

April 12, 2006

Charles R. Fulbruge III  
Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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No. 05-50571  
Conference Calendar

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

WILLIAM LANDY DOWELL,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Western District of Texas  
USDC No. 6:03-CR-254-5  
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Before JONES, Chief Judge, and JOLLY and DAVIS, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:\*

Counsel appointed to represent William Landy Dowell has requested leave to withdraw from this appeal and has filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Dowell has received a copy of counsel's motion and brief but has not filed a response. Our independent review of the brief and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal. Accordingly, the motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and the appeal is DISMISSED. See 5TH CIR. R. 42.2.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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