

Fourth Court of Appeals San Antonio, Texas

MEMORANDUM OPINION

No. 04-19-00871-CR

Charles W. **EADEN**, Appellant

v.

The **STATE** of Texas, Appellee

From the 144th Judicial District Court, Bexar County, Texas Trial Court No. 2019CR4480 Honorable Raymond Angelini, Judge Presiding

Opinion by: Liza A. Rodriguez, Justice

Sitting: Luz Elena D. Chapa, Justice

Irene Rios, Justice

Liza A. Rodriguez, Justice

Delivered and Filed: December 8, 2021

AFFIRMED

After a trial on the merits, Charles W. Eaden was found guilty of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon (repeater) and was sentenced to forty years of imprisonment. Eaden timely filed a notice of appeal. His court-appointed appellate counsel has filed a brief and motion to withdraw in accordance with *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). With citations to the record and legal authority, counsel's brief explains why no arguable points of error exist for review and concludes that this appeal is frivolous and without merit. *See id.* at 744-45; *High v. State*, 573 S.W.2d 807 (Tex. Crim. App. 1978). The brief meets the requirements of *Anders* as it presents a

professional evaluation showing why there is no basis to advance an appeal. *See Anders*, 386 U.S. at 744-45; *High*, 573 S.W.2d at 812-13. Counsel states that appellant was provided with a copy of the brief and motion to withdraw, and was further informed of his right to review the record and file his own brief. *See Kelly v. State*, 436 S.W.3d 313, 319-20 (Tex. Crim. App. 2014). Additionally, counsel advised appellant that if he wished to review the record, he must file a motion in this court and enclosed a form motion for that purpose. *See id.* Eaden subsequently filed the form motion, and this court sent a copy of the appellate record to Eaden. Eaden then filed a pro se brief, and the State filed its appellee's brief.

We have reviewed the record and the briefs filed. We agree with appointed counsel that the appeal is frivolous and without merit. The judgment of the trial court is affirmed. Furthermore, we grant appointed counsel's motion to withdraw. *See Nichols v. State*, 954 S.W.2d 83, 85-86 (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.).

Liza A. Rodriguez, Justice

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¹No substitute counsel will be appointed. Should appellant wish to seek further review of this case by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, he must either retain an attorney to file a petition for discretionary review or file a pro se petition for discretionary review. Any petition for discretionary review must be filed within thirty days from the later of (1) the date of this opinion; or (2) the date the last timely motion for rehearing is overruled by this court. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 68.2. Any petition for discretionary review must be filed in the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 68.3. Any petition for discretionary review should comply with the requirements of Rule 68.4 of the Texas Rules of Appellate Procedure. *See* Tex. R. App. P. 68.4.