

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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ISAAC LEWIS,

Case No. 2:21-cv-00580-RFB-NJK

Petitioner,

ORDER

v.

JOHNSON, et al.,

Respondents.

14 Isaac Lewis has submitted a *pro se* 28 U.S.C. § 2254 habeas corpus petition but
15 he has failed to submit an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* or pay the filing fee.
16 Accordingly, this matter has not been properly commenced. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2) and
17 Local Rule LSR1-2.

18 The petition, therefore, is dismissed without prejudice to petitioner filing a new
19 federal habeas petition, in a new case with a new case number and a new, completed
20 application to proceed *in forma pauperis* with the required financial information or the
21 \$5.00 filing fee.

22 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Clerk detach and **file** the petition (ECF No.
23 1-1).

24 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that this action is **DISMISSED** without prejudice as
25 improperly commenced.

26 | **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a certificate of appealability is denied.

1 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk send to petitioner a copy of the court's
2 form petition, the form application to proceed *in forma pauperis* with instructions, and one
3 copy of the papers he filed in this case.

4 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk enter judgment accordingly and close
5 this case.

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7 DATED: 27 April 2021.

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10 RICHARD F. BOULWARE, II
11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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