

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

HOLAVANAHALLI KESHAVA-PRASAD,  
M.D.; AND H. KESHAVA PRASAD, M.D.,  
PLLC,  
Petitioners,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK;  
AND THE HONORABLE GLORIA  
STURMAN, DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondents,

and

LASHAWANDA WATTS; VALLEY  
HEALTH SYSTEM, LLC, D/B/A DESERT  
SPRINGS HOSPITAL; ABDUL TARIQ,  
D.O.; NEUROLOGY CLINICS OF  
NEVADA LLC; AMIR QURESHI, M.D.;  
ROE AMIR QURESHI, M.D.,  
EMPLOYER; ALI HAQ, M.D.; ROE ALI  
HAQ, M.D., EMPLOYER; CHARLES  
KIM DANISH, D.O.; AND PLATINUM  
HOSPITALISTS, LLP,  
Real Parties in Interest.

No. 84910

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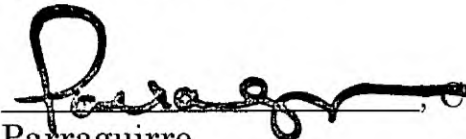
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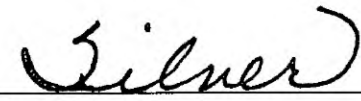
*ORDER DENYING PETITION*


This original petition for a writ of mandamus challenges a district court order denying a motion to dismiss in a medical malpractice action. Having considered the petition and its documentation, we are not persuaded that our extraordinary and discretionary intervention is warranted. *See Walker v. Second Judicial Dist. Court*, 136 Nev. 678, 683, 476 P.3d 1194, 1198 (2020) (declining to grant writ relief when a later appeal was available); *Pan v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court*, 120 Nev. 222, 228, 88 P.3d 840, 844 (2004) (observing that the party seeking writ relief

bears the burden of showing such relief is warranted); *Smith v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court*, 107 Nev. 674, 677, 679, 818 P.2d 849, 851, 853 (1991) (recognizing that writ relief is an extraordinary remedy and that this court has sole discretion in determining whether to entertain a writ petition). Generally, we will not consider writ petitions that challenge orders denying motions to dismiss, and we are not persuaded that any exception to the general rule applies here. *Int'l Game Tech., Inc. v. Second Judicial Dist. Court*, 124 Nev. 193, 197-98, 179 P.3d 556, 558-59 (2008) (discussing writ petitions challenging denials of motions to dismiss). We therefore

ORDER the petition DENIED.<sup>1</sup>

  
Parraguirre, C.J.

  
Silver, J.

  
Gibbons, Sr.J.

cc: Hon. Gloria Sturman, District Judge  
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Hall Prangle & Schoonveld, LLC/Las Vegas  
Collinson, Daehnke, Inlow & Greco  
McBride Hall  
Eighth District Court Clerk

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<sup>1</sup>In light of this, we deny as moot Valley Health System, LLC dba Desert Springs Hospital Medical Center's July 29, 2022, motion for joinder to the writ petition.

The Honorable Mark Gibbons, Senior Justice, participated in the decision of this matter under a general order of assignment.