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## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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MOLLY C. DWYER, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

### FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

v.

GERARDO FARIAS-CONTRERAS, AKA Tomas Gomez,

Defendant-Appellant.

No. 21-30055

D.C. No. 2:19-cr-00111-WFN-17 Eastern District of Washington, Spokane

#### **ORDER**

# MURGUIA, Chief Judge:

Upon the vote of a majority of nonrecused active judges, it is ordered that this case be reheard en banc pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 35(a) and Circuit Rule 35-3. The three-judge panel opinion is vacated.

Judge Mendoza did not participate in the deliberations or vote in this case.