1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 10 11 Case No. 3:17-cv-00692-RCJ-VPC FELTON L. MATTHEWS, 12 **ORDER** Petitioner. 13 v. 14 STATE OF NEVADA, et al., 15 Respondents. 16 17 Petitioner has submitted a document titled "Petition for Speculative Extra-Ordinary Relief Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1651." He asks for two things. First, he wants the court to allow him to 18 19 file civil actions in forma pauperis, which he is not allowed to do under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g). 20 Second, he wants the court to vacate a judgment of conviction of a Texas court. The court denies 21 his requests. 22 As the court has noted many times, recently in Matthews v. USA, 3:17-cv-00050, petitioner cannot proceed in forma pauperis because he has had at least three actions dismissed as 23 24 frivolous, as malicious, or for failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g). Petitioner earned that status through many years of meritless litigation. The 25 26 court will not ignore the requirements of § 1915(g). 27 The only way that the court can order the vacation of the Texas judgment of conviction is 28 through a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner alleges that the 1

1	judgment was entered in January 1991 and that he was sentenced to five years of probation and
2	two years in prison. That sentence expired long before petitioner was sentenced in Nevada in
3	2002 and long before petitioner commenced this action. Petitioner is not in custody pursuant to
4	the Texas judgment of conviction. The court cannot grant him any relief from that judgment.
5	The court denies petitioner's other motions (ECF No. 3, ECF No. 4) because the court is
6	dismissing this action.
7	Regarding the possibility of an appeal, the court both certifies that an appeal will not be
8	taken in good faith and will not issue a certificate of appealability.
9	IT THEREFORE IS ORDERED that petitioner's application to proceed in forma pauperis
10	(ECF No. 1) is <b>DENIED</b> .
11	IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that petitioner's motion for evidentiary hearing
12	and appearance by teleconference (ECF No. 3) is <b>DENIED</b> .
13	IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that petitioner's motion for injunctive relief (ECF No. 4) is
14	DENIED.
15	IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that this action is <b>DISMISSED</b> . The clerk of the court shall
16	enter judgment accordingly and close this action.
17	IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that any appeal from the judgment would not be taken in
18	good faith.
19	IT FURTHER IS ORDERED that a certificate of appealability will not issue.
20	DATED: June 19, 2018
21	ROBERT C. JONES
22	United States District Judge
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