IN THE COURT OF APPEALS FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO

STATE OF OHIO :

Plaintiff-Appellee : C.A. CASE NO. 21564

v. : T.C. NO. 2005 CR 3618

WILLIAM J. STONEBREAKER : (Criminal Appeal from

Common Pleas Court)

Defendant-Appellant :

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OPINION

Rendered on the <u>30th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 2007.

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WOLFF, P.J.

- {¶ 1} William Stonebreaker entered a plea of no contest to escape, a second degree felony, and was sentenced to an agreed upon six-year sentence.
- $\{\P 2\}$ Stonebreaker appealed and counsel was appointed to prosecute the appeal. On December 1, 2006, appointed appellate counsel filed an *Anders* brief pursuant to *Anders v*. *California* 386 U.S. 738 (1967), wherein he represented that after review of the record, he was

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unable to locate any arguably meritorious issues for our review.

 $\{\P 3\}$ By magistrate's order filed December 12, 2006, we informed Stonebreaker that his

appointed appellate counsel had filed an Anders brief, and we further informed Stonebreaker of the

significance of an Anders brief. In that magistrate's order, we invited Stonebreaker to provide us

with pro se assignments of error within sixty days from December 12, 2006. As of the rendition of

this opinion and judgment, Stonebreaker has filed nothing with this court.

 $\{\P 4\}$ Pursuant to Anders, we have conducted a thorough review of the entire record and,

having done so, we agree with the assessment of appointed appellate counsel that there are no

arguably meritorious issues for appellate review and, accordingly, we will affirm the judgment from

which this appeal was taken.

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GRADY, J. and DONOVAN, J., concur.

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