

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA


3 DAVON LYONS,  
4 Petitioner,  
5 v.  
6 WARDEN BRIAN WILLIAMS, et al.,  
7 Respondents.

Case No. 2:19-cv-00966-APG-NJK  
**Order Granting Motion for Leave  
to File Exhibit Under Seal**  
[ECF No. 79]

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9 Before the Court is the Petitioner’s motion for leave to file document under seal. ECF  
10 No. 79. The Petitioner seek leave to file one document under seal: his Presentence Investigation  
11 Report (“PSI”), dated December 30, 2014. ECF No. 78. Under Nevada law, the PSI is  
12 “confidential and must not be made a part of any public record.” NRS § 176.156(5). Having  
13 reviewed and considered the matter in accordance with *Kamakana v. City and County of*  
14 *Honolulu*, 447 F.3d 1172 (9th Cir. 2006), and its progeny, I find that a compelling need to  
15 protect the Petitioner’s safety, privacy, and/or personal identifying information outweighs the  
16 public interest in open access to court records.

17 I THEREFORE ORDER that the motion to seal (ECF No. 79) is granted. Exhibit 24  
18 (ECF No. 78) is considered properly filed under seal.

19 Dated: September 15, 2022

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21 ANDREW P. GORDON  
22 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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