

17-5554 STOKELING V. UNITED STATES

DECISION BELOW: 684 Fed.Appx. 870

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 16-12951

QUESTION PRESENTED:

Is a state robbery offense that includes "as an element" the common law requirement of overcoming "victim resistance" categorically a "violent felony" under the only remaining definition of that term in the Armed Career Criminal Act, 18 U.S.C. § 924(e)(2)(B)(i)(an offense that "has as an element the use, attempted use, or threatened use of physical force against the person of another"), if the offense has been specifically interpreted by state appellate courts to require only slight force to overcome resistance?

CERT. GRANTED 4/2/2018