757

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a proper person petition for extraordinary relief. Petitioner requests this court reduce his sentence from a term of 18 to 96 months to a term of 12 to 60 months. Petitioner argues that the State agreed to cap their argument at 5 years, but failed to provide the district court with a copy of the plea agreement. We have reviewed the documents submitted in this matter, and without deciding upon the merits of any claims, we decline to exercise original jurisdiction in this matter. A challenge to the validity of the judgment of conviction must be raised in a post-conviction petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the district court in

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the first instance. NRS 34.724(2)(b); NRS 34.738(1). Accordingly, we ORDER the petition DENIED.

Parraguirre J.

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