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The applicant requires an extension of time within which to seek special leave to appeal from a judgment of the Federal Court of Australia (Button J) of 4 April 2025, which dismissed an appeal against the judgment of the Federal Circuit and Family Court of Australia (Division 2) ("the FCFCoA") (Judge J Young) of 23 May 2024, which, in turn, dismissed the applicant's applications for discovery and for review of a decision of a Judicial Registrar of the FCFCoA made on 28 September 2023 that sequestered the applicant's estate under s 52 of the *Bankruptcy Act 1966* (Cth) and dismissed the applicant's application for an extension of time and a stay or adjournment of the proceedings.

The application for special leave to appeal has no prospects of success. It is not in the interests of the administration of justice, either generally or in this case, for special leave to appeal to be granted. It would therefore be futile to grant the extension of time that is sought.

Special leave to appeal is refused.

Gordon J Beech-Jones J

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4 September 2025