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IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
ADELAIDE REGISTRY

5 BETWEEN: **SADAM HUSSEIN ISSAK**
Appellant

and

10 **THE KING**
First Respondent

BEDHANE TARIKA BEKELE
Second Respondent

15 **BESUFIKAD HAILE**
Third Respondent

THIRD RESPONDENT'S SUBMISSIONS

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Part I: CERTIFICATION

1. These submissions are suitable for publication on the internet.

Part II: CONCISE STATEMENT OF THE ISSUES

- 25 2. The third respondent accepts that the issues raised upon this appeal are as stated in the appellant's submissions at [2]-[5].

Part III: SECTION 78B NOTICE

- 30 3. The third respondent has considered whether notice should be given pursuant to s 78B of the *Judiciary Act 1903* (Cth). No such notice is required.

Parts IV and V: FACTS AND ARGUMENT

4. The issues raised by the appellant in this appeal are not materially different from those which are raised by the third respondent in his appeal¹ and consequently does not seek to respond on this appeal.

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Part VI: TIME

5. The third respondent does not consider that it will be necessary to make oral submissions in response on this appeal.

10 Dated 27 August 2026



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