



HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA

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Form 27B – Appellant’s chronology

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
 SYDNEY REGISTRY

BETWEEN:

Adrian Hilary Barber
 Appellant

and

The King
 Respondent

APPELLANT’S CHRONOLOGY

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

Part II: Chronology

DATE	EVENT	REFERENCE
14 December 2022	Count 1 and Count 2 allegation date	CAB 5
14 December 2022	Police stop and search the Appellant’s vehicle, locating prohibited drugs (count 1)	CAB 12-13, 18-19, 48
14 December 2022	The Appellant is arrested	CAB 18-19, 47
14 December 2022	Police conduct a search of the Appellant’s residence, locating prohibited drugs and prohibited weapons (count 1 and count 2)	CAB 12-13, 18-19, 48-49
16 October 2023	Judge alone trial commences at Wollongong District Court before his Honour Judge Baker SC	CAB 8
19 October 2023	Judge Baker SC returns a verdict of guilty to Count 1 and not guilty to Count 2	CAB 44

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1 March 2024	Judge Baker SC presides over sentence proceedings	
26 April 2024	Judge Baker SC convicts and sentences the Appellant to 5 years and 7 months with a non-parole period of 3 years and 7 months	CAB 62
18 June 2025	The New South Wales Court of Criminal Appeal hears the Appellant's appeal against conviction	CAB 69
7 November 2025	The New South Wales Court of Criminal Appeal dismisses the Appellant's appeal against conviction	CAB 88-89
13 July 2026	The Appellant is released on parole	
6 August 2026	The High Court grants special leave to appeal from the decision of the Court of Criminal Appeal of New South Wales	CAB 93
19 August 2026	The Appellant files a notice of appeal	CAB 94-96

Dated 24 September 2026



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