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No. 25-30023
Summary Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff—Appellee,

versus

GERNELL HANKTON,

Defendant—Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Eastern District of Louisiana
USDC No. 2:21-CR-89-1

Before HIGGINBOTHAM, ENGELHARDT, and RAMIREZ, *Circuit Judges.*

PER CURIAM: *

The attorney appointed to represent Gernell Hankton 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). Hankton has not filed a response. We have reviewed counsel's brief and the relevant portions of the record reflected therein. We concur with counsel's

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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.