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## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

## FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

GUALFREDO GOMEZ-GARCIA, AKA Gualfredo Gomez,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 11-10377

D.C. No. 2:11-cr-00718-JAT-1

MEMORANDUM\*

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Arizona

James A. Teilborg, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted April 17, 2012\*\*

Before: LEAVY, PAEZ, and BEA, Circuit Judges.

Gualfredo Gomez-Garcia appeals his conviction by guilty plea and sentence for re-entry of a removed alien in violation of 8 U.S.C. § 1326(a).

<sup>\*</sup> This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The panel unanimously concludes this case is suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

Our independent review of the record pursuant to *Penson v. Ohio*, 488 U.S. 75, 80-81 (1988), discloses no arguable grounds for relief on direct appeal. We dismiss in light of the valid appeal waiver. *See United States v. Nguyen*, 235 F.3d 1179, 1182 (9th Cir. 2000).

Counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED** 

DISMISSED.

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