

COBBY
v
THE KING
[2026] HCADisp 8
B30/2025

- 1 The applicant requires an extension of time within which to seek special leave to appeal from the whole of the judgment of the Court of Appeal of the Supreme Court of Queensland (Mullins P, Flanagan JA and Bradley J agreeing), which dismissed the applicant's appeal against conviction following a trial by jury in the Supreme Court of Queensland before Callaghan J.
- 2 The application is an unsuitable vehicle to raise the question of principle it seeks to raise. There is otherwise no reason to doubt the correctness of the decision of the Court of Appeal. It would therefore be futile to grant the extension of time that is sought.
- 3 Special leave to appeal is refused.

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

5 February 2026