

In The Court of Appeals Sixth Appellate District of Texas at Texarkana

No. 06-11-00023-CR

GLEN MORRIS BROWN, Appellant

V.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, Appellee

On Appeal from the 114th Judicial District Court Smith County, Texas Trial Court No. 114-1288-10

Before Morriss, C.J., Carter and Moseley, JJ. Memorandum Opinion by Justice Carter

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Glen Morris Brown¹ entered an open plea of guilty to the first degree felony offense of possession of a controlled substance, cocaine with intent to deliver, in an amount of 4 grams or more but less than 200 grams.² The trial court sentenced Brown to thirty years' imprisonment and ordered Brown pay a reimbursement fee of \$140.00 to the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Brown has filed a single brief for each of three appeals challenging the reimbursement order in the trial court's judgment in each of the three cases for which he was convicted. For the reasons we state in our opinion issued in cause number 06-11-00022-CR, we find there was insufficient evidence for the trial court to assess the reimbursement fee, and we modify the judgment to strike that provision.

¹Originally appealed to the Twelfth Court of Appeals, this case was transferred to this Court by the Texas Supreme Court pursuant to its docket equalization efforts. *See* TEX. GOV'T CODE ANN. § 73.001 (West 2005). We are unaware of any conflict between precedent of the Twelfth Court of Appeals and that of this Court on any relevant issue. *See* TEX. R. APP. P. 41.3.

²In the same proceeding, Brown pled guilty to two state jail felony charges of manufacture or delivery of a controlled substance, cocaine, less than one gram (our cause numbers 06-11-00022-CR and 06-11-00024-CR). *See generally* TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE ANN. § 481.112 (West 2010). Brown has filed a single brief raising the same issue in all three cases; we reach the same result in those other two cases, released today in separate opinions bearing those cause numbers.

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

Jack Carter Justice

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