

Fourth Court of Appeals San Antonio, Texas

MEMORANDUM OPINION

No. 04-14-00349-CV

IN THE INTEREST OF C.D., a Child

From the 38th Judicial District Court, Medina County, Texas Trial Court No. 13-08-21978-CV The Honorable Cathy O. Morris, Judge Presiding

Opinion by: Rebeca C. Martinez, Justice

Sitting: Catherine Stone, Chief Justice Sandee Bryan Marion, Justice Rebeca C. Martinez, Justice

Delivered and Filed: October 22, 2014

AFFIRMED

This is an appeal from the trial court's order terminating appellant's parental rights to C.D. Appellant's court-appointed attorney filed a brief containing a professional evaluation of the record and demonstrating that there are no arguable grounds to be advanced. Counsel concludes the appeal is without merit. The brief meets the requirements of *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). *See In re R.R.*, No. 04-03-00096-CV, 2003 WL 21157944, at *4 (Tex. App.—San Antonio May 21, 2003, no pet.) (applying *Anders* procedure in appeal from termination of parental rights), *disp. on merits*, 2003 WL 22080522 (Tex. App.—San Antonio Sept. 10, 2003, no pet.) (mem. op.). Counsel certified that a copy of the brief was delivered to appellant who was advised of his right to review the record and to file a *pro se* brief. Appellate counsel provided appellant

with a form motion for requesting the record. *See Kelly v. State*, 436 S.W.3d 313, 319-20 (Tex. Crim. App. 2014). Appellant has not requested the record or filed a brief.

After reviewing the record and counsel's brief, we agree that the appeal is frivolous and without merit. The trial court's order is affirmed, and counsel's motion to withdraw is granted. *Nichols v. State*, 954 S.W.2d 83, 86 (Tex. App.—San Antonio 1997, no pet.); *Bruns v. State*, 924 S.W.2d 176, 177 n.1 (Tex. App.—San Antonio 1996, no pet.).

Rebeca C. Martinez, Justice