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ORDER

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

v.

ZACHARIAH CUTSINGER,

Defendant and Appellant.


Counsel for the Appellant Zachariah Cutsinger filed a motion and brief asking to be allowed to withdraw from this appeal on grounds that counsel has been unable to find any nonfrivolous issues to raise on appeal, pursuant to § 46-8-103(2), MCA, and *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738, 87 S. Ct. 1396 (1967). Cutsinger was granted time to file a response, but no response was filed.

The Court has now independently examined the record pursuant to § 46-8-103(2), MCA, and *Anders*. We conclude there are no arguments with potential legal merit that could be raised on direct appeal in this case.

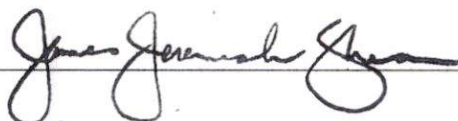
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this appeal is DISMISSED.

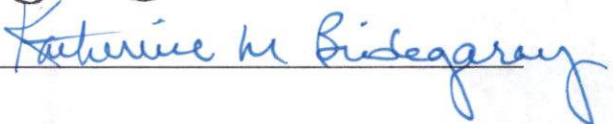
The Clerk is directed to provide copies of this Order to all counsel of record and to Cutsinger personally.

DATED this 9th day of June, 2026.



Chief Justice





James McPherson

Pete Brown

Angela Smith

John Rice

Justices