IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT United States Court of Appeals Fifth Circuit

FILED April 20, 2010

No. 09-10682 Conference Calendar

Lyle W. Cayce Clerk

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee

v.

MICHAEL NELSON,

Defendant-Appellant

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas USDC No. 3:08-CR-272-1

Before SMITH, PRADO, and HAYNES, Circuit Judges. PER CURIAM:^{*}

The Federal Public Defender appointed to represent Michael Nelson has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief in accordance with *Anders v*. *California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Nelson has not filed a response. Our independent review of the record and counsel's brief 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. *See* 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 R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR.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.