

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

SUFFOLK, SS.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT  
FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY  
No. SJ-2020-0347

Bristol Superior Court  
No. 1973CR00216

**COMMONWEALTH**

**v.**

**CAMERON LOUGEE**

**RESERVATION AND REPORT**

This matter came before the Court, Cypher, J., on a petition for relief under G. L. c. 211, § 3, filed by the Commonwealth, which seeks relief from an order of a Superior Court judge, dated May 6, 2020, allowing Cameron Lougee's motion for release from his detention pursuant to G. L. c. 276, § 58A, and scheduling a bail hearing for May 15, 2020.<sup>1</sup> The judge ruled that this court's standing order of May 4, 2020 does not toll or extend the defendant's detention period under § 58A. In its petition, the Commonwealth argues that this was an error of law and that delays occasioned by our standing order are to be excluded from the § 58A detention period. Lougee has filed an opposition.

Upon consideration of the parties' submissions, it is hereby ORDERED that:

1. The Commonwealth's request for relief from the judge's order of May 6, 2020 is denied to the extent that the bail hearing shall go forward as scheduled on May 15, 2020; and

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<sup>1</sup> The defendant was indicted for forcible rape of a child and other offenses. In September 2019, after a dangerous hearing pursuant to G. L. c. 276, § 58A, the defendant was detained without bail for a period not to exceed 180 days.

2. The Commonwealth's petition is hereby reserved and reported to the full court for determination. The record comprises the following:

- a. All the papers filed in No. SJ-20-347, Commonwealth vs. Cameron Lougee;
- b. This reservation and report; and
- c. The docket sheet in No. SJ-20-347.

The parties shall prepare and file a statement of agreed facts in the full court.

The clerk of the county court shall assemble the record and transmit it to the full court forthwith.

Oral argument shall take place in June, 2020, or at such time as the full court may direct. The parties shall confer with the clerk as to a briefing schedule. This case shall be considered along with No. SJ-20-348, Commonwealth vs. Shamus Horton, which I reserved and reported today.

By the Court, (Cypher, J.)

/s/ Maura S. Doyle  
Clerk

Dated: May 14, 2020