

United States Court of Appeals
for the Fifth Circuit

No. 25-40362
Summary Calendar

United States Court of Appeals
Fifth Circuit

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff—Appellee,

versus

CHRISTIAN CHRISTOPHER RODRIGUEZ-LOPEZ,

Defendant—Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Southern District of Texas
USDC No. 7:24-CR-622-1

Before STEWART, GRAVES, and OLDHAM, *Circuit Judges.*

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent Christian Christopher Rodriguez-Lopez 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). Rodriguez-Lopez has not filed a response. We have reviewed counsel's brief and the relevant

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portions of the record reflected therein. It is dispositive that the Government has declined to waive the untimeliness of the appeal. *See United States v. Pesina-Rodriguez*, 825 F.3d 787, 788 (5th Cir. 2016). 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.*