## **United States Court of Appeals**

FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 03-5096

September Term, 2003

03cv00671

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[784169]

Frank Porter, Jr.,

Appellant

V.

United States of America, et al., Appellees

## APPEAL FROM THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

**BEFORE**: Ginsburg, Chief Judge, and Sentelle and Garland, Circuit Judges

## JUDGMENT

This appeal was considered on the record from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia and on the brief filed by appellant. It is

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the district court's final judgment filed March 12, 2003, dismissing appellant's petition for a writ of habeas corpus without prejudice, be affirmed. The district court correctly determined that appellant's claim should have been made via a 28 U.S.C. § 2255 motion filed in the sentencing court. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2255.

Pursuant to D.C. Circuit Rule 36, this disposition will not be published. The Clerk is directed to withhold issuance of the mandate herein until seven days after resolution of any timely petition for rehearing or petition for rehearing en banc. <u>See</u> Fed. R. App. P. 41(b); D.C. Cir. Rule 41.

## Per Curiam