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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ALEJANDRO CHAVEZ-GUIZAR,)	No. CV-F-05-1514 OWW
)	(No. CR-F-05-060 OWW
)	
)	MEMORANDUM DECISION AND
Petitioner,)	ORDER DENYING PETITIONER'S
)	MOTION TO VACATE, SET ASIDE
vs.)	OR CORRECT SENTENCE PURSUANT
)	TO 28 U.S.C. § 2255 AND
)	DIRECTING CLERK OF COURT TO
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	ENTER JUDGMENT FOR
)	RESPONDENT AND CLOSE THIS
)	CASE
Respondent.)	
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On November 28, 2005, Petitioner Alejandro Chavez-Guizar timely filed a motion to vacate, set aside or correct sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255.

Petitioner was charged with being a deported alien found in the United States, a felony, in violation of 8 U.S.C. § 1326. Petitioner pleaded guilty pursuant to a written Plea Agreement. Pursuant to the Plea Agreement, Petitioner waived his right to appeal his conviction and sentence and waived his right "to

1 attack collaterally his mental competence, and his plea, or his
2 sentence, including but not limited to, filing a motion under 28
3 U.S.C. § 2255" Petitioner was sentenced on April 25, 2005
4 to 18 months incarceration and 36 months supervised release.
5 Petitioner did not file a Notice of Appeal.

6 Petitioner's Section 2255 motion does not state any grounds
7 or facts from which it may be inferred that his guilty plea was
8 not knowing or voluntary or the result of ineffective assistance
9 of counsel or that his conviction or sentence were unlawful or
10 unconstitutional. Attached to Petitioner's motion is a request
11 that the Court reduce Petitioner's sentence so that he may rejoin
12 his family and move them with him to Mexico. Petitioner's motion
13 asserts that Petitioner "would like to see my sentence reduced at
14 your discretion."

15 28 U.S.C. § 2255(a) allows a federal prisoner to bring a
16 Section 2255 motion if Petitioner claims "the right to be
17 released upon the ground that th sentence was imposed in
18 violation of the Constitution or the laws of the United States,
19 or that the court was without jurisdiction to impose such
20 sentence, or that the sentence was in excess of the maximum
21 authorized by law, or is otherwise subject to collateral attack."
22 Petitioner makes no claims within the ambit of Section 2255(a)
23 and waived his right to collaterally attack his conviction and
24 sentence in the written Plea Agreement.

25 For the reasons stated:

26 1. Petitioner Alejandro Chavez-Guizar's motion to vacate,

1 set aside or correct sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 is
2 DENIED;

3 2. The Clerk of the Court is directed to enter JUDGMENT FOR
4 RESPONDENT and to close this case.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 Dated: February 17, 2009

/s/ Oliver W. Wanger
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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