In The

Court of Appeals

Ninth District of Texas at Beaumont

NO. 09-11-00066-CR

LESLEY SHILLINGS, Appellant

V.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee

On Appeal from the 252nd District Court Jefferson County, Texas Trial Cause No. 07-02384

MEMORANDUM OPINION

On January 10, 2011, the trial court sentenced Lesley Shillings on a conviction for possession of a prohibited substance in a correctional facility. Shillings filed a notice of appeal on February 9, 2011. The trial court entered a certification of the defendant's right to appeal in which the court certified that this is a plea-bargain case and the defendant waived the right of appeal. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 25.2(a)(2). The district clerk has provided the trial court's certification to the Court of Appeals. On February 15, 2011, we notified the parties that we would dismiss the appeal unless the appellant established grounds for

continuing the appeal. The appellant filed a response but failed to establish that the trial court's certification should be amended. Because the record does not contain a certification that shows the defendant has the right of appeal, we must dismiss the appeal. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 25.2(d). Accordingly, we dismiss the appeal.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

HOLLIS HORTON
Justice

Opinion Delivered April 13, 2011 Do Not Publish Before Gaultney, Kreger, and Horton, JJ.