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FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff-Appellee, v. ISAIAS GALAN-CORTES, AKA Isaias Cortez, AKA Isaias Galan Cortes, Defendant-Appellant.	No. 21-10293 D.C. No. 4:21-cr-00856-CKJ-LAB-1 MEMORANDUM[*]

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the District of Arizona
Cindy K. Jorgenson, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted April 11, 2022[**]

Before: McKEOWN, CHRISTEN, and BRESS, Circuit Judges.

Isaias Galan-Cortes appeals from the district court's judgment and challenges his guilty-plea conviction and 21-month sentence for reentry of a removed alien, in violation of 8 U.S.C. § 1326. Pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), Galan-Cortes's counsel has filed a brief stating that there are

[*] This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by Ninth Circuit Rule 36-3.

[**] The panel unanimously concludes this case is suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

no grounds for relief, along with a motion to withdraw as counsel of record. We have provided Galan-Cortes the opportunity to file a pro se supplemental brief. No pro se supplemental brief or answering brief has been filed.

Our independent review of the record pursuant to *Penson v. Ohio*, 488 U.S. 75, 80 (1988), discloses no arguable grounds for relief on direct appeal.

Counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED.**

AFFIRMED.