

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

No. 16-51127
Summary Calendar

United States Court of Appeals
Fifth Circuit

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Lyle W. Cayce
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee

v.

FIDEL MENDEZ-HERNANDEZ, also known as Fidel Mendez Hernandez,

Defendant-Appellant

Cons. w/ No. 16-51129

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee

v.

FIDEL MENDEZ-HERNANDEZ, also known as Miguel Mendez Hernandez,

Defendant-Appellant

Appeals from the United States District Court
for the Western District of Texas
USDC No. 1:16-CR-134-1
USDC No. 1:13-CR-179-1

No. 16-51127
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Before JONES, WIENER, and CLEMENT, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent Fidel Mendez-Hernandez has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief in accordance with *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), and *United States v. Flores*, 632 F.3d 229 (5th Cir. 2011). Mendez-Hernandez has filed a response. The record is not sufficiently developed to allow us to make a fair evaluation of Mendez-Hernandez's claims of ineffective assistance of counsel; we therefore decline to consider the claims without prejudice to collateral review. *See United States v. Isgar*, 739 F.3d 829, 841 (5th Cir. 2014).

We have reviewed counsel's brief and the relevant portions of the record reflected therein, as well as Mendez-Hernandez's response. We concur with counsel's assessment that the appeals present no nonfrivolous issue for appellate review. Accordingly, the motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and the APPEALS ARE 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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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.