

**IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**FIRST APPELLATE DISTRICT**

**DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_**

**PEOPLE OF THE STATE  
OF CALIFORNIA,**

Plaintiff and Respondent,

v.

\_\_\_\_\_,

Defendant and Appellant.

A \_\_\_\_\_

(\_\_\_\_\_ County  
Superior Court No. \_\_\_\_\_)

**BRIEF SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF APPELLANT**

**UNDER *People v. Wende* (1979) 25 Cal.3d 436**

Appeal from the Judgment of the Superior Court  
of the State of California for the County of \_\_\_\_\_

THE HONORABLE \_\_\_\_\_, JUDGE

[Attorney's name, bar number,  
address and telephone number]

Attorney for Appellant  
By court-appointment through the  
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When counsel files a brief which sets forth a summary of the

proceedings and facts with citations to the transcript, but raises no specific issues, the Court of Appeal must conduct a review of the entire record to determine whether the record reveals any issues which would, if resolved favorably to the appellant, result in reversal or modification of the judgment. (*People v. Wende* (1979) 25 Cal.3d 436, 441-442; *Anders v. California* (1967) 386 U.S. 738, 744.)

In accordance with *Wende* and *Anders* and the attached declaration of appellate counsel, appellant requests this court to conduct an independent review of the entire appellate record.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
[Attorney's signature]  
Attorney for Appellant

**DECLARATION**

1. I am an active member of the California State Bar, and I have been appointed counsel on appeal for appellant by this court.
2. I have thoroughly reviewed the entire record on appeal in this case.
3. Based upon my review of this case, I have determined that a brief pursuant to *People v. Wende* (1979) 25 Cal.3d 436 and *Anders v. California* (1967) 386 U.S. 738 is appropriate.
4. I have written to appellant and advised him that a *Wende/Anders* brief would be filed in this case.
5. I have advised appellant that he may personally file a supplemental brief in this case raising any issues which he wishes to call to the court's attention within 30 days.
6. Though I have informed appellant that he may request the court to relieve me as counsel in this case, I remain available for any further briefing this court may request.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at San Francisco, California.

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[attorney's signature]

**CERTIFICATION OF WORD COUNT**  
**(Cal. Rules of Ct., rule 8.360(b))**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, appellate counsel of record for \_\_\_\_\_ in  
this matter, do hereby certify that according to \_\_\_\_\_, the word  
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DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
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