

Affirmed and Opinion Filed January 31, 2018



**In The
Court of Appeals
Fifth District of Texas at Dallas**

**No. 05-16-01416-CR
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**SUSAN GAY PRUITT, Appellant
V.
THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee**

**On Appeal from the 380th Judicial District Court
Collin County, Texas
Trial Court Cause Nos. 380-82407-2014, 380-82408-2014**

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Before Chief Justice Wright, Justice Myers, and Justice Brown
Opinion by Chief Justice Wright

Susan Gay Pruitt waived a jury trial and pleaded guilty to money laundering and theft of property valued more than \$200,000. After finding appellant guilty, the trial court assessed punishment at twenty-two years' imprisonment in each case. On appeal, appellant's attorney filed a brief in which he 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, 812 (Tex. Crim. App. [Panel Op.] 1978) (determining whether brief meets requirements of *Anders*). Counsel delivered a copy of the brief to appellant. We advised appellant of his right to file a pro se response, but he did not file a pro

se response. *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).

We have reviewed the record and counsel’s brief. *See Bledsoe v. State*, 178 S.W.3d 824, 826–27 (Tex. Crim. App. 2005) (explaining appellate court’s duty in *Anders* cases). We agree the appeal is frivolous and without merit. We find nothing in the record that might arguably support the appeal.

We affirm the trial court’s judgment.

/Carolyn Wright/
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CHIEF JUSTICE

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Opinion delivered by Chief Justice Wright.

Justices Myers and Brown participating.

Based on the Court's opinion of this date, the judgment of the trial court is **AFFIRMED**.

Judgment entered January 31, 2018.



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Opinion delivered by Chief Justice Wright.

Justices Myers and Brown participating.

Based on the Court's opinion of this date, the judgment of the trial court is **AFFIRMED**.

Judgment entered January 31, 2018.