## United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

No. 23-50617 Summary Calendar United States Court of Appeals Fifth Circuit

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United States of America,

Plaintiff—Appellee,

versus

RENE SANTES-CORTEZ,

Defendant—Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas USDC No. 2:21-CR-1686-1

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Before Graves, Willett, and Wilson, *Circuit Judges*.

Per Curiam:\*

The attorney appointed to represent Rene Santes-Cortez 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). Santes-Cortez has not filed a response. We have reviewed counsel's brief and the relevant portions of the record reflected therein. We

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concur with counsel's assessment that the appeal presents no nonfrivolous issue for appellate review. 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.