

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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ANTHONY PARKER,

Case No. 3:17-cv-00442-MMD-WGC

Petitioner,

ORDER

v.

ISIDRO BACA, *et al.*

Respondents.

14 Petitioner has paid the filing fee. The Court has reviewed his petition pursuant to
15 Rule 4 of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts.
16 The Court will serve the petition upon respondents for a response.

17 It is therefore ordered that the Clerk of the Court file the petition for a writ of habeas
18 corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.

19 It is further ordered that the Clerk add Adam Paul Laxalt, Attorney General for the
20 State of Nevada, as counsel for respondents.

21 It is further ordered that the Clerk electronically serve upon respondents a copy of
22 the petition and this order. In addition, the Clerk will return to petitioner a copy of the
23 petition.

24 It is further ordered that respondents will have forty-five (45) days from the date on
25 which the petition was served to answer or otherwise respond to the petition.
26 Respondents must raise all potential affirmative defenses in the initial responsive
27 pleading, including untimeliness, lack of exhaustion, and procedural default. Successive
28 motions to dismiss will not be entertained. If respondents file and serve an answer, then

1 they must comply with Rule 5 of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United
2 States District Courts, and then petitioner will have forty-five (45) days from the date on
3 which the answer is served to file a reply. If respondents file a motion, then the briefing
4 schedule of Local Rule LR 7-2 shall apply.

5 It is further ordered that the hard copy of any electronically filed exhibits must be
6 forwarded—for this case—to the staff attorneys in Las Vegas.

7 DATED THIS 18th day of October 2017.

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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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