# HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA

**COURT NO. 1**  
**Parkes Place, Canberra**

THURSDAY, 10 OCTOBER 2024

AT 10:00 AM AEDT

BEFORE THE FULL COURT

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| PART HEARD | |  |
|  | PEARSON | COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA  & ORS |
|  | D J Hooke SC  J D Donnelly  M G S Crowley | C L Lenehan SC  Z C Heger SC  M P A Maynard  (for the first and second defendants)  Submitting appearance  (for the third defendant)  **Interveners**  **C S Bydder SC**  (Solicitor-General for the  State of Western Australia)  **S A Smith**  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General for the  State of Western Australia)  **F J Nagorcka**  **K J E Blore**  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General of the  State of Queensland)  **L S Peattie**  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General for the  Northern Territory) |

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|  | JZQQ | MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION, CITIZENSHIP AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS & ANOR |
|  | B W Walker SC  E M Nekvapil SC  J R Murphy | C L Lenehan SC  Z C Heger SC  M P A Maynard  (for the first respondent)  Submitting appearance  (for the second respondent) |
|  | TAPIKI | MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION, CITIZENSHIP AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS |
|  | D J Hooke SC  M G S Crowley  J R Murphy | C L Lenehan SC  Z C Heger SC  M P A Maynard  Interveners (in both appeals)  C L Lenehan SC  Z C Heger SC  M P A Maynard  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General of the  Commonwealth of Australia)  C S Bydder SC  (Solicitor-General for the  State of Western Australia)  S A Smith  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General for the  State of Western Australia)  F J Nagorcka  K J E Blore  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General of the  State of Queensland)  L S Peattie  (appearing on behalf of the  Attorney-General for the  Northern Territory) |

Carolyn Rogers

Senior Registrar