

In The

Eleventh Court of Appeals

No. 11-14-00121-CR

JOSHUA THOMAS BALDWIN, Appellant

V.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee

On Appeal from the 244th District Court

Ector County, Texas

Trial Court Cause No. C-40,495

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Joshua Thomas Baldwin pleaded guilty in September 2012 to the offense of burglary of a habitation. In accordance with a plea agreement, the trial court convicted Appellant of the offense and assessed Appellant's punishment at confinement for eight years and a fine of \$1,000. The trial court suspended the imposition of the confinement portion of the sentence, and it placed Appellant on

community supervision for a term of eight years. In November 2012, the trial court entered an order amending the rules of Appellant's community supervision.

In October 2013, the State filed a motion to revoke Appellant's community supervision in which it alleged that Appellant had committed five violations of the terms of his community supervision. At a hearing on the State's motion to revoke, Appellant pleaded "true" to all of the alleged violations. After receiving evidence, the trial court found all of the allegations to be true, revoked Appellant's community supervision, and assessed Appellant's punishment at confinement for five years. We dismiss the appeal.

Appellant's court-appointed counsel has filed a motion to withdraw. The motion is supported by a brief in which counsel professionally and conscientiously examines the record and applicable law and states that she has concluded that the appeal is frivolous. Counsel has provided appellant with a copy of the motion and a copy of the brief, and counsel has advised appellant of his right to review the record and file a response to counsel's brief. A response has not been filed. Court-appointed counsel has complied with the requirements of *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967); *In re Schulman*, 252 S.W.3d 403 (Tex. Crim. App. 2008); *Stafford v. State*, 813 S.W.2d 503 (Tex. Crim. App. 1991); *High v. State*, 573 S.W.2d 807 (Tex. Crim. App. 1978); *Currie v. State*, 516 S.W.2d 684 (Tex. Crim. App. 1974); *Gainous v. State*, 436 S.W.2d 137 (Tex. Crim. App. 1969); and *Eaden v. State*, 161 S.W.3d 173 (Tex. App.—Eastland 2005, no pet.).

Following the procedures outlined in *Anders* and *Schulman*, we have independently reviewed the record, and we agree that the appeal is without merit

¹Counsel has also provided Appellant with copies of the reporter's record and the clerk's record in this appeal and with a copy of a pro se motion for access to the appellate record.

²By letter, this Court granted Appellant thirty days in which to exercise his right to file a response to counsel's brief.

and should be dismissed. Schulman, 252 S.W.3d at 409. In this regard, a plea of

true standing alone is sufficient to support a trial court's decision to revoke

community supervision. See Moses v. State, 590 S.W.2d 469, 470 (Tex. Crim.

App. 1979).

We note that counsel has the responsibility to advise Appellant that he may

file a petition for discretionary review with the clerk of the Texas Court of

Criminal Appeals seeking review by that court. Tex. R. App. P. 48.4 ("In criminal

cases, the attorney representing the defendant on appeal shall, within five days

after the opinion is handed down, send his client a copy of the opinion and

judgment, along with notification of the defendant's right to file a pro se petition

for discretionary review under Rule 68."). Likewise, this court advises Appellant

that he may file a petition for discretionary review pursuant to Tex. R. App. P. 68.

The motion to withdraw is granted, and the appeal is dismissed.

PER CURIAM

August 21, 2014

Do not publish. See TEX. R. APP. P. 47.2(b).

Panel consists of: Wright, C.J.,

Willson, J., and Bailey, J.

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