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IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
SYDNEY REGISTRY

BETWEEN:

EGH19

Plaintiff

and

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Defendant

PLAINTIFF'S CHRONOLOGY

Part I: This chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the internet.

Part II:


Date	Event	Reference
27 June 1989	The Plaintiff was born in Papua New Guinea	SCB 43 [2]
30 June 2000	The Plaintiff first arrived in Australia as a dependent on his father's Student (Subclass 560) visa	SCB 43 [3]
14 March 2002	The Plaintiff left Australia with his family.	SCB 44 [4]
6 April 2004	The Plaintiff returned to Australia as a dependent on his father's Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector (Subclass 576) visa.	SCB 44 [5]
10 November 2006	The Plaintiff was convicted of one count of murder and sentenced to imprisonment for 22 years with a non-parole period of 15.5 years.	SCB 44 [6]
8 November 2013	The Plaintiff's appeal against his sentence	SCB 44 [9]

	was allowed, his sentence quashed and a sentence of 17.5 years with a non-parole period of 12.5 years imposed.	
21 December 2017	The Plaintiff applied for a Protection (Subclass 866) visa.	SCB 44 [11]
7 January 2018	The Plaintiff was released from prison on parole but taken into immigration detention.	SCB 44 [12]
February 2018 – May 2022	The Plaintiff's application for a protection visa was refused on four separate occasions, but each refusal decision was set aside following either merits review or judicial review.	SCB 44-45 [13]-[21]
26 October 2022	A delegate of the Minister for Home Affairs decided to grant the Plaintiff a protection visa and, in making that decision, made a protection finding for the Plaintiff with respect to Papua New Guinea (within the meaning of s 197C of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> (Cth) (Act)). The Plaintiff was released from immigration detention.	SCB 45 [22]
6-8 May 2023	The Plaintiff committed domestic violence offences against his partner and her father.	SCB 45 [23]
6 July 2023	A final ADVO was made against the Plaintiff for the protection of his partner by the Local Court of New South Wales.	SCB 46 [26]
22 February 2024	The Plaintiff was arrested in Rockhampton and extradited to New South Wales.	SCB 46 [29]
23 February 2024	The Plaintiff appeared before the Local	SCB 46 [29]

	Court of New South Wales in relation to the domestic violence offences. He was refused bail and taken into custody.	
2 April 2024	The Plaintiff appeared before the Local Court of New South Wales in relation to the offence against his partner's father, entered a plea of guilty to that offence and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment. The Court also made a final ADVO against the Plaintiff for the protection of the Plaintiff's partner's father	SCB 47 [30]
20 May 2024	The Plaintiff's protection visa was cancelled by a delegate of the Minister for Home Affairs pursuant to s 501(3A) of the Act.	SCB 47 [31]
3 July 2024	The Plaintiff appeared before the Local Court of New South Wales in relation to the offences against his partner, entered pleas of guilty to those offences and was sentenced to an aggregate term of 18 months' imprisonment.	SCB 47 [34]
22 December 2024	The Plaintiff was released from prison under a statutory parole order. The Plaintiff was taken into immigration detention.	SCB 48 [36]
1 April 2025	A delegate of the Minister for Immigration, Citizenship and Multicultural Affairs decided to grant the Plaintiff a Bridging R (Subclass 070) visa (Visa) under reg 2.25AB(2) of the <i>Migration Regulations 1994</i> (Cth). The Visa was subject to conditions including conditions 8620 and	SCB 48 [37]

	8621. The Plaintiff was released from immigration detention.	
8 September 2025	The Plaintiff's Visa remains subject to the conditions imposed at the time of grant, including conditions 8620 and 8621. The Plaintiff's sentence for the 6-8 May 2023 offences, including parole, expired on 22 August 2025.	SCB 47 [34]

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