## IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 00-41406 Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

RALPH FLORES,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas

USDC No. 4:99-CR-18-4

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October 29, 2001

Before WIENER, BENAVIDES, and DENNIS, Circuit Judges.
PER CURIAM:\*

Counsel representing Ralph Flores has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief as required by Anders v.

California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Flores 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. Accordingly, counsel's motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and the APPEAL IS DISMISSED.

 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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.