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6	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
7	DISTRICT OF NEVADA	
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9	EDDIE RENCHER, JR.,	
10	Petitioner,	Case No. 2:12-cv-01258-PMP-GWF
11	VS.	<u>ORDER</u>
12	BRIAN WILLIAMS, SR.,	
13	Respondents.	
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15	Petitioner has filed an amended petition (#18). The court has reviewed it pursuant to Rule 4	
16	of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts. The court will	
17	direct respondents to file a response.	
18	IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that respondents shall have forty-five (45) days from the	
19	date of entry of this order to answer or otherwise respond to the amended petition (#18). If	
20	respondents file and serve an answer, then they shall comply with Rule 5 of the Rules Governing	
21	Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts, and then petitioner shall have forty-five	
22	(45) days from the date on which the answer is served to file a reply.	
23	DATED: October 7, 2013	
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25	PHILIP M. PRO	
26	United States District Judge	
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