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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

VICTOR J. SAHAGUN, )  
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 Petitioner, )  
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 vs. )  
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 BRIAN E. WILLIAMS, *et al.*, )  
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 Respondents. )  
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Case No. 2:14-cv-00535-JAD-PAL  
**ORDER**

This action is a *pro se* petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, by a Nevada state prisoner.

Petitioner has submitted a motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* and a petition for a writ of habeas corpus. Based on the information regarding petitioner's financial status, the motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* is denied. Petitioner must pay the \$5.00 filing fee for habeas corpus actions. 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a). Petitioner shall be given an opportunity to pay the fee in this action.


**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Doc. 1) is **DENIED**. Petitioner shall have **thirty (30) days** from the date this order is entered in which to have the \$5.00 filing fee sent to the Clerk of Court. Failure to do so may result in the dismissal of this action.

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**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk of Court **SHALL SEND** petitioner two copies of this order. Petitioner is ordered to make the necessary arrangements to have one copy of this order attached to the check in the amount of the \$5.00 filing fee.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk of Court shall **RETAIN** the petition but not file it at this time.

Dated: April 10, 2014.



UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE