

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 99-40830
Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JESSE WADE HALE,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Eastern District of Texas
USDC No. 6:97-CR-42-3

August 24, 2000

Before KING, Chief Judge, and POLITZ and WIENER, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The court-appointed counsel for Jesse Wade Hale has moved for leave to withdraw and filed a motion and brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Hale has not filed a response to the instant motion. Our independent review of the motion, brief, and record discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal. 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.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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