


IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

JUAN ANTONIO ANGUIANO-
PACHECO,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 87284-COA

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ORDER OF AFFIRMANCE


Juan Antonio Anguiano-Pacheco appeals from a judgment of conviction, entered pursuant to nolo contendere plea, of battery which constitutes domestic violence with substantial bodily harm. Second Judicial District Court, Washoe County; Scott N. Freeman, Judge.

Anguiano-Pacheco argues the district court abused its discretion by not granting him probation. The granting of probation in this case was discretionary. See NRS 176A.100(1)(c); *Houk v. State*, 103 Nev. 659, 664, 747 P.2d 1376, 1379 (1987) (“The sentencing judge has wide discretion in imposing a sentence . . .”). Generally, this court will not interfere with a sentence imposed by the district court that falls within the parameters of relevant sentencing statutes “[s]o long as the record does not demonstrate prejudice resulting from consideration of information or accusations founded on facts supported only by impalpable or highly suspect evidence.” *Silks v. State*, 92 Nev. 91, 94, 545 P.2d 1159, 1161 (1976); see *Cameron v. State*, 114 Nev. 1281, 1283, 968 P.2d 1169, 1171 (1998).

Anguiano-Pacheco’s sentence of 28 to 72 months in prison is within the parameters provided by the relevant statute, see NRS 200.485(5), and Anguiano-Pacheco does not allege that the district court relied on

impalpable or highly suspect evidence. The district court found that Anguiano-Pacheco was dangerous given his past criminal history and that a prison term was an appropriate sentence. We conclude the district court did not abuse its discretion by declining to suspend the sentence and place Anguiano-Pacheco on probation. Accordingly, we

ORDER the judgment of conviction AFFIRMED.


_____, C.J.
Gibbons


_____, J.
Bulla


_____, J.
Westbrook

cc: Hon. Scott N. Freeman, District Judge
Washoe County Alternate Public Defender
Attorney General/Carson City
Washoe County District Attorney
Washoe District Court Clerk