IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT	U.S. COURT OF APPEALS
No. 08-11232 Non-Argument Calendar	ELEVENTH CIRCUIT September 17, 2008 THOMAS K. KAHN CLERK
D. C. Docket No. 04-00001-CR-7-H	IL
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	
	Plaintiff-Appellee,
versus	
JOHN PETTIFORD,	
	Defendant-Appellant.
Appeal from the United States District of Georgia	
(September 17, 2008)	
Before ANDERSON, HULL and PRYOR, Circuit Judges.	
PER CURIAM:	
Elizabeth R. Francisco, appointed counsel for John P	ettiford, has filed a

motion to withdraw on appeal supported by a brief prepared pursuant to <u>Anders v.</u>

<u>California</u>, 386 U.S. 738, 87 S.Ct. 1396, 18 L.Ed.2d 493 (1967). Our independent review of the entire record reveals that counsel's assessment of the relative merit of the appeal is correct. Because independent examination of the entire record reveals no issues of arguable merit, counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED** and Pettiford's conviction and sentence are **AFFIRMED**.