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IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
MELBOURNE REGISTRY

BETWEEN:

White Australia Party Inc.
First Plaintiff

Thomas Anthony Sewell
Second Plaintiff

and

The Commonwealth of Australia
First Defendant

**Attorney-General of
the Commonwealth**
Second Defendant

ORDER

JUSTICE: Chief Justice Gageler

DATE GIVEN: 4 June 2026

INITIATING PROCESS: Interlocutory application filed 18 May 2026

APPEARANCES: P.E. King with M.S. Sharify
Counsel for the plaintiffs

B.K. Lim SC with J.G. Wherrett and N.A. Wootton
Counsel for the defendants

THE COURT ORDERS THAT:

1. The interlocutory application filed on 18 May 2026 is dismissed.
2. The costs of the application are costs in the cause.

DATE AUTHENTICATED: 4 June 2026



This order was prepared in the Registry.