

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

SEVER MARGA,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 50734

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE

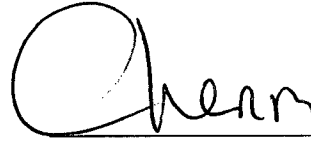
This is an appeal from a judgment of conviction, pursuant to a guilty plea, of voluntary manslaughter with the use of a deadly weapon. Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County; Valerie Adair, Judge. The district court sentenced appellant Sever Marga to serve a prison term of 48 to 120 months, with an equal and consecutive term for the use of a deadly weapon.


The sole issue raised in this appeal is whether the district court erred in refusing to apply the ameliorative amendments to the deadly weapon enhancement statute that took effect after Marga committed the underlying offense but before he was sentenced. We recently considered this issue in State v. Dist. Ct. (Pullin) and held that the 2007 amendments to NRS 193.165 do not apply to offenses committed before the effective date of the amendments.¹ Consistent with our decision


¹124 Nev. ___, 188 P.3d 1079 (2008).

in Pullin, we conclude that Marga's argument lacks merit. Accordingly,
we

ORDER the judgment of conviction AFFIRMED.


_____, J.
Cherry


_____, J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Saitta

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