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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCU		_ ELEVENTH CIRCUIT
	No. 09-13239 Non-Argument Calendar	FEB 19, 2010 JOHN LEY CLERK
D.C. Docket No. 08-00315-CR-WTM-4		
UNITED STATES OF AM	IERICA,	
		Plaintiff-Appellee,
versus		
JERNARD AKINS, a.k.a. Nardy, a.k.a. Genard Akins,		
		Defendant-Appellant.
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Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern District of Georgia		
	(February 19, 2010)	
Before CARNES, WILSON and FAY, Circuit Judges		
PER CURIAM:		

John D. Harvey, appointed counsel for Jernard Akins 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 motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and Akins's convictions and sentences are **AFFIRMED**.