United States Court of Appeals Fifth Circuit

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No. 03-60527 Conference Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

WILLIE LEE JOHNSON,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi USDC No. 3:00-CR-105-1-LN

Before KING, WIENER, and OWEN, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

The Federal Public Defender, counsel for Willie Lee Johnson, has moved for leave to withdraw from this appeal and has filed a brief as required by <u>Anders v. California</u>, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Johnson has not filed a response. Our independent review of the brief and the record discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal. Accordingly, counsel's motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and the APPEAL IS DISMISSED. <u>See</u> 5TH CIR. R. 42.2.

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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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