



Federal Court of Australia

District Registry: New South Wales

Division: General

No: NSD464/2020

**IN THE MATTER OF VIRGIN AUSTRALIA HOLDINGS LTD
(ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 100 686 226 & ORS**

**VAUGHAN STRAWBRIDGE, SALVATORE ALGERI, JOHN GREIG AND
RICHARD HUGHES, IN THEIR CAPACITY AS JOINT AND SEVERAL
VOLUNTARY ADMINISTRATORS OF THE SECOND TO THIRTY-NINTH
PLAINTIFFS** and others named in the schedule
Plaintiff

ORDER

JUDGE: JUSTICE MIDDLETON

DATE OF ORDER: 15 May 2020

WHERE MADE: Melbourne

THE COURT NOTES THAT:

1. Section 17(1) of the *Federal Court of Australia Act 1976* (Cth) (the **Act**) requires that the jurisdiction of the Court be exercised in open court, but s 17(4) of the Act allows for the public to be excluded if the Court is satisfied that their presence would be contrary to the interests of justice.
2. The Court must balance the importance of this matter being heard and determined and open justice.
3. Justice requires this hearing to be conducted as soon as reasonably possible, and that it not be delayed indefinitely pending the end of the current viral pandemic.
4. The best practical arrangements in the circumstances of the pandemic have been put in place to allow interested members of the public or the press to observe or listen to the hearing. These arrangements are identified in paragraph 1 of the orders below.
5. It would be contrary to the interests of justice for the public to have access to the hearing other than in accordance with the arrangements identified in paragraph 1 of the orders below because the result of that would be to have the hearing deferred indefinitely.



THE COURT ORDERS THAT:

1. Pursuant to s 17(4) of the Act, the public be excluded from this hearing listed at 10.15am on 15 May 2020, other than by the following arrangements:
 - a. any member of the public is able to join the hearing via the Microsoft Teams platform by providing an email address to the Associate to Justice Middleton (associate.middletonj@fedcourt.gov.au) as stipulated in the Court notice of proceedings; and
 - b. any member of the public is able to listen to the hearing via the Microsoft Teams platform by dialling the number and ID allocated to the hearing (published on the Court list).
2. Members of the public (other than the media representatives) who attend the hearing via the methods in paragraph 1 of these orders, do so on the condition that they are:
 - a. permitted to observe or listen to the hearing but are in no circumstances permitted to participate in the hearing;
 - b. prohibited from making any recording or photographic record of the hearing, or any part thereof, by any means whatsoever; and
 - c. advised that any failure to observe the conditions in (a) and (b) may constitute a contempt of court and be punishable as such.

Date that entry is stamped: 15 May 2020

Sia Lagos
Registrar



Schedule

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Interested Person	DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION
Second Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA HOLDINGS LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 100 686 226
Second Interested Person	COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA
Third Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 155 859 608
Fourth Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 155 860 021
Fifth Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA INTERNATIONAL AIRLINES PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 125 580 823
Sixth Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA AIRLINES (SE ASIA) PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 097 892 389
Seventh Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA AIRLINES HOLDINGS PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 093 924 675
Eighth Plaintiff	VAH NEWCO NO.1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 160 881 345
Ninth Plaintiff	TIGER AIRWAYS AUSTRALIA PTY LIMITED (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 124 369 008
Tenth Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA AIRLINES PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 090 670 965
Eleventh Plaintiff	VA BORROWER 2019 NO. 1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 633 241 059
Twelfth Plaintiff	VA BORROWER 2019 NO. 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 637 371 343
Thirteenth Plaintiff	VIRGIN TECH PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 101 808 879



Fourteenth Plaintiff	SHORT HAUL 2018 NO. 1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 622 014 831
Fifteenth Plaintiff	SHORT HAUL 2017 NO. 1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 617 644 390
Sixteenth Plaintiff	SHORT HAUL 2017 NO. 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 617 644 443
Seventeenth Plaintiff	SHORT HAUL 2017 NO. 3 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 622 014 813
Eighteenth Plaintiff	VBNC5 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 119 691 502
Nineteenth Plaintiff	A.C.N. 098 904 262 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 098 904 262
Twentieth Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA REGIONAL AIRLINES PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 008 997 662
Twenty First Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA HOLIDAYS PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 118 552 159
Twenty Second Plaintiff	VB VENTURES PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 125 139 004
Twenty Third Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA CARGO PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 600 667 838
Twenty Fourth Plaintiff	VB LEASECO PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 134 268 741
Twenty Fifth Plaintiff	VA HOLD CO PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 165 507 157
Twenty Sixth Plaintiff	VA LEASE CO PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 165 507 291
Twenty Seventh Plaintiff	VIRGIN AUSTRALIA 2013-1 ISSUER CO PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 165 507 326
Twenty Eighth Plaintiff	737 2012 NO.1 PTY. LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 154 201 859
Twenty Ninth Plaintiff	737 2012 NO. 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED) ACN 154 225 064
Thirtieth Plaintiff	SHORT HAUL 2016 NO. 1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS



APPOINTED) ACN 612 766 328

Thirty First Plaintiff SHORT HAUL 2016 NO. 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 612 796 077

Thirty Second Plaintiff SHORT HAUL 2014 NO. 1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 600 809 612

Thirty Third Plaintiff SHORT HAUL 2014 NO. 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 600 878 199

Thirty Fourth Plaintiff VA REGIONAL LEASECO PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 127 491 605

Thirty Fifth Plaintiff VB 800 2009 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED)
ACN 135 488 934

Thirty Sixth Plaintiff VB LEASECO NO 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 142 533 319

Thirty Seventh Plaintiff VB LH 2008 NO. 1 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 134 280 354

Thirty Eighth Plaintiff VB LH 2008 NO. 2 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS
APPOINTED) ACN 134 288 805

Thirty Ninth Plaintiff VB PDP 2010-11 PTY LTD (ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED)
ACN 140 818 266