

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF APPEALS

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v

NATHANIEL DAVIS,

Defendant-Appellant.

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October 18, 1996

No. 189241
LC No. 95-051999-FC

Before: J.H. Gillis, P.J., and G.S. Allen and J.B. Sullivan, JJ.*

MEMORANDUM.

Defendant pleaded guilty to voluntary manslaughter, MCL 750.321; MSA 28.553, and habitual offender, third offense, MCL 769.11; MSA 28.1083. He was sentenced to seventeen to thirty years' imprisonment, and now appeals as of right. We affirm. This case has been decided without oral argument pursuant to MCR 7.214(E)(1)(b).

Defendant's sentence does not violate the principle of proportionality considering his extensive criminal history and the seriousness of the offense, which involved the fatal stabbing of his brother. *People v Milbourn*, 435 Mich 630; 461 NW2d 1 (1990).

Affirmed.

/s/ John H. Gillis
/s/ Glenn S. Allen, Jr.
/s/ Joseph B. Sullivan

*Former Court of Appeals judges, sitting on the Court of Appeals by assignment pursuant to Administrative Order 1996-3.