

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 97-40661
Summary Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

ROY LEE PIERCE,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Eastern District of Texas
USDC No. 6:88-CR-2-4
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February 17, 1998

Before JOLLY, BENAVIDES, and PARKER, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

Roy Lee Pierce, a federal prisoner (#02143-078) appeals the district court's denial of his motion to reduce sentence pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(1)(B). Pierce was convicted of conspiracy to distribute cocaine and possession of cocaine with intent to distribute, in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 846 and 841(a)(1). Pierce argues that he is entitled to a reduction of his sentence based on a clarifying amendment to the sentencing guidelines. We have reviewed the record and the briefs of the parties and affirm for

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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

essentially the reasons adopted by the district court. United States v. Pierce, No. 6:88-CR-2-4 (E.D. Tex. May 21, 1997).

AFFIRMED.