NO. 07-10-00376-CR

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE SEVENTH DISTRICT OF TEXAS

AT AMARILLO

PANEL B

JUNE 15, 2011

SALVADOR GONZALES, JR., APPELLANT

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, APPELLEE

FROM THE 222ND DISTRICT COURT OF DEAF SMITH COUNTY;

NO. CR-10C-029; HONORABLE ROLAND D. SAUL, JUDGE

Before QUINN, C.J., and CAMPBELL and HANCOCK, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Appellant, Salvador Gonzales, Jr, pleaded guilty to the first degree felony offense of injury to a child.¹ After hearing the punishment evidence, a jury assessed appellant's punishment at confinement in the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice for a period of 65 years. Appellant gave notice of appeal. We will affirm the judgment of the trial court.

Appellant's attorney has filed an <u>Anders</u> brief and a motion to withdraw. <u>Anders</u> v. California, 386 U.S. 738, 87 S.Ct. 1396, 18 L.Ed. 2d 498 (1967). In support of his

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¹ See Tex. Penal Code Ann. § 22.04(a)(1) (West 2011).

motion to withdraw, counsel certifies that he has diligently reviewed the record, and in his opinion, the record reflects no reversible error upon which an appeal can be predicated. Id. at 744-45. In compliance with High v. State, 573 S.W.2d 807, 813 (Tex.Crim.App. 1978), counsel has candidly discussed why, under the controlling authorities, there is no error in the trial court's judgment. Additionally, counsel has certified that he has provided appellant a copy of the Anders brief and motion to withdraw and appropriately advised appellant of his right to file a pro se response in this matter. Stafford v. State, 813 S.W.2d 503, 510 (Tex.Crim.App. 1991). The court has also advised appellant of his right to file a pro se response. Appellant has not filed a response. By his Anders brief, counsel reviewed all grounds that could possibly support an appeal, but concludes the appeal is frivolous. We have reviewed these grounds and made an independent review of the entire record to determine whether there are any arguable grounds which might support an appeal. See Penson v. Ohio, 488 U.S. 75, 109 S.Ct. 346, 102 L.Ed.2d 300 (1988); Bledsoe v. State, 178 S.W.3d 824 (Tex.Crim.App. 2005). We have found no such arguable grounds and agree with counsel that the appeal is frivolous.

Accordingly, counsel's motion to withdraw is hereby granted and the trial court's judgment is affirmed.²

Mackey K. Hancock Justice

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² Counsel shall, within five days after this opinion is handed down, send his client a copy of the opinion and judgment, along with notification of appellant's right to file a *pro se* petition for discretionary review. <u>See</u> TEX. R. APP. P. 48.4.