

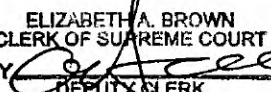
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

TREVOR JAY SARNOWSKI,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 83809-COA

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE

Trevor Jay Sarnowski appeals from an order of the district court denying a motion to correct an illegal sentence filed on October 6, 2021. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Jerry A. Wiese, Judge.


In his motion, Sarnowski claimed the district court was without jurisdiction to impose any sentence because NRS 171.010 was improperly amended without legislative authority. A motion to correct an illegal sentence may only challenge the facial legality of the sentence: either the district court was without jurisdiction to impose a sentence or the sentence was imposed in excess of the statutory maximum. *Edwards v. State*, 112 Nev. 704, 708, 918 P.2d 321, 324 (1996).

Sarnowski's claim did not implicate the district court's jurisdiction. See Nev. Const. art. 6, § 6(1); *United States v. Cotton*, 535 U.S. 625, 630 (2002) ("[T]he term jurisdiction means . . . the courts' statutory or constitutional *power* to adjudicate the case." (internal quotation marks

omitted)). Therefore, we conclude the district court did not err by denying Sarnowski's motion. Accordingly, we

ORDER the judgment of the district court AFFIRMED.


_____, C.J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Tao


_____, J.
Bulla

cc: Hon. Jerry A. Wiese, District Judge
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