

IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT

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**COURT OF APPEAL – SECOND DIST.**

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THE PEOPLE,

Plaintiff and Respondent,

v.

CEDRIC C. WESTBROOK,

Defendant and Appellant.

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(Super. Ct. No. A647746)  
Los Angeles County

ORDER

THE COURT:

Cedric C. Westbrook was convicted by a jury of second degree murder with a finding that he used a firearm in the commission of the murder. On June 27, 1989, Westbrook was sentenced to a term of imprisonment 17 years to life. The judgment was affirmed in *People v. Westbrook* (Jan. 23, 1991, B045751) [nonpub. opn.].

On June 18, 2020, Westbrook filed an “independent equitable action for motion to set-aside the default” pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 473(b) [relief from judgment due to mistake, inadvertence, surprise, or excusable neglect in civil actions]. The motion contended that Westbrook should have received a sentence for manslaughter instead of second degree murder because the killing of the victim was unintentional.

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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA**

**En Banc**

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The petition for review is denied.

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*Chief Justice*

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