

Federal Court of Australia

District Registry: New South Wales

Division: General No: NSD957/2023

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Applicant

MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION, CITIZENSHIP AND MULTICULTURAL

AFFAIRS and another named in the schedule Respondent

ORDER

JUDGE: JUSTICE STEWART

DATE OF ORDER: 03 November 2023

WHERE MADE: Sydney

BY CONSENT, THE COURT ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The application be allowed.
- 2. A writ of certiorari issue be directed to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal quashing the decision of the Administrative Appeals Review Tribunal dated 29 August 2023 according to the law.
- 3. A writ of mandamus issue be directed to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal requiring it to determine the application made to it for review of the decision of a delegate of the first respondent dated 25 January 2021 according to the law.
- 4. The first respondent is to pay the costs of the applicant as agreed or taxed.

THE COURT NOTES THAT:

A. The first respondent accepts that the application must be allowed on the basis that the second respondent (**the Tribunal**) failed to comply with cl 8.3(1) of Ministerial Direction No. 99. The applicant advanced representations about the considerable emotional hardship his mother and siblings would face in the event of a non-revocation decision, and the practical hardship his mother would face in the event of non-revocation decision, and the Tribunal failed to consider those representations. The error was material and was therefore jurisdictional.



Date that entry is stamped: 03 November 2023

Sia Lagos
Registrar



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Second Respondent ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS TRIBUNAL