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You are hereby notified that the Court has entered the following opinion and order:

2025AP1565-CRNM	State of Wisconsin v. Darenz D. Haynes (L.C. # 2019CF5544)
2025AP1566-CRNM	State of Wisconsin v. Darenz D. Haynes (L.C. # 2020CF3537)
2025AP1567-CRNM	State of Wisconsin v. Darenz Deshawn Haynes (L.C. # 2021CF2964)
2025AP1568-CRNM	State of Wisconsin v. Darenz Deshawn Haynes (L.C. # 2022CF833)

Before Colón, P.J., Geenen, and Petrashek, JJ.

Summary disposition orders may not be cited in any court of this state as precedent or authority, except for the limited purposes specified in WIS. STAT. RULE 809.23(3).

Darenz D. Haynes appeals four judgments convicting him of multiple crimes in these consolidated appeals. Appellate counsel, Jill Skwor, filed a no-merit report pursuant to ***Anders v.***

California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), and WIS. STAT. RULE 809.32 (2023-24).[1] Haynes received a copy of the report, was advised of his right to file a response, and has not responded. We have independently reviewed the record and the no-merit report as mandated by ***Anders***. We conclude that there are no issues of arguable merit that could be pursued on appeal. We therefore summarily affirm. *See* WIS. STAT. RULE 809.21.

The State charged Haynes with numerous crimes across four separate criminal complaints. Ultimately, Haynes pled guilty to one count of fleeing or eluding an officer, four counts of felony bail jumping, and two counts of possession of a firearm by an adjudicated delinquent. The circuit court imposed a global sentence of 14 years and 3 months.

Appellate counsel's no-merit report addresses three issues: (1) whether defense counsel had a conflict which should have required him to recuse himself from representing Haynes after discovering that the victim in one of the dismissed cases was counsel's second cousin; (2) whether Haynes knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily entered his guilty pleas; and (3) whether the circuit court properly exercised its sentencing discretion.

Upon reviewing the record, we agree with appellate counsel's analysis and conclusion that there is no arguable merit to any of these issues. The no-merit report sets forth an adequate discussion of the potential issues to support the no-merit conclusion, and we need not address them further. Our independent review of the record discloses no other potential issue for appeal.

Therefore,

[1] All references to the Wisconsin Statutes are to the 2023-24 version.

IT IS ORDERED that the judgments are summarily affirmed. *See* WIS. STAT. RULE 809.21.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Attorney Jill Skwor is relieved of further representation of Darenz D. Haynes in this matter. *See* WIS. STAT. RULE 809.32(3).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this summary disposition order will not be published.

Samuel A. Christensen
Clerk of Court of Appeals