NOT FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

MARCO ANTONIO HURTADO-BOTELLO,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 15-50043

D.C. No. 3:14-cr-02481-LAB

MEMORANDUM*

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern District of California Larry A. Burns, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted October 14, 2015**

Before: SILVERMAN, BYBEE, and WATFORD, Circuit Judges. .

Marco Antonio Hurtado-Botello appeals from the district court's judgment

and challenges the 30-month sentence imposed following his guilty-plea

conviction for being a removed alien found in the United States, in violation of 8

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

^{**} The panel unanimously concludes this case is suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

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MOLLY C. DWYER, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS U.S.C. § 1326. Pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), Hurtado-Botello's counsel has filed a brief stating that there are no grounds for relief, along with a motion to withdraw as counsel of record. Hurtado-Botello has filed a pro se supplemental brief. No answering brief has been filed.

Our independent review of the record pursuant to *Penson v. Ohio*, 488 U.S. 75, 80 (1988), discloses no arguable grounds for relief on direct appeal.

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

AFFIRMED.