UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA GERALD L. TUCKER, Case No. 1:15-cv-01164-AWI-SAB-HC Petitioner, ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION v. (ECF No. 21) DANIEL PARAMO,

Respondent.

Petitioner is a state prisoner proceeding pro se whose petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 was dismissed on February 2, 2016. (ECF No. 19). This Court previously denied petitions for writ of habeas corpus arising from both the 1998 conviction for failure to register and the 2002 conviction for murder, and Petitioner has failed to obtain prior leave from the Ninth Circuit to file a successive petition. Thus, applicable law required the Court to dismiss the petition for lack of jurisdiction. See 28 U.S.C. § 2244(b). Petitioner has now made a submission to the Court, which the Court construes as a motion for reconsideration. See Bernhardt v. Los Angeles County, 339 F.2d 920, 925 (9th Cir. 2003) (courts have a duty to construe pro se pleadings and motions liberally).

¹ Petitioner's filing consists of copies of some of the Court's previous orders in the instant proceeding, copies of court orders in <u>Tucker v. Paramo</u>, No. 1:15-cv-01664-DAD-JLT, and various documents in support of his challenge to his convictions. As Petitioner's argument is written on a copy of a previous order in the instant proceeding, the Court will construe it as a motion for reconsideration in this case rather than in <u>Tucker v. Paramo</u>, No. 1:15-cv-01664-DAD-JLT.

As set forth in detail in the findings and recommendation (ECF No. 16) and the order dismissing the petition (ECF No. 19), this Court lacks jurisdiction to consider the Petitioner's petition for writ of habeas corpus. Since Petitioner has already filed petitions for writ of habeas corpus regarding his 1998 and 2002 convictions, he cannot file another petition in this Court regarding the same convictions without first obtaining permission from the United States Court of Appeal for the Ninth Circuit.

Accordingly, Petitioner's motion for reconsideration of the Court's dismissal of his petition for writ of habeas corpus is hereby denied.

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SENIOR DISTRICT JUDGE

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 19, 2016