IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

| FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT | | ELEVENTH CIRCUIT |
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| | No. 08-14999 Non-Argument Calendar | JUNE 10, 2009 THOMAS K. KAHN CLERK |
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| UNITED STATES OF AMI | ERICA, | |
| | | Plaintiff-Appellee, |
| | versus | |
| BENJAMIN S. FOSTER, | | |
| | | Defendant-Appellant. |
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| | From the United States District of Alabama | |
| | (June 10, 2009) | |
| Before BIRCH, HULL and l | KRAVITCH, Circuit Judges. | |
| PER CURIAM: | | |
| John Carlton Taylor | annointed counsel for Benjamir | Shane Foster in this |

direct criminal appeal, has moved to withdraw from further representation of the appellant and filed a brief prepared pursuant to <u>Anders v. California</u>, 386 U.S. 738, 87 S. Ct. 1396, 18 L. Ed. 2d 493 (1967). Because independent examination of the entire record reveals no arguable issues of merit, counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and Foster's conviction and sentence are **AFFIRMED**.