

In The Court of Appeals Hifth District of Texas at Pallas

No. 05-16-01278-CR

DENNIS WAYNE BELL, Appellant V.
THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee

On Appeal from the 291st Judicial District Court Dallas County, Texas Trial Court Cause No. F08-50594-U

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Before Justices Lang, Evans, and Schenck Opinion by Justice Lang

Dennis Wayne Bell appeals his conviction, following the adjudication of his guilt, for aggravated robbery. After adjudicating appellant's guilt, the trial court assessed punishment at twenty-five years' imprisonment. On appeal, appellant's attorney filed a brief in which she concludes the appeal is wholly frivolous and without merit. The brief meets the requirements of *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). The brief presents a professional evaluation of the record showing why, in effect, there are no arguable grounds to advance. *See High v. State*, 573 S.W.2d 807, 811–12 (Tex. Crim. App. [Panel Op.] 1978). Counsel delivered a copy of the brief to appellant. *See Kelly v. State*, 436 S.W.3d 313, 319–21 (Tex. Crim. App. 2014) (noting appellant has right to file pro se response to *Anders* brief filed by counsel).

Appellant filed a pro se response raising several issues. After reviewing counsel's brief, appellant's pro se response, and the record, we agree the appeal is frivolous and without merit.

See Bledsoe v. State, 178 S.W.3d 824, 826–27 (Tex. Crim. App. 2005) (explaining appellate

court's duty in Anders cases). We find nothing in the record that might arguably support the

appeal.

Although not an arguable issue, we note two errors in the trial court's judgment

adjudicating guilt. The record shows appellant pleaded not true to the allegations in the State's

motion to adjudicate guilt. The judgment, however, erroneously recites appellant pleaded true to

the motion to adjudicate and states terms of a plea bargain agreement as "25 years Texas

Department of Criminal Justice." Accordingly, on our own motion, we modify the trial court's

judgment adjudicating guilt to show the plea to the motion to adjudicate was "not true" and there

were no plea bargain terms. TEX. R. APP. P. 43.2(b); Bigley v. State, 865 S.W.2d 26, 27–28 (Tex.

Crim. App. 1993) (courts of appeals have authority to modify a judgment); Estrada v. State, 334

S.W.3d 57, 63–64 (Tex. App.—Dallas 2009, no pet.) (same).

As modified, we affirm the trial court's judgment.

/Douglas S. Lang/ DOUGLAS S. LANG

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JUDGMENT

DENNIS WAYNE BELL, Appellant

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Opinion delivered by Justice Lang. Justices

THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee Evans and Schenck participating.

Based on the Court's opinion of this date, the judgment adjudicating guilt of the trial court is **MODIFIED** as follows:

The section entitled "Plea to Motion to Adjudicate" is modified to show "Not True."

The section entitled "Terms of Plea Bargain" is modified to show "None"

As modified, we **AFFIRM** the trial court's judgment adjudicating guilt.

Judgment entered this 4th day of October, 2017.