

February 24, 2006

Charles R. Fulbruge III
Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 05-40417
Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

LUIS LEONEL VARGAS-ALARCON,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Southern District of Texas
USDC No. 1:00-CR-109-ALL

Before GARZA, DENNIS, and PRADO, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender has moved for leave to withdraw from representation of Luis Leonel Vargas-Alarcon and has filed a brief in accordance with Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Vargas-Alarcon has not responded to counsel's motion and brief. Our independent review of the record and counsel's brief shows that there are no nonfrivolous issues for appeal. Accordingly, the motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and this appeal is DISMISSED. See 5TH CIR. R. 42.2.

* Pursuant to 5TH CIR. R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR. R. 47.5.4.