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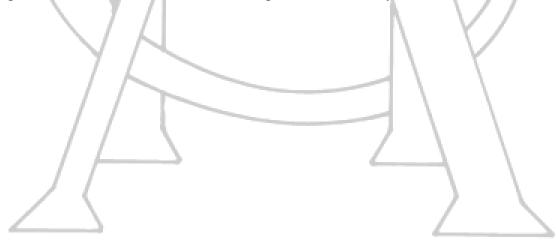
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# IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA SYDNEY REGISTRY

#### **BETWEEN:**

John Ruddick Plaintiff

and

Commonwealth of Australia Defendant

### PLAINTIFF'S CHRONOLOGY

#### PART I: CERTIFICATION

1. This chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the internet.

#### PART II: CHRONOLOGY

- 3 September 2021 The Electoral Legislation Amendment (Party Registration Integrity) Bill 2021 (Cth), which contains the impugned provisions, enters into force (SC[109]).
- 3. **27 October 2021** The plaintiff initiates proceedings in the High Court of Australia, by filing an amended Writ (SCB at 13).
- 9 November 2021 The Federal Director of the Liberal Party objects to the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC), pursuant to the now amended s 134A of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918* (Cth) (objection), to the continued entry of the name of the plaintiff's party on the AEC's register of political parties (SC[115]).
- 5. **23 November 2021** The plaintiff's party receives notification of the upholding by the AEC of the objection (SC[115]), forcing it to change its name or be deregistered.

**30** Date: 4 January 2022

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