

February 18, 2004

Charles R. Fulbruge III
Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 03-30582
Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

CHARLES JOHNSON,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Eastern District of Louisiana
USDC No. 02-CR-289-1-A
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Before HIGGINBOTHAM, EMILIO M. GARZA, and PRADO, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent Charles Johnson has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Johnson was advised of the motion and served with a copy of counsel's brief, but has not filed a response to the motion. Our independent review of the brief and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal. Counsel's 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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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.

responsibilities in this case, and the appeal is DISMISSED. See
5TH CIR. R. 42.2.