Commonwealth v. A Juvenile

SJC-13800

Whether, in cases where a juvenile has been adjudicated a youthful offender and has been sentenced pursuant to G. L. c. 119, § 58 par. 3 (b), to a combination of commitment to the Department of Youth Services until age 21 with a sentence to a house of correction or state prison suspended pending successful completion of probation, a judge subsequently imposing the suspended adult portion of the sentence after a probation violation has the authority to apply credit from time spent in secure confinement during the DYS commitment portion of the sentence.