

FERDINANDS
v
REGISTRAR BURNS
[2025] HCADisp 180
A15/2025

- 1 The applicant requires an extension of time within which to seek special leave to appeal from part of the judgment of the Full Court of the Federal Court of Australia (Cheeseman, Goodman and McEvoy JJ) that made an order pursuant to s 37AO(2)(b) of the *Federal Court of Australia Act 1976* (Cth) that Mr Ferdinands be prohibited from instituting proceedings in the Federal Court without leave.
- 2 The Full Court's order was entirely warranted and the proposed appeal would enjoy no prospects of success. It is therefore futile to grant the extension of time that is sought.
- 3 Special leave to appeal is refused.

Edelman J
Gleeson J

4 September 2025