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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

No. 05-12689
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

HUMBERTO ALVAREZ,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Middle District of Florida

(February 13, 2006)

Before BLACK, BARKETT and HULL, Circuit Judges

PER CURIAM:

Joseph R. Johnson, appointed counsel for Humberto Alvarez in this direct

criminal appeal, has moved to withdraw from further representation of the appellant and filed a brief pursuant to Anders v. California, 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 Alvarez's conviction and sentence is **AFFIRMED**.