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CAUSE NO. 44556

THE STATE OF TEXAS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

VS.

FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

JOSEPH LEE FLORES, JR.

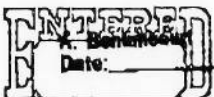
434TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

JUDGMENT ON JURY VERDICT OF GUILTY

PUNISHMENT FIXED BY JURY - NO PROBATION GRANTED

Judge Presiding: JAMES H. SHOEMAKE  
 Date of Judgment: JUNE 24, 2008  
 Attorney for State: JOHN HAWKINS  
 Attorney for Defendant: DON BANKSTON  
 Offense Convicted of: ATTEMPTED CAPITAL MURDER OF PEACE OFFICER  
 Degree: FX Date Offense Committed: JUNE 2, 2006  
 Charging Instrument: INDICTMENT Plea: NOT GUILTY  
 Jury Verdict: GUILTY Foreman: CHRIS CARSTONS  
 Plea to Enhancement Paragraph(s): N/A  
 Findings on Enhancement: N/A  
 Findings on Use of Deadly Weapon: TRUE  
 Date Sentence Imposed: JUNE 24, 2008 Costs: \$211.00  
 Punishment and Place of Confinement: Life in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Institutional Division  
 Time Credited: 737 DAYS Date to Commence: JUNE 24, 2008  
**CONCURRENT UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED**  
 Total Amount of Restitution/Reparation:

This 17th day of June, 2008, this cause was called for trial, and the State appeared by her District Attorney as named above and the Defendant named above, having been duly arraigned, appeared in person, in open court, his counsel also being present, and both parties announced ready for trial; thereupon a jury of good and lawful persons, including the Presiding Juror as named above, and eleven others, was duly selected, impaneled and sworn, according to law; the indictment was read, and the defendant entered his plea of not guilty thereto, and evidence for the State and the Defendant was submitted and concluded, and the Court charged the jury as to the law applicable to said cause, and argument of counsel for the State and the Defendant was duly heard and concluded, and the jury retired in charge of the proper officer to consider of their verdict; and afterward was brought into open court by the proper officer, the Defendant and his counsel being present, and in due form of law returned into open court the verdict indicated above, which was received by the Court and is here now entered upon the minutes of the Court, to-wit: We, the Jury, find the Defendant, Joseph Lee Flores, Jr., guilty of the felony offense of Attempted Capital Murder of a Police Officer as charged in the indictment; and was signed by the Presiding Juror.



Thereupon the same jury was duly impaneled to assess said Defendant's punishment in said cause, and the evidence submitted for the State and for the Defendant was duly heard, and at the conclusion of such evidence, the Court charged the jury with additional written instructions as to the punishment in said cause, thereupon the argument of counsel for the State and the Defendant was duly heard and concluded; and the jury retired in charge of the proper officer to consider of their verdict as to Defendant's punishment; and afterward was brought into open court by the proper officer, the Defendant and his counsel being present, and in due form of law returned into open court the following verdict, which was received by the Court and is here now entered upon the minutes of the Court, to-wit: We, the Jury, having found the Defendant guilty of Attempted Capital Murder of a Police Officer, as charged in the indictment, now assess the punishment of the defendant at confinement in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Institutional Division for a term of Life, and we also assess a \$10,000.00 fine.

It is THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ADJUDGED by the Court that the Defendant named above is guilty of the offense named above as found by the jury, and that he be punished as found by the Jury, that is by confinement in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Institutional Division for the period indicated above and that the State of Texas do have and recover of the said Defendant all costs in this prosecution, for which execution may issue.

And thereupon the said Defendant was asked by the Court whether he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced against him, and he answered nothing in bar thereof. Whereupon the Court proceeded, in the presence of said Defendant, to pronounce sentence against him as follows, to-wit: "It is the order of the Court that the Defendant, named above who has been adjudged to be guilty of the offense indicated above, a felony, and whose punishment has been assessed at confinement in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Institutional Division for the period indicated above, be delivered by the Sheriff of Fort Bend County, Texas, immediately to the Director of the Institutional Division of the State of Texas, or other person legally authorized to receive such convicts, and said Defendant shall be confined in said Institutional Division for the period indicated above, in accordance with the provisions of the law governing the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice."

The said Defendant was remanded to jail for completion of this sentence.

Signed and entered this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2008

**FILED**

JUDGE PRESIDING

AT AUG 18 2008  
2:08 P.M.  
*Carrie Johnson*

DEFENDANT'S RIGHT INDEX FINGER:



ATTEST:

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District Clerk  
Fort Bend County, Texas

By: *D. Jones #2013*  
Deputy