

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 99-20501
Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

VICTOR HERNANDEZ MUNIZ,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Southern District of Texas
USDC No. H-98-CR-418-2
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December 15, 1999

Before JOLLY, HIGGINBOTHAM, and BARKSDALE, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent Victor Hernandez Muniz has moved for leave to withdraw and filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Muniz has filed a pro se appeal brief in response to the instant motion. Our independent review of counsel's brief, Muniz's brief, and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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

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Accordingly, counsel's 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.