

10-680 HOWES V. FIELDS

DECISION BELOW: 617 F.3d 813

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 09-1215

QUESTION PRESENTED:

Whether this Court's clearly established precedent under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 holds that a prisoner is always "in custody" for purposes of *Miranda* any time that prisoner is isolated from the general prison population and questioned about conduct occurring outside the prison regardless of the surrounding circumstances.

CERT. GRANTED 1/24/2011