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8 IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

9 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

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11 THE STATE OF NEVADA,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

Case No. CR20-3438A

14 BRANDON ALLEN BEST,

Dept. No. 8

15 Defendant.
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17 **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

18 Defendant, BRANDON ALLEN BEST, hereby appeals to the Supreme Court of Nevada
19 from the Judgment of Conviction in this action on August 12, 2021.

20 **AFFIRMATION PURSUANT TO NRS 239B.030**

21 The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding document does not contain the social
22 security number of any person.

23 DATED this 9th day of September, 2021.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that on this date I caused to be served postage prepaid by United States mail, a true copy of the attached foregoing document addressed to:

JENNIFER P. NOBLE. ESQ.
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BRANDON ALLEN BEST
Northern Nevada Correction Center
P.O. Box 7000
Carson City, NV 89702

AARON D. FORD
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100 N. Carson Street
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DATED this 9th day of September, 2021.

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19 **CASE APPEAL STATEMENT**

20 1. Appellant, BRANDON ALLEN BEST.

21 2. This appeal is from a Judgment of Conviction entered on August 12, 2021, by the
22 Honorable BARRY BRESLOW, District Judge.

23 3. The parties below were THE STATE OF NEVADA, Plaintiff and BRANDON
24 ALLEN BEST, Defendant.

25 4. The parties herein are BRANDON ALLEN BEST, Appellant and THE STATE OF
26 NEVADA, Respondent.

27 5. Counsel on appeal: For the Appellant, Conflict Counsel, JOSEPH MERKIN, ESQ.,
28 316 California Avenue, Suite 430, Reno, Nevada 89509, (775) 240-6477 and for the Respondent,
the WASHOE COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S office, One South Sierra Street, Fourth Floor,
Reno, Nevada 89501, (775) 337-5751.

6. Appointed counsel represented Appellant in District Court.

7. Appointed counsel represents Appellant on appeal.

8. Conflict counsel was court appointed.

1 9. The charging document (Information) was filed on May 5, 2021.

2 10. Mr. BEST plead to Battery with the Use of a Deadly Weapon, a violation of NRS
3 200.481(2)(e)(1) and NRS 193.165, a category B felony. The District Court imposed a sentence
4 of imprisonment in the Nevada Department of Corrections for a minimum term of forty-eight (48)
5 months to a maximum term of one hundred twenty (120) months, with two hundred eighteen (218)
6 days credit for time
7 served.

8 11. This case has not previously been the subject of an appeal or writ proceeding.

9 12. This appeal does not involve child custody or visitation.

10 13. This is not a civil case.

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**SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF WASHOE**

Case History - CR20-3438A

DEPT. D8

HON. BARRY L. BRESLOW

Report Date & Time

9/10/2021

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Case Description: STATE VS. BRANDON A BEST (D8)

Case ID:	CR20-3438A	Case Type:	CRIMINAL	Initial Filing Date:	10/26/2020
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Parties

PLTF	STATE OF NEVADA - STATE
DA	Travis B. Lucia, Esq. - 11188
DA	Jennifer P. Noble, Esq. - 9446
DEFT	BRANDON ALLEN BEST - @1363814
DATY	Joseph D. Merkin, Esq. - 3328
PNP	Div. of Parole & Probation - DPNP

Charges

Charge No.	Charge Code	Charge Date	Charge Description
1	50223	5/25/2021	INF BATTERY WITH THE USE OF A DEADLY WEAPON

Plea Information

Charge No.	Plea Code	Plea Date	Plea Description
1	50223	6/9/2021	PLED GUILTY

Sentences

Date	Charge No.	Charge Desc	Time Served	Sentence Text
8/11/2021	1	1 - Nevada State Prison	NDOC 48 TO 120 MOS + REST. + FEES.	

Release Information

Custody Status

Hearings

Department	Event Description	Sched. Date & Time	Disposed Date
1 D8	ARRAIGNMENT	6/9/2021 09:00:00	6/9/2021

Event Extra Text:

Disposition:
D655 6/9/2021
TO THE INFORMATION

Department	Event Description	Sched. Date & Time	Disposed Date
2 D8	SENTENCING	8/11/2021 09:00:00	8/11/2021

Event Extra Text:

Disposition:
D768 8/11/2021

Agency Cross Reference

Code	Agency Description	Case Reference I.D.
DA	District Attorney's Office	DA2012524
PC	PCN number	PCNSPPD0063667C
SJ	Sparks Justice's Court	20SCR01607A
SP	Sparks Police Department	SPD20008021

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5/18/2021	2587	Notice of Setting	06-09-2021 @ 09:00 - IN CUSTODY ARRAIGNMENT - Transaction 8450371 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-1
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5/25/2021	1800	Information	Transaction 8462564 - Approved By: CAGUILAR : 05-25-2021:12:16:51
5/25/2021	3870	Request	REQUEST FOR DISCOVERY PURSUANT TO NRS 174.245 - Transaction 8462564 - Approved By: CAGUILAR
5/25/2021	4265	Waiver of Preliminary Exam	Transaction 8462564 - Approved By: CAGUILAR : 05-25-2021:12:16:51
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Case No. CR20-3438A

12 **BRANDON ALLEN BEST,**

Dept. No. 8

13 **Defendant.**
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15 **JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION**

16 The Defendant, having entered a plea of guilty, and no sufficient cause
17 being shown by Defendant as to why judgment should not be pronounced against him,
18 the Court rendered judgment as follows:


19 Brandon Allen Best is guilty of the crime of Battery with the Use of a Deadly
20 Weapon, a violation of NRS 200.481(2)(e)(1) and NRS 193.165, as charged in the
21 Information, and that he be punished by imprisonment in the Nevada Department of
22 Corrections for a minimum term of forty-eight (48) months to a maximum term of one
23 hundred twenty (120) months, with two hundred eighteen (218) days credit for time
24 served.

25 The Defendant is ordered to pay restitution in the amount of One Hundred
26 Eighty Dollars (\$180.00) to victim VC2279871. All monetary payments, money and
27 property collected from the Defendant shall be first applied to pay the amount ordered as
28 restitution to the Victim(s).

1 The Defendant is further ordered to pay a Three Dollar (\$3.00)
2 administrative assessment for obtaining a biological specimen and conducting a genetic
3 marker analysis, a Twenty-Five Dollar (\$25.00) administrative assessment fee, a One
4 Hundred Fifty Dollar (\$150.00) DNA analysis fee, and attorney's fees for legal
5 representation by the Washoe County Public Defender's Office in the sum of Five
6 Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) to the Clerk of the Second Judicial District Court.

7 Any fine, fee administrative assessment or restitution imposed today (as
8 reflected in this Judgment) constitutes a lien, as defined in Nevada Revised Statute NRS
9 176.275. Should the Defendant not pay these fines, fees, or assessments, collection
10 efforts may be undertaken against him.

11 Dated this 11th day of August, 2021.

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15 DISTRICT JUDGE
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CASE NO. CR20-3438A

STATE OF NEVADA VS. BRANDON A. BEST

DATE, JUDGE
OFFICERS OF
COURT PRESENT

APPEARANCES-HEARING

CONTINUED TO

06/09/2021
HONORABLE
BARRY
BRESLOW
DEPT. NO. 8
A. DeGayner
(Clerk)
I. Zihn
(Reporter)

ARRAIGNMENT

Deputy District Attorney Nick Graham represented the State. Defendant was present, in custody, represented by Joseph Merkin, Esq. Specialist Marissa Stavness was present on behalf of the Division of Parole and Probation.

08/11/2021
9:00 a.m.
Sentencing

This hearing was held remotely because of the closure of the courthouse at 75 Court Street in Reno, Washoe County, Nevada due to the National and Local emergency caused by COVID-19. The Court and all the participants appeared via simultaneous audiovisual transmission. The court was physically located in Reno, Washoe County, Nevada which was the site of the court session. Counsel acknowledged receipt of Notice that the hearing was taking place pursuant to Nevada Supreme Court Rules – Part 9 relating to simultaneous audiovisual transmissions and all counsel stated they had no objection to going forward in this manner.

DATY Merkin advised the Court that the Washoe County Public Defender's Office is representing the Defendant on two other cases and requested that sentencing in this case be set with those cases.

TRUE NAME: BRANDON BEST.

Defendant in receipt of a copy of the Information; waived reading. DATY Merkin stated the negotiations. Defendant sworn. Defendant entered a plea of guilty to Battery With the Use of a Deadly Weapon, a violation of NRS 200.481(2)(e)(1) and NRS 193.165, as contained in the Information. Court interrogated the Defendant, advised him of his rights, found that there was a factual basis for the plea and that the Defendant understood the elements of the offense and the possible punishment therefore. Court further found that the plea was knowing, voluntary and intelligent, that the Defendant was competent to enter the plea and accepted the same. Defendant provided visual verification of a signed Guilty Plea Memorandum.

COURT ORDERED: Presentence Investigation Report and matter CONTINUED to **August 11, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.** for Entry of Judgment and Imposition of Sentence to be heard with case numbers CR21-0995 and CR21-0102.

Defendant remanded to the custody of the Sheriff.

CASE NO. CR20-3438A STATE OF NEVADA VS. BRANDON ALLEN BEST
CASE NO. CR21-0102 STATE OF NEVADA VS. BRANDON ALLEN BEST
CASE NO. CR21-0995 STATE OF NEVADA VS. BRANDON ALLEN BEST

DATE, JUDGE
OFFICERS OF
COURT PRESENT

APPEARANCES-HEARING

8/11/21
HONORABLE
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BRESLOW
Dept. No. 8
M. Schuck
(Clerk)
I. Zihn
(Reporter)
Deputy Burfield
(Bailliff)

ENTRY OF JUDGMENTS AND IMPOSITION OF SENTENCES

Deputy District Attorney Nicole Hicks represented the State.
Defendant was present and represented by Joseph Merkin, Esq. on CR20-3438A and Christine Hotchkin, Esq. on CR21-0102 and CR21-0995.
Parole and Probation Specialist Carlos Perez was also present.

This hearing was held remotely because of the closure of the courthouse at 75 Court Street in Reno, Washoe County, Nevada due to the National and Local emergency caused by COVID-19. The Court and all the participants appeared via simultaneous audiovisual transmission. The court was physically located in Reno, Washoe County, Nevada which was the site of the court session. Counsel acknowledged receipt of Notice that the hearing was taking place pursuant to Nevada Supreme Court Rules – Part 9 relating to simultaneous audiovisual transmissions and all counsel stated they had no objection to going forward in this manner.

Counsel Hicks stated there was an issue with the plea taken in CR21-0995. She requested the Defendant be recanvassed on that case.
Counsel Hotchkin stated she and the Defendant wanted to proceed to sentencing, so Defendant wanted to be recanvassed and did not want to continue the matter.
Court addressed the error with the possible sentence and stated the correct possible sentence on the record. He canvassed the Defendant regarding the process.
Defendant was placed under oath by the Courtroom Clerk at the Court's direction.
Defendant was fully canvassed by the Court as to his rights. Possible penalty for offense charged stated to the Defendant. State's counsel set forth the elements of the offense charged. Court accepted plea after finding that the Defendant was knowingly, voluntarily, and intelligently entering such plea and had been fully advised by Counsel.
Counsel Hotchkin requested they proceed to sentencing in all three cases.
Counsel Hicks requested the same.
Defendant stated he was ready to proceed with sentencing in all three cases.
Counsel Merkin presented his argument as to CR20-3438A. He addressed the instant offense. He requested the minimum sentence of 2 to 5 years concurrently with the other two cases.
Counsel Hotchkin presented her argument as to CR21-0102 and CR21-0995. She requested the minimum sentence on both cases. In CR21-0995, 24 to 60 months in prison with a consecutive term of 12 to 24 months for the deadly weapon enhancement and, 12 to 36 months in CR21-0102.
Defendant made a statement on his own behalf as to all three cases.
Court addressed the Defendant directly regarding his situation.
Counsel Hicks presented her sentencing argument. She requested 12 to 48 months in prison as to CR21-0102, to be served concurrently, 72 to 180 months with a consecutive 24 to 60 months for the deadly weapon enhancement in CR21-0995, and 48 to 120

months in CR20-3438A to be served consecutively. She addressed the instant offenses individually and the victims in the shooting cases. She believed the Defendant was a threat to the community and read out loud from the texts. She requested the Court follow her recommendations.

COURT RENDERED JUDGMENT as follows in CR20-3438A: The Defendant, having entered a plea of guilty, and no sufficient cause being shown by Defendant as to why judgment should not be pronounced against him, the Court rendered judgment as follows: Brandon Allen Best is guilty of the crime of Battery with the Use of a Deadly Weapon, a violation of NRS 200.481(2)(e)(1) and NRS 193.165, as charged in the Information, and that he be punished by imprisonment in the Nevada Department of Corrections for a minimum term of forty-eight (48) months to a maximum term of one hundred twenty (120) months, with two hundred eighteen (218) days credit for time served. The Defendant is ordered to pay restitution in the amount of One Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$180.00) to victim VC2279871. All monetary payments, money and property collected from the Defendant shall be first applied to pay the amount ordered as restitution to the Victim(s). The Defendant is further ordered to pay a Three Dollar (\$3.00) administrative assessment for obtaining a biological specimen and conducting a genetic marker analysis, a Twenty-Five Dollar (\$25.00) administrative assessment fee, a One Hundred Fifty Dollar (\$150.00) DNA analysis fee, and attorney's fees for legal representation by the Washoe County Public Defender's Office in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) to the Clerk of the Second Judicial District Court. Any fine, fee administrative assessment or restitution imposed today (as reflected in this Judgment) constitutes a lien, as defined in Nevada Revised Statute NRS 176.275. Should the Defendant not pay these fines, fees, or assessments, collection efforts may be undertaken against him.

COURT RENDERED JUDGMENT as follows in CR21-0102: The Defendant, having entered a plea of guilty, and no sufficient cause being shown by Defendant as to why judgment should not be pronounced against him, the Court rendered judgment as follows: Brandon Allen Best is guilty of the crime of Child Abuse, a violation of NRS 200.508, a category B felony, as charged in the Information, and that he be punished by imprisonment in the Nevada Department of Corrections for a minimum term of twelve (12) months to a maximum term of forty-eight (48) months to be served concurrently with the sentence imposed in case number CR20-3438A, with two hundred fourteen (214) days credit for time served. The Defendant is further ordered to pay a Three Dollar (\$3.00) administrative assessment for obtaining a biological specimen and conducting a genetic marker analysis, a Twenty-Five Dollar (\$25.00) administrative assessment fee to the Clerk of the Second Judicial District Court. Any fine, fee administrative assessment or restitution imposed today (as reflected in this Judgment) constitutes a lien, as defined in Nevada Revised Statute NRS 176.275. Should the Defendant not pay these fines, fees, or assessments, collection efforts may be undertaken against him.

COURT RENDERED JUDGMENT as follows in CR21-0995: The Defendant, having entered a plea of guilty, and no sufficient cause being shown by Defendant as to why judgment should not be pronounced against him, the Court rendered judgment as follows: Brandon Allen Best is guilty of the crime Robbery with the Use of a Deadly Weapon, a violation of NRS 200.380, NRS 193.165, and NRS 195.020, a category B

felony, as charged in the Information, and that he be punished by imprisonment in the Nevada Department of Corrections for a minimum term of seventy two (72) months to a maximum term of one hundred eighty (180) months to be served consecutively to the sentence imposed in case number CR20-3438A, but concurrently with the sentence imposed in case number CR21-0102, and that the Court having specifically considered the information required by NRS 193.165 (1) (a) through (e) that Brandon Allen Best be punished by imprisonment in the Nevada Department of Corrections with a consecutive term of a minimum term of twenty four (24) months to a maximum term of sixty (60) months for the deadly weapon enhancement. The Defendant is given zero (0) days credit for time served. It is ordered that the aggregate sentence imposed is a minimum of ninety-six (96) months to a maximum of two hundred forty (240) months. The Defendant is ordered to pay restitution in the amount of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) to VC2279848 and Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to VC2108500. All monetary payments, money and property collected from the Defendant shall be first applied to pay the amount ordered as restitution to the Victim(s). The Defendant is further ordered to pay a Three Dollar (\$3.00) administrative assessment for obtaining a biological specimen and conducting a genetic marker analysis, and a Twenty-Five Dollar (\$25.00) administrative assessment fee to the Clerk of the Second Judicial District Court. Any fine, fee administrative assessment or restitution imposed today (as reflected in this Judgment) constitutes a lien, as defined in Nevada Revised Statute NRS 176.275. Should the Defendant not pay these fines, fees, or assessments, collection efforts may be undertaken against him. Defendant remanded to the custody of the Sheriff.

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

STATE OF NEVADA,

Plaintiff,

Case No. CR20-3438A

vs.

Dept. No. 8

BRANDON ALLEN BEST,

Defendant.

CERTIFICATE OF CLERK AND TRANSMITTAL – NOTICE OF APPEAL

I certify that I am an employee of the Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, County of Washoe; that on the 10th day of September, 2021, I electronically filed the Notice of Appeal in the above entitled matter to the Nevada Supreme Court.

I further certify that the transmitted record is a true and correct copy of the original pleadings on file with the Second Judicial District Court.

Dated this 10th day of September, 2021.

Alicia Lerud, Interim
Clerk of the Court
By /s/Y.Viloria
Y.Viloria
Deputy Clerk