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(ACN 003 357 720) & ORS

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Interlocutory application

No. NSD689, 690 and 691 of 2023

Federal Court of Australia

District Registry: New South Wales Registry

Division: General

BEN ROBERTS-SMITH

Appellant

FAIRFAX MEDIA PUBLICATIONS PTY LTD (ACN 003 357 720) and others named in the Schedule

Respondents

To the Appellant

The Respondents apply for the interlocutory orders set out in this application.

The Court will hear this application, or make orders for the conduct of the proceeding, at the time and place stated below. If you or your lawyer do not attend, then the Court may make orders in your absence.

Time and date for hearing:

Place: Federal Court of Australia, Law Courts Building, 184 Phillip St, Queens Square, Sydney NSW 2000

Date:

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Interlocutory orders sought

- 1. Pursuant to rr 1.34 and 1.39 of the *Federal Court Rules 2011* (Cth) (**Rules**) abridge the time for service of this interlocutory application to 5 pm on 29 April 2025.
- 2. Pursuant to rr 1.21 and 1.32 of the Rules and, or in the alternative, the inherent jurisdiction of the Court, the Appellant's Amended Interlocutory Application dated 28 April 2025 be:
 - a. struck out; and, or alternatively,
 - b. removed from the court file.
- 3. Such further or other orders as the Court thinks fit.
- 4. Costs.

Service on the Appellant

It is intended to serve this application on the Appellant.

Date: 29 April 2025

Signed by Beverley Newbold Lawyer for the Respondents

Schedule

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Second Respondent:

Nick McKenzie

Third Respondent:

Chris Masters

Fourth Respondent:

David Wroe

Date: 29 April 2025