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v
NEOMETALS LTD ACN 009 116 631
[2026] HCADisp 252
P17/2026

1 The applicant seeks special leave to appeal from a judgment of the Full Court of the Federal Court of Australia (Snaden, Raper and Neskovcin JJ) which dismissed an appeal from a decision of the Federal Court of Australia (Feutrill J), which in turn dismissed an application for compensation and other relief under ss 1317AD and 1317AE of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

2 The proposed appeal is an unsuitable vehicle for consideration of the questions of interpretation of s 1317AD(1), including the particularly important question of interpretation of s 1317AD(1)(b). There is no good reason to depart from the usual order as to costs.

3 Special leave to appeal is refused with costs.

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

8 October 2026