NOT FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

JUAN RIVAS-AGUILAR, AKA Juan Rivas,

Petitioner,

v.

JEFFERSON B. SESSIONS III, Attorney General,

Respondent.

No. 16-70526

Agency No. A094-942-115

MEMORANDUM*

On Petition for Review of an Order of the Board of Immigration Appeals

Submitted September 12, 2018**

Before: LEAVY, HAWKINS, and TALLMAN, Circuit Judges.

Juan Rivas-Aguilar, a native and citizen of Mexico, petitions for review of

the Board of Immigration Appeals' ("BIA") order dismissing his appeal from an

immigration judge's ("IJ") removal order. We have jurisdiction under 8 U.S.C.

§ 1252. We deny the petition for review.

** 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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^{*} This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by Ninth Circuit Rule 36-3.

Rivas-Aguilar establishes no error in the agency's administrative closure determination, where the BIA denied based on the factors applicable at the time of its decision, and he did not request administrative closure before the IJ. *See Gonzalez-Caraveo v. Sessions*, 882 F.3d 885, 891 (9th Cir. 2018).

PETITION FOR REVIEW DENIED.