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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

No. 16-13210
Non-Argument Calendar

D.C. Docket No. 6:15-cr-00227-GAP-GJK-1

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JAMES CARL DORON WILLIAMS,

Defendant-Appellant.

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

(April 19, 2017)

Before HULL, WILSON and ANDERSON, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:

Aaron Baghdadi, appointed counsel for James Williams 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 (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 Williams's conviction and sentence are **AFFIRMED**. Because we have concluded that no arguable issues of merit exist, Williams's motions for appointment of new counsel and relief under Fed. R. App. P. 31 are **DENIED** as moot.