

MACLEAN
v
RICHMOND VALLEY COUNCIL ABN 54 145 907 009
[2026] HCADisp 223
S40/2026

- 1 The applicant applies for special leave to appeal from part of a judgment of the Court of Appeal of the Supreme Court of New South Wales (Ward P, McHugh and Free JJA), which granted leave to appeal but dismissed the appeal from orders of the District Court of New South Wales (Judge Montgomery) dismissing a claim in negligence against the respondent.
- 2 The application does not raise a question of law of public importance and there are insufficient prospects of success to be in the interests of the administration of justice, either generally or in the particular case, to require consideration by the High Court of the judgment to which the application relates.
- 3 Special leave to appeal is refused with costs.

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

10 September 2026