# IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA SYDNEY REGISTRY

No. S296 of 2013

### **BETWEEN:**

PETER VERSI Applicant

and

THE QUEEN Respondent

# APPLICANT'S CHRONOLOGY

### Part I: Suitability for publication

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### Part II: List of principal events

No.	Date	Event	Reference
1.	27 Aug 1965	SD1 born.	CCA [95]
2.	1970	SD1's parents separate.	CCA [95]
3.	29 Jan 1974	Complainant born.	CCA [48]
4.	Jan 1975	SD1's mother and applicant marry.	CCA [95]
5.	1975	Complainant's brother Nicholas born.	CCA [61]
6.	1979	Alleged abuse of SD1 by applicant, admitted into evidence as coincidence evidence for count 2.	CCA [95]
7.	Oct 1979	Complainant's parents separate.	CCA [82]
8.	Jul 1980	SD1's mother and applicant separate.	CCA [96]
9.	Oct 1981	Applicant and complainant's mother marry.	CCA [82]
10.	1982	Alleged abuse of complainant by applicant when complainant was 8 years old (count 1).	CCA [49]
11.	Nov 1985	Applicant and complainant's mother have twins.	CCA [83]
12.	Dec 1985 / 1986	Alleged abuse of complainant by applicant when complainant was 11-12 years old (count 2).	CCA [52]-[54

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No.	Date	Event	Reference
13.	1986	Alleged abuse of complainant by applicant when complainant was 12 years old (count 3).	CCA [55]
14.	1986	Alleged abuse of complainant by applicant when complainant was 12 years old (count 4).	CCA [56]
15.	1986 / 1987	Complainant tells her friend Pip Smith about the conduct alleged in counts 3 and 4.	CCA [62]
16.	1986 / 1988	Complainant tells her brother Nicholas about the conduct alleged in count 2.	CCA [61]
17.	1988-1989	Building works at applicant's and complainant's mother's house, said by the complainant to have preceded the conduct alleged in counts 3 and 4.	CCA [59]
18.	1988 / 1989	Complainant tells Dr Margeson-Towndrow about the conduct alleged in counts 2-4.	CCA [64], [88]
19.	1988 / 1989	Complainant recants to Dr Margeson-Towndrow ("It didn't happen"), although says forced to do so, which was denied by her mother and the applicant.	CCA [66], [89], [102]
20.	1990	Counselling with Ms Alexander involving the complainant, complainant's mother and applicant. Complainant's mother says complainant denied being touched inappropriately ("Nothing like that") and everything resolved.	CCA [90], [103]
21.	1991	Complainant finishes school and goes to university.	CCA [90]
22.	1993-1994	Complainant leaves home, returns home, moves out again following an argument with her mother.	CCA [71], [91]
23.	21 Oct 1994	Complainant sees Dr Fronzek (née Phelps), who refers her to see Ms Alexander.	CCA [72], [75]
24.	26 Oct 1994, 25 Nov 1994	Complainant and complainant's mother see Ms Alexander.	CCA [76], [77]
25.	2 Dec 1994	Complainant's mother and applicant see Ms Alexander.	CCA [78]
26.	5 Aug 1995	Complainant tells her brother Nicholas about the conduct alleged in counts 3 and 4.	CCA [61]
27.	1999	Family holiday, including the complainant, complainant's mother and applicant, to Italy.	CCA [80]
28.	2001 ( <i>approx</i> )	Complainant asks applicant to walk her down the aisle at her wedding. Complainant says she felt obligated; complainant's mother says complainant insisted on it.	CCA [80], [93]

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No.	Date	Event	Reference
29.	Aug 2002	Complainant gives birth to a daughter. Invites complainant's mother to see her (complainant's version); invites complainant's mother and the applicant to see her (mother's version).	CCA [80], [93]
30.	17 Mar 2008	Complainant gives witness statement.	
31.	Apr / May 2010	SD1 alleges to her mother that the applicant made improper advances to her but SD1's "response was to just laugh at him".	
32.	10 Aug 2010	SD1 gives witness statement, alleges conduct admitted as coincidence evidence for count 2.	
33.	14 Jun 2011	SD1's mother gives witness statement.	
34.	3 Jun 2011	Indictment, counts 1-4.	
35.	Aug 2011	District Court hearing (Taylor DCJ and a jury).	
36.	31 Aug 2011	District Court summing up and verdict of guilty on counts 2 and 3.	
37.	29 Mar 2012	District Court sentence.	
38.	16 Aug 2013	Court of Criminal Appeal hearing (Basten JA, Adams and Latham JJ).	
39.	14 Nov 2013	Court of Criminal Appeal dismisses applicant's appeal.	
40.	11 Apr 2014	High Court (Kiefel and Keane JJ) refer applicant's special leave application into a Full Bench.	

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