

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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No. 00-20186  
Summary Calendar

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

EDUARDO GONZALEZ-RAMIREZ,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Southern District of Texas  
USDC No. H-99-CR-543-1  
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November 20, 2000

Before SMITH, BENAVIDES, and DENNIS, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:\*

Court-appointed counsel for Eduardo Gonzalez-Ramirez has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Gonzalez-Ramirez did not file a response to counsel's motion to withdraw. Our independent review of counsel's brief and the record discloses no nonfrivolous appellate issue. 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.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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