

SUMMARY STATEMENT

State v. Juarez, Docket No. 42476

In an appeal from a decision of the Ada County district court acting in its appellate capacity, the Supreme Court reversed the decision of the district court. The magistrate court dismissed the State's motion for contempt against Juarez on the grounds that it lost jurisdiction over Juarez under the Juvenile Corrections Act (JCA) on his twenty-first birthday and conviction of a felony according to Idaho Code section 20-507. The district court affirmed the dismissal. On appeal, the Supreme Court unanimously held that the magistrate court had jurisdiction over Juarez for the purposes of the contempt motion because the jurisdiction to hear the contempt motion did not fall under the JCA.