IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Docket No. 44100

STATE OF IDAHO,) 2016 Unpublished Opinion No. 792
Plaintiff-Respondent,) Filed: November 29, 2016
v.) Stephen W. Kenyon, Clerk
JOEL JODYLEE McDONALD JR.,)) THIS IS AN UNPUBLISHED) OPINION AND SHALL NOT
Defendant-Appellant.) BE CITED AS AUTHORITY

Appeal from the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District, State of Idaho, Bonneville County. Hon. Bruce L. Pickett, District Judge.

Judgment of conviction and unified sentence of five years, with a minimum period of confinement of two years, for fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer, <u>affirmed</u>.

Eric D. Fredericksen, State Appellate Public Defender; Elizabeth Ann Allred, Deputy Appellate Public Defender, Boise, for appellant.

Hon. Lawrence G. Wasden, Attorney General; Lori A. Fleming, Deputy Attorney General, Boise, for respondent.

Before MELANSON, Chief Judge; GRATTON, Judge; and HUSKEY, Judge

PER CURIAM

Joel Jodylee McDonald, Jr. pled guilty to fleeing or attempting to elude a peace officer. Idaho Code § 49-1404(1)(2)(a)(b)(c). The district court sentenced McDonald to a unified term of five years with two years determinate to run consecutive to sentences in two unrelated cases. McDonald appeals asserting that the district court abused its discretion by imposing an excessive sentence.

Sentencing is a matter for the trial court's discretion. Both our standard of review and the factors to be considered in evaluating the reasonableness of the sentence are well established and

need not be repeated here. *See State v. Hernandez*, 121 Idaho 114, 117-18, 822 P.2d 1011, 1014-15 (Ct. App. 1991); *State v. Lopez*, 106 Idaho 447, 449-51, 680 P.2d 869, 871-73 (Ct. App. 1984); *State v. Toohill*, 103 Idaho 565, 568, 650 P.2d 707, 710 (Ct. App. 1982). When reviewing the length of a sentence, we consider the defendant's entire sentence. *State v. Oliver*, 144 Idaho 722, 726, 170 P.3d 387, 391 (2007). Applying these standards, and having reviewed the record in this case, we cannot say that the district court abused its discretion.

Therefore, McDonald's judgment of conviction and sentence are affirmed.