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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

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No. 07-15852  
Non-Argument Calendar

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D. C. Docket No. 07-00043-CR-FTM-29-SPC

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JORGE LUIS TAPANES,

Defendant-Appellant.

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Appeal from the United States District Court  
for the Middle District of Florida

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(February 27, 2009)

Before DUBINA, BLACK and BARKETT, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:

Mark G. Rodriguez, appointed counsel for Jorge Tapanes, has filed a motion

to withdraw on appeal, supported by a brief prepared pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738, 87 S.Ct. 1396, 18 L.Ed.2d 493 (1967). Our independent review of the entire record reveals that counsel's assessment of the relative merit of the appeal is correct. Because independent review of the entire record reveals no arguably meritorious issues, counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and Tapanes's conviction and sentence are **AFFIRMED**.