Supreme Court of Florida

ORIGINAL

No. 77,881

STATE OF FLORIDA, Petitioner,

vs.

PEDRO CABRERA, a/k/a ARLIX FUENTES, Respondent.

[December 5, 1991]

PER CURIAM.

We have for review <u>Cabrera v. State</u>, 576 So.2d 1358, 1360 (Fla. 3d DCA 1991), in which the Third District Court of Appeal certified the following question of great public importance:

Whether legal constraint points may be assessed more than once on a single sentencing guidelines scoresheet?

The Third District Court also certified conflict between the instant case and Carter v. State, 571 So.2d 520 (Fla. 4th DCA

1990), quashed, No. 77,434 (Fla. Oct. 10, 1991), Green v. State,
570 So.2d 1014 (Fla. 5th DCA 1990), quashed, No. 77,069 (Fla.
Oct. 3, 1991), and Flowers v. State, 567 So.2d 1055 (Fla. 5th DCA 1990), quashed, No. 76,854 (Fla. Oct. 3, 1991), concerning the issue of assessing legal constraint points. We have jurisdiction pursuant to article V, section 3(b)(4), Florida Constitution.

In <u>Flowers v. State</u>, No. 76,854 (Fla. Oct. 3, 1991), we held that legal constraint points are to be assessed once in calculating sentencing scoresheets. Accordingly, we approve the decision below.

It is so ordered.

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SHAW, C.J. and OVERTON, McDONALD, BARKETT, GRIMES, KOGAN and HARDING, JJ., concur.

NOT FINAL UNTIL TIME EXPIRES TO FILE REHEARING MOTION AND, IF FILED, DETERMINED.

Application for Review of the Decision of the District Court of Appeal - Certified Great Public Importance

Third District - Case No. 90-1272 (Dade County)

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