

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MELVIN LEE BAILEY,
Petitioner,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA; AND ISIDRO
BACA, WARDEN,
Respondents.

No. 68609

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ORDER DENYING PETITION

This is a pro se original petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Petitioner argues that he is being held hostage by the respondents. We have reviewed the documents submitted in this matter, and without deciding upon the merits of any claims raised therein, we decline to exercise original jurisdiction in this matter. A challenge to the legality of one's restraint or detention should be raised in a petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed in the district court in the first instance. See NRS 34.360; NRAP 22. Accordingly, we

ORDER the petition DENIED.

Saitta, J.
Saitta

Gibbons, J.
Gibbons

Pickering, J.
Pickering

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