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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

ALBERTO CARO TORRES,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 vs.)
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 D.W. NEVENS, *et al.*,)
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 Respondents.)
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2:11-cv-00854-KJD-RJJ

ORDER

This is a petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 in which petitioner, a state prisoner, is proceeding *pro se*. Petitioner has filed a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 1). Based on the information concerning petitioner's financial status, the court finds that the motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* should be denied. Petitioner must pay the full filing fee of \$5.00.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that petitioner's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 1) is **DENIED**. Petitioner shall have thirty (30) days from the date this order is **ENTERED** in which to have the designated fee sent to the Clerk. Failure to do so may result in the dismissal of this action. The Clerk is directed to **RETAIN** the petition but not file it at this time.

DATED: July 19, 2011



UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE