

MEALE
v
THE KING
[2025] HCADisp 259
B19/2025

- 1 The applicant seeks special leave to appeal from the whole of the judgment of the Court of Appeal of the Supreme Court of Queensland (Mullins P, Brown JA and Wilson J agreeing) which dismissed the applicant's appeal against his conviction for murder following a trial before Bradley J and a jury in the Supreme Court of Queensland.
- 2 The Court of Appeal considered and determined the applicant's grounds of appeal and provided adequate reasons in doing so. The proposed appeal is not a suitable vehicle for examining the proper application of the principles stated in *Edwards v The Queen* (1993) 178 CLR 193.
- 3 Special leave to appeal is refused.

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

6 November 2025