UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

In re:	)	
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DAVID LEE COLLINS,	)	Case No. 2:13-cv-02312-GMN-GWF
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Petitioner	)	**ORDER**
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This matter comes before the Court on Petitioner David Collins' ("Collins") Motion to Discharge (#2), filed on December 19, 2013. Although Collins styled this pleading as a motion, and although the Court is entirely unable to discern the relief Collins seeks, the Court construes the motion as a petition for the purposes of initiating an action. Under 28 U.S.C. § 1914, parties initiating an action must pay a filing fee. Pursuant to local Judicial Conference Policy effective May 1, 2013, the filing fee to initiate an action in the District of Nevada is $400.00. Collins has not paid the filing fee. The Court instructs Collins to either pay the filing fee or file a motion to proceed in forma pauperis, which, if granted, will permit him to pursue this action without paying the fee. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Petitioner David Collins shall either pay the $400.00 filing fee or file a proper motion to proceed in forma pauperis within 30 days of the date of this Order. Absent the fee's payment or a motion to proceed in forma pauperis, the Court will recommend dismissal of this action.

DATED this 21st day of January, 2014.

George Foley Jr.

GEORGE FOLEY, JR.
United States Magistrate Judge

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