

October 22, 2003

Charles R. Fulbruge III
Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 03-30424
Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JEWELL VAUGHN, III,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Western District of Louisiana
USDC No. 02-CR-10019-ALL

Before KING, Chief Judge, and JOLLY and STEWART, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent Jewell Vaughn, III, on direct appeal has filed a motion to withdraw and a brief pursuant to Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738, 744 (1967). Vaughn has not filed a response. Our independent review of the brief and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issue in this direct appeal. Accordingly, the motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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

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responsibilities herein, and the APPEAL IS DISMISSED.

See 5TH CIR. R. 42.2.