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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

No. 08-14593
Non-Argument Calendar

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D. C. Docket No. 07-00060-CR-FTM-29-DNF

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

TOMAS RIVERA,

Defendant-Appellant.

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

(January 5, 2010)

Before DUBINA, Chief Judge, BIRCH and FAY, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:

Robert C. Hill, appointed counsel for Tomas Rivera in this direct criminal

appeal, has moved to withdraw from further representation of the appellant and filed a brief 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 examination of the entire record reveals no arguable issues of merit, counsel's renewed motion to withdraw is **GRANTED** and Rivera's conviction and sentence are **AFFIRMED**.