IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 00-40638 Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

ROY MOLINA, also known as José Roel Molina,

Defendant-Appellant.

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

USDC No. C-96-CR-46-2

December 14, 2000

Before DAVIS, STEWART, and PARKER, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

Counsel for Roy Molina, the Federal Public Defender, has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Molina has filed a response. Our independent review of the brief, the response, and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal. See id. Accordingly, counsel's motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and the APPEAL IS DISMISSED. 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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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.