

CARDEN
v
CITY OF WANNEROO
[2026] HCADisp 188
P21/2026

- 1 The applicant requires an extension of time within which to seek special leave to appeal from a judgment of the Court of Appeal of the Supreme Court of Western Australia (Thompson P, Vaughan and Archer JJA), which dismissed the applicant's application for leave to appeal from a judgment of the Supreme Court of Western Australia (Cobby J), which in turn dismissed the applicant's appeal from a judgment of the Magistrates Court of Western Australia (Magistrate Harries) which refused to set aside the applicant's conviction in absentia by Magistrate Roberts of the Magistrates Court of Western Australia.
- 2 There is no reason to doubt the correctness of the decision of the Court of Appeal and an appeal from that decision has no prospects of success. It would therefore be futile to grant the extension of time that is sought.
- 3 Special leave to appeal is refused.

Edelman J
Gleeson J

10 September 2026