## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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## FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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MOLLY C. DWYER, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

RAUL GARDEA, Jr.,

Petitioner-Appellant,

v.

RAYMOND MADDEN, Warden,

Respondent-Appellee.

No. 22-55069

D.C. No. 2:20-cv-03749-FLA-MRW Central District of California, Los Angeles

**ORDER** 

Before:

CANBY and SUNG, Circuit Judges.

The request for a certificate of appealability (Docket Entry No. 3) is denied because appellant has not made a "substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right." 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2); see also Miller-El v. Cockrell, 537 U.S. 322, 327 (2003).

Any pending motions are denied as moot.

DENIED.