

# HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA

GLEESON J

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IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION BY  
MOHAMMAD MABOOD FOR LEAVE TO ISSUE  
OR FILE

[2024] HCASJ 26  
*Date of Judgment: 21 June 2024*  
P23 of 2024

## ORDER

- The application filed 31 May 2024 for leave to issue or file a Form 20 writ of summons dated 1 May 2024 is refused.*

## Representation

The applicant is unrepresented



1 GLEESON J. On 30 May 2024, the applicant sought leave to file a writ of  
summons dated 1 May 2024, which names the Attorney-General and the  
Governor-General of the Commonwealth as defendants. On 6 May 2024, Gordon J  
made a direction pursuant to r 6.07.2 of the *High Court Rules 2004* (Cth) to the  
Registrar to refuse to issue or file the writ of summons dated 1 May 2024 without  
the leave of a Justice first had and obtained by the applicant. The application is  
supported by an affidavit affirmed by the applicant on 30 May 2024.

2 In the proposed writ of summons, the applicant seeks relief in the form of  
\$86,682,000 in damages. This Court's original jurisdiction does not extend to  
granting the relief sought by the applicant.

3 In the absence of jurisdiction, leave to file the proposed writ of summons  
should be refused without listing the application for a hearing. Accordingly, the  
application filed 31 May 2024 for leave to issue or file a Form 20 writ of summons  
dated 1 May 2024 is refused.