

*LAHOUD*  
v  
*WILLOUGHBY CITY COUNCIL ABN 47974826099 & ANOR*  
[2024] HCASL 287  
S98/2024

- 1       The applicant seeks special leave to appeal from a judgment of the Court of Appeal of the Supreme Court of New South Wales (Meagher and Leeming JJA, Preston CJ of LEC), dismissing an appeal against a decision of the Land and Environment Court of New South Wales (Moore J) but upholding the second respondent's notice of contention and setting aside a proportional costs order against the applicant.
- 2       The application does not give rise to any question of general importance. Further, the proposed appeal lacks sufficient prospects of success to warrant a grant of special leave to appeal.
- 3       Special leave to appeal is refused with costs.

Gageler CJ  
Gordon J  
Edelman J  
Steward J  
Gleeson J  
Jagot J  
Beech-Jones J

7 November 2024