

STATE OF MAINE

v.

VICTOR J. LARA

Submitted on Briefs: May 12, 2006
Decided: May 18, 2006

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and CLIFFORD, DANA, CALKINS, LEVY, and
SILVER, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Victor J. Lara appeals from a judgment of conviction entered in the Superior Court (Kennebec County, *Mills, J.*) after a jury found him guilty of one count of aggravated trafficking in a scheduled drug (Class A), 17-A M.R.S. § 1105-A(1)(F)(1) (2005); two counts of unlawful trafficking in a scheduled drug (Class B), 17-A M.R.S. § 1103(1-A)(A) (2005); one count of criminal conspiracy (Class C), 17-A M.R.S. § 151(1)(C) (2005); one count of unlawful furnishing of a scheduled drug (Class C), 17-A M.R.S. § 1106(1-A)(A) (2005); and one count of unlawful possession of a scheduled drug (Class D), 17-A M.R.S. § 1107-A(1)(C)

(2005). Contrary to Lara's contentions, the evidence, when viewed in the light most favorable to the jury verdict, *see State v. Allen*, 2006 ME 20, ¶ 26, 892 A.2d 447, 455, was sufficient to support the verdict that Lara unlawfully furnished and possessed a scheduled drug. Additionally, the court did not commit obvious error when it did not, sua sponte, curatively instruct the jury to disregard the testimony of Jeffrey Damren following an objection by defense counsel. *See* M.R. Crim. P. 52(b); *State v. Berube*, 669 A.2d 170, 172 (Me. 1995); *State v. Hinds*, 485 A.2d 231, 236 (Me. 1984). Lara's remaining contentions are without merit.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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