IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 01-40281 c/w No. 01-40326 Summary Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff - Appellee

v.

JOSÉ PABLO HERNANDEZ-ZAPATA

Defendant - Appellant

Appeals from the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas USDC No. M-00-CR-507-1 USDC No. M-99-CR-171-1

November 30, 2001

Before KING, Chief Judge, and HIGGINBOTHAM and BENAVIDES, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent José
Pablo Hernandez-Zapata has requested leave to withdraw and has
filed a brief as required by <u>Anders v. California</u>, 386 U.S. 738
(1967). Hernandez-Zapata has not responded to the motion. Our
independent review of the brief and the record discloses no
nonfrivolous issue for appeal. Counsel's motion for leave to
withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further
responsibilities, and the appeal is DISMISSED.

MOTION GRANTED; APPEAL DISMISSED.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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