

February 24, 2006

Charles R. Fulbruge III  
Clerk

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

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No. 04-40055  
Conference Calendar

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JOHN ERIC MACIAS,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Southern District of Texas  
USDC No. 5:96-CR-19-1  
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Before GARZA, DENNIS, and PRADO, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:\*

Counsel representing John Eric Macias has requested leave to withdraw and has filed a brief as required by Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Macias has not filed a response to the motion. Our independent review of the brief and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issues for appeal. Counsel's motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities, 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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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.