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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

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No. 09-16256  
Non-Argument Calendar

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D. C. Docket No. 08-00071-CR-HL-5

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

FRANCISCO EQUIHUA CERVANTES,

Defendant-Appellant.

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

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(May 13, 2010)

Before BARKETT, MARTIN and ANDERSON, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:

John R. Francisco, appointed counsel for Francisco Equihua Cervantes 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 Cervantes's convictions and sentences are **AFFIRMED**.