

*BALSIENE & ANOR*  
v  
*NEW SOUTH WALES LAND AND HOUSING CORPORATION & ANOR*  
[2026] HCADisp 111  
S31/2026

1       The applicants require 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 New South Wales (Ward P, Ball JA, Griffiths AJA) of 10 December 2025 which dismissed an application for judicial review of three interlocutory decisions of the District Court of New South Wales (Williams SC DCJ): a decision on 18 December 2024, refusing an application for an adjournment of the hearing of the applicants' joint notice of motion filed on 24 November 2023 seeking leave under s 18(2) of the *Crimes (Appeal and Review) Act 2001* (NSW) to adduce fresh and/or new evidence ("the November 2023 motion"); a decision on 18 December 2024 dismissing the November 2023 motion; and a decision on 14 March 2025 not to state a case to the New South Wales Court of Criminal Appeal pursuant to s 5B of the *Criminal Appeal Act 1912* (NSW).

2       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 accordingly be futile to grant the extension of time that is sought.

3       Special leave to appeal is refused.

Gordon J  
Beech-Jones J

7 May 2026