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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

No. 18-35134

Plaintiff-Appellee,

D.C. Nos. 3:16-cv-01246-BR

3:10-cr-00487-BR-1

v.

STANLEY NOEL AMES,

MEMORANDUM*

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the District of Oregon
Anna J. Brown, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted October 15, 2019**

Before: FARRIS, LEAVY, and RAWLINSON, Circuit Judges.

Stanley Noel Ames appeals from the district court's order denying his 28 U.S.C. § 2255 motion to vacate. We have jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 2253, and we affirm.

Ames contends that his armed bank robbery conviction under 18 U.S.C.

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

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

§ 2113(a), (d) does not qualify as a predicate crime of violence under 18 U.S.C.

§ 924(c). This argument is foreclosed. *See United States v. Watson*, 881 F.3d 782 (9th Cir.), *cert. denied*, 139 S. Ct. 203 (2018).

Ames next contends that he is entitled to relief under *Dean v. United States*, 137 S. Ct. 1170 (2017). This contention also fails. Contrary to Ames's contention, *Dean* did not announce a substantive rule that applies retroactively to cases on collateral review. *See Garcia v. United States*, 923 F.3d 1242, 1245-46 (9th Cir. 2019). The district court correctly concluded that *Dean* does not satisfy section 2255(f)(3) and that this claim is therefore untimely. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2255(f)(1).

Appellee's motion for summary affirmance is denied as moot.

AFFIRMED.