

June 22, 2005

Charles R. Fulbruge III
Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 04-30917
Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

SILTON ARDOIN,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Western District of Louisiana
USDC No. 6:04-CR-60027-2-RTH

Before WIENER, BENAVIDES, and DENNIS, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender, counsel for Silton Ardoin, has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Ardoin has filed a response. Our independent review of the brief, the response, 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 responsibilities herein, and Ardoin's APPEAL IS DISMISSED. See 5TH CIR. R. 42.2.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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