IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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D. C. Docket No. 99-00204-CR-T-17-7	GW
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	
	Plaintiff-Appellee,
versus	
FRANK MERCER, JR.,	
a.k.a. Cedrick, a.k.a. Ced the Head,	
	Defendant-Appellant.
Appeal from the United States District	Court
for the Middle District of Florida	
(June 4, 2009)	
Before DUBINA, Chief Judge, TJOFLAT and HILL, Circuit Judges.	
PER CURIAM:	

James W. Smith, III, appointed counsel for Frank Mercer, Jr., has filed a motion to withdraw on appeal supported by a brief prepared pursuant to <u>Anders v. 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 arguable issues of merit, counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and the district court's reduction of Mercer's sentence, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2), is **AFFIRMED**.