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IN THE MATTER OF THE COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY ACT 1950
COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY ORDER (No. 4) 2015
BARRETT ADOLESCENT CENTRE COMMISSION OF INQUIRY

BRISBANE

9.29 AM, WEDNESDAY, 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

DAY 1

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Mr Freeburn.

MR P. FREEBURN QC: Commissioner, Paul Freeburn, Queen's Counsel. I appear with Ms C. Muir of counsel as Counsel Assisting.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Ms Kefford.

MS N.J. KEFFORD: I am seeking to appear on behalf of the State of Queensland. My name is Kefford, initials N.J. I appear with Ms J. Crawford.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Ambrose.

MR P. AMBROSE QC: Commissioner, I seek leave to appear on behalf of West Moreton Hospital and Health Service and on behalf of West Moreton Hospital and Health Service Board. I'm instructed by Corrs Chambers Westgarth.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thanks, Mr Ambrose. Mr Diehm.

MR G.W. DIEHM QC: My name is Diehm, D-i-e-h-m, of Queen's Counsel. I appear – or seek leave to appear for Dr Anne Brennan, instructed by Avant Law.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Ms Mellifont.

MS K.A. MELLIFONT QC: Good morning, your Honour. Mellifont, initials K.A., of Queen's Counsel. I'm instructed by Clayton Utz, and I seek leave to appear for Metro South Hospital and Health Service.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Allen.

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MR J.J. ALLEN QC: Good morning, Commissioner. Allen, spelt A-l-l-e-n, initials J.J., Queen's Counsel. I seek leave to appear on behalf of Metro North Hospital and Health Service and the Metro North Hospital and Health Service Board.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Ms Rosengren.

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MS J.M. ROSENGREN: If it please the court, for the record it's R-o-s-e-n-g-r-e-n, initial J. I seek to leave to appear on behalf of Dr Trevor Sadler, and I'm instructed by K&L Gates Lawyers.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Duffy.

MR A. DUFFY: Thank you, your Honour. I appear for Dr William Kingswell, seeking leave to be appear in the Commission, to be represented. I'm instructed by Ashurst Australia.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Harper.

MR J.M. HARPER: Yes, your Honour. May it please the court, my name is Harper, initials J.M. I appear on behalf of Vanita Olliver, Nichole Pryde, and Justine Wilkinson, who will be seeking leave. I'm instructed by Shine Lawyers.

5 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr O'Regan.

MR O'REGAN: May it please the Commission, O'Regan, O-'-R-e-g-a-n. I seek leave to appear for Mr Lawrence Springborg. I'm instructed by McCullough Robertson.

10 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Ms Robb.

MS S.B. ROBB: Thank you, your Honour. My name is Sally Robb, R-o-b-b. I'm instructed by Roberts & Kane Solicitors, and seeking leave to appear on behalf of 15 registered nurses Kochardy, Beswick, MacLeod, Young, Richardson, and Yorke.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you.

MS ROBB: Thank you, your Honour.

20 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Ladies and gentlemen, under the *Commissions of Inquiry Act* 1950 the Governor in Council has appointed me to make full and careful inquiry in an open and independent manner into the decision to close the Barrett Adolescent Centre, which was announced by the then-Minister for Health on 6 25 August 2013. This includes the decision to cease the on-site integrated education program which was conducted at the Centre.

The Barrett Adolescent Centre provided intensive mental health services to young people with severe and complex mental illness.

30 Tragically, after it closed, three of the young people who had been under its care took their own lives. The Coroner has begun an inquest into their deaths.

This Commission of Inquiry's task is different from the Coroner's. This is an inquiry 35 into the decision to close the Centre and broader systemic issues.

The Terms of Reference set out the scope of the inquiry to be undertaken. I'm about to summarise those Terms of Reference, and I anticipate that Mr Freeburn will provide a fuller explanation of them in due course.

40 This Commission must investigate the grounds for the closure decision, and in doing so examine the information, material, advice, processes, considerations, and recommendations that related to or informed the decision and the decision-making process.

45 It must inquire into the arrangements that were made for transitioning patients of the Centre to alternative care arrangements, how care, support, service quality and safety risks were identified, assessed, planned for, managed, and implemented, and the adequacy of those arrangements.

It must inquire into the adequacy of the care, support, and services provided to those patients and their families, as well as the adequacy of the support provided to staff of the Centre in relation to the closure and the transitioning arrangements of the patients.

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Then this Commission must examine any alternative for the replacement of the Barrett Adolescent Centre that was considered and why it was not adopted, and any other alternatives that ought to have been considered.

10 It must examine whether there were any contraventions of the *Mental Health Act* 2000 or other Acts, regulations, or directives in relation to patient safety and confidentiality.

This Commission may make recommendations arising out of the evidence,

15 considerations, or findings of the Inquiry into any of these matters, including recommendations for clinically appropriate models of care for intensive mental health services to young people with severe and complex mental illness.

20 My appointment as Commissioner commenced two and a half weeks ago, on 14

September. I am to report to the Premier by 14 January 2016.

As foreshadowed in the *Commissions of Inquiry Act*, section 21, the Crown has appointed counsel to assist the Commission, Mr Paul Freeburn QC and Ms Catherine Muir. Other suitably-qualified people have been retained or seconded to the

25 Commission as legal officers, researchers, and administrative officers. The Commission will engage independent consultants as appropriate.

The Commission has established a website and called for information through notices in state-wide and regional newspapers, and on its website. Already, some

30 people have contacted the Commission, indicating their willingness to provide information and documents. Notices to produce documents relevant to the Terms of Reference have already been issued to various arms of the Queensland Government, Hospital and Health Services, organisations, and individuals. The Commission appreciates that compliance with these notices is onerous, and it realises that the

35 recipients of the notices and their legal representatives are working hard to produce the documents as soon as possible. A number of notices to provide specified information relevant to the Terms of Reference have been delivered, and more are in preparation. Some interviews have already been conducted, and some documents have already been supplied. The tempo and volume of evidence gathering are rising

40 daily.

The Commission anticipates public hearings, but before those public hearings can take place a careful and thorough analysis of the evidence will have to be undertaken to identify the issues to be canvassed and the witnesses to be called. At this stage, it

45 is anticipated that public hearings will commence on 16 November and continue for four weeks. I stress that this timetable is subject to confirmation. Information about hearing dates and the conduct of the public hearings will be posted on the Commission's website as soon as practicable.

I encourage any person who believes he or she has information that might assist the Commission in carrying out its work to contact the Commission's Executive Director, Mr Ashley Hill, whose contact details are on the Commission's website. It is not necessary to wait to receive a notice from the Commission.

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Persons providing information to the Commission are afforded protections by the *Commissions of Inquiry Act* and they may ask the Commission to treat what they convey as confidential.

10 There is great sensitivity, legitimate sensitivity, about many of the issues the Commission must address including:

- sensitivity because of the vulnerability of young people who suffer mental illness;
- sensitivity because of the challenges young people's mental illness can present to their families, friends and carers;
- sensitivity because of the varied demands their illness places on those engaged in their management whether they be medical practitioners, nurses, allied health workers, social workers, teachers, clerical workers or whoever; and
- sensitivity because of community attitudes and concerns.

I undertake to everyone associated with this Inquiry and to the community at large that the Commission will do all that it reasonably can to respect that sensitivity and to avoid compromising the welfare of young people with mental illness while being true to its charge to make full and careful inquiry in an open and independent manner with respect to its Terms of Reference.

The Commission has published procedural guidelines on its website which deal with many procedural aspects of its task, including the way in which requests for confidentiality should be made and how they will be determined. It has also developed a protocol for the handling of confidential materials that are provided to it.

The Commission has power to prohibit the publication of evidence. It has power to exclude the public or any portion of the public from any of its sittings if it considers it is in the public interest to do so for reasons connected with the subject matter of the Inquiry or the nature of the evidence to be given. In the interests of transparency public hearings will be live-streamed and transcripts will be made available on the website. But the Commission will exercise its discretion to ensure the live-streaming is switched off and transcripts are redacted as necessary to preserve the anonymity of patients or former patients of the Centre and as otherwise appropriate having regard to particular evidence. Similarly, whilst statements made and documents tendered will generally be made available for perusal on the Commission's website, this will not always be the case.

45 The State of Queensland and a number of Hospital and Health Services have made a joint written submission about confidentiality. It is not my intention to deal with that submission today. Rather, it will be set down for hearing on a date to be fixed in about a fortnight's time. Notice of the hearing date, venue, et cetera, will be posted on the Commission's website as soon as possible.

The Faculty of Child and Adult Psychiatry within the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists has also written to the Commission voicing concern about risks inherent in disclosure of some types of information about persons with mental illness. The College will be notified of the hearing I have just mentioned and given the opportunity to appear and make further submissions.

Any other person or corporate body wishing to appear on that day and make submissions about confidentiality should notify the Commission's Executive Director.

10 The Commission must inquire into the matters in its Terms of Reference. Its proceedings will be inquisitorial in nature, not adversarial. All witness will be called by Counsel Assisting but those given leave to appear can expect to have some rights to cross-examine witnesses. The nature and extent of the right to cross-examination
15 will vary according to the nature and extent of the person's interest in the matters in the Terms of Reference and the subject matter of a witness's evidence. No findings will be made against any individual or corporate body unless that individual or body has had an opportunity to be heard on matters which pose a potential risk of adverse findings.

20 The Commission recognises that the media has an important role to play in reporting on its work. Journalists and media organisations should be mindful of the sensitivity of issues that are likely to be addressed by the Commission. I respectfully remind them of the resources for reporting on mental illness and suicide that have been
25 developed by the Australian Government's *Mindframe* National Media Initiative.

Ladies and gentlemen, there will now be a brief adjournment. Then I will ask Senior Counsel Assisting the Commission, Mr Freeburn QC, to make a statement. After he has done so I will hear applications for leave to appear and/or for leave to be legally represented at the public hearings of the Commission.

30 Adjourn the proceeding.

35 **ADJOURNED** [9.47 am]

RESUMED [9.52 am]

40 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr Freeburn.

MR FREEBURN: Commissioner, it may be useful if I say something about this Commission's Terms of Reference. As you mentioned, the Terms of Reference are
45 available on the Commission's website. The Terms of Reference both define and confine the scope of this Inquiry.

The first subject matter of the Inquiry is the decision to close the Barrett Adolescent Centre and the bases – or in plain English, the reasons – for that decision. That part

of the Inquiry is to include the information, material, advice, processes, considerations and recommendations that related to or informed the closure decision. And the decision-making process related to the closure decision.

- 5 The second subject matter of the Inquiry – and this is not in any order in which they're stated – is whether any alternative for the replacement of the Barrett Adolescent Centre was considered and the bases or reasons for the alternatives not having been adopted. And an inquiry as to whether any other alternatives ought to have been considered.
- 10 The third subject matter of the Inquiry involves transition clients. That is, those Barrett Adolescent Centre patients transitioned into alternative care arrangements. Here the Inquiry is to consider five things. The first is how care, support, service quality and safety risks were identified, assessed, planned for, managed and
- 15 implemented before and after the actual close of the Barrett Adolescent Centre. The second is the adequacy of those transition arrangements. The third is the adequacy of the care support and services that were provided to transition clients and their families. The adequacy of support to BAC staff is the fourth thing. The fifth is the information, material, advice, processes, considerations and recommendations that
- 20 related to and informed the transition arrangements. And so the focus here will be on the planning for the transition and the implementation of the transition.
- The fourth subject matter of the Inquiry is whether any contraventions of the *Mental Health Act* 2000 or any other Act – Acts, regulations or directives occurred with
- 25 respect to patient safety and confidentiality.
- Fifth and finally, Commissioner, you can make recommendations arising out of the evidence, considerations and findings of the Inquiry as you consider appropriate. That can include clinically appropriate models of care for intensive mental health
- 30 services to young people with severe and complex mental illness. If any person has information relevant to those Terms of Reference, they should contact the Commission. As you mentioned, the details are on the website.
- The next matter I wish to cover is the procedures of this Inquiry. As you mentioned,
- 35 the procedures of the Commission are set out as practice guidelines, also on the website. Many potential witnesses have lawyers acting for them. In those cases where lawyers act for a potential witness, the Commission has issued or will shortly issue notices requiring those persons to provide, in effect, a witness statement.
- 40 Where the potential witness is not represented by lawyers, the Commission staff will take a witness statement. That task has already commenced.
- Commissioner, as you mentioned, the Commission's task has only just begun. The Commissioner has received what we think is likely to be a very small fraction of the relevant documents. It will take some time for the documents to be contained by
- 45 the Commission and then to be properly analysed. That means that no decisions have yet been made about the witnesses whose evidence will be relied on or the witnesses who will be called at the hearings. It is possible that the Commission's hearings may be able to be split into subject matters, for example, the decision and the transition arrangements. But that is an issue for later.

Commissioner, can I mention the matter of counselling. The Commission has in place arrangements with Uniting Care Community for that organisation to supply trained support counselling. And that can occur either at the Commission's hearings or to assist with interviews. If any potential witnesses or party needs that assistance, again, they are asked to contact the Commission, and particularly Mr Hill.

Finally, the Commission and counsel and its staff seek the assistance of those with relevant information. I encourage those with relevant information to come forward.

10 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thanks, Mr Freeburn. The Commission has received a number of written applications for leave to appear and for legal representation. These have been considered. I'll deal with each in turn now. I am inclined to think it won't be necessary to receive oral submissions with respect to them, but I'll ask Mr Freeburn with respect to each if there's anything he wishes to say. If counsel
15 does wish to say anything, can I ask that you be particularly careful not to identify patients or former patients of the Centre in the course of making your submissions. All right. The first application is one on behalf of the State of Queensland and a number of Hospital and Health Services. Ms Kefford, for whom are you appearing in this regard?

20 MS KEFFORD: Your Honour, I seek leave to appear on behalf of the State of Queensland. Madam Commissioner would have the written application that identifies the agencies and statutory bodies encompassed within the scope of the application. It's my submission that the State ought receive leave to be legally
25 represented and appear at the hearings. It has a peculiar and material interest. And it may be materially affected by the findings of the Commission. Given the Commissioner's intimation about oral submissions, there's nothing further I wish to add to the written application.

30 COMMISSIONER WILSON: There's one question that I have. As I understand it, your application extends to Hospital and Health Services apart from those separately represented before the Commission. Are you seeking the leave simply on behalf of the Hospital and Health Service? Or are you seeking it also on behalf of its Board?

35 MS KEFFORD: Only with respect to the service.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Freeburn, is there anything you wish to say about his application?

40 MR FREEBURN: No, Commissioner.

45 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Accordingly, I give leave to the State of Queensland and Hospital and Health Services established under the Hospital and Health Boards Act 2011, other than the West Moreton Hospital and Health Service, Metro North Hospital and Health Service and Metro South Hospital and Health Service, to appear and to be legally represented at the Commission's hearings subject to the following conditions:

- (a) The nature of the participation of the applicants or their legal representative in any hearing shall be subject to my control from time to time.
- 5 (b) No evidence may be tendered or adduced in chief by the applicants or their legal representative, but they may apply to have evidence tendered or called by Counsel Assisting the Commission.
- (c) The extent to which the applicants or their legal representative may cross-examine any witness shall be subject to further directions by me.
- 10 (d) The extent to which the applicants or their legal representative may make oral or written submissions shall be subject to further directions by me.
- (e) Leave to appear or to be legally represented may be withdrawn or made subject to altered or additional limitations or conditions at any time.
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That is the order. Mr Ambrose.

20 MR AMBROSE: Commissioner, I read the letter from my solicitors, Corrs Chambers Westgarth to the Executive Director of the Commission of Inquiry dated the 24th of September 2015. Leave is sought in the terms and on the matters indicated in that letter on behalf of both the Board and the Service.

25 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thanks, Mr Ambrose. Mr Freeburn, do you wish to say anything?

MR FREEBURN: No, Commissioner.

30 COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give West Moreton Hospital and Health Service and West Moreton Hospital and Health Board leave to appear and to be legally represented at the Commission's hearings, subject to the same conditions I read out with respect to the State of Queensland and the other health services. Thanks, Mr Ambrose.

35 MR AMBROSE: Thank you.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr Allen.

40 MR ALLEN: Commissioner, Metro North Hospital and Health Service and its Board seek leave to appear and be legally represented before the Commission. I rely upon an application for leave to be legally represented filed by my instructing solicitors Metro North Legal Services and dated the 25th of September 2015. And the grounds upon which leave is sought are as set out in that document and the matters with respect to which leave is sought is specified. In particular, leave is sought not generally but with respect to particular Terms of Reference associated with transition arrangements rather than the decision itself. And in those circumstances it's not anticipated that I would appear through every day of the Commission, but only with respect to those matters with respect to which leave is granted.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Well, Mr Allen, I note what you have said about your client wishing to appear and be legally represented only with respect to transition arrangements. It's possible, of course, that there will be some further narrowing of your rights to appear and to cross-examination, et cetera. So subject to anything Mr Freeburn will say, I'll give leave in the same general terms at this stage.

5 MR ALLEN: Thank you, your Honour.

MR FREEBURN: No, nothing to say.

10 COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give leave to the Metro North Hospital and Health Service and the Metro North Hospital and Health Service Board to appear and to be legally represented at the Commission's hearings, subject to the conditions I have provided with respect to other applicants.

15 MR ALLEN: Thank you, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thanks, Mr Allen. Ms Mellifont.

20 MS MELLIFONT: Thank you, Commissioner. In respect of the application by Metro South Hospital and Health Service, may I read the letter provided to your Executive Director on the 22nd of September 2015 by instructing solicitors Clayton Utz. The application for leave and the grounds for that application are set out in that letter. Might I indicate that if leave is granted to appear and to be represented, the
25 counsel representing Metro South would be myself and/or Ms Zerner, Ms Melinda Zerner.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you very much.

30 MS MELLIFONT: Thank you.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr Freeburn.

MR FREEBURN: No. No objection.

35 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. I give leave to Metro South Hospital and Health Service to appear and to be legally represented at the Commission's hearings on the same conditions.

40 MS MELLIFONT: Thank you, your Honour.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr O'Regan.

45 MR O'REGAN: Commissioner, I read - letters from McCullough Robertson to the Executive Director dated the 25th and 29th of September and apply for leave to represent and to appear on behalf of Mr Springborg.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you.

MR O'REGAN: I note, Commissioner, that if leave was granted, I shall be led by Mr O'Sullivan of Queen's Counsel who gives his apologies as he was unable to

5 attend today.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Freeburn.

MR FREEBURN: No objection.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give leave to Mr Lawrence Springborg to appear and to be legally represented at the Commission's hearings on the same conditions.

MR O'REGAN: May it please the Commission.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr Duffy.

MR DUFFY: Thank you, Commissioner. I apply for leave to appear and be legally represented on behalf of Dr William Kingswell, who was, at the time the decision 20 was taken, the Executive Director of the Mental Health, Alcohol and Other Drugs branch and the Director of Mental Health pursuant to the Act. The application was made by letter dated 25th of September 2015 to the Executive Director of the Commission, and the grounds for the application are set out therein.

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COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Freeburn.

MR FREEBURN: No objection.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give leave to Dr William Kingswell to appear and 30 to be legally represented at the Commission's hearings on the same conditions.

MR DUFFY: Thank you.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Mr Diehm.

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MR DIEHM: Commissioner, as indicated earlier, I apply for leave to appear on behalf of Dr Anne Brennan, who was the acting clinical director of the Barrett Adolescent Centre following 11 September 2013. My instructing solicitors wrote to the Commission on the 23rd of September 2015 making application and referring to 40 the relevant Terms of Reference. More broadly, it would be said that Dr Brennan's interests are plainly concerned with the transition arrangements; though, of course, it may be that there are other aspects of the decision – issues before the Inquiry that bear upon those, ultimately, as well. The limits that your Honour has indicated with respect to the grant of leave, with respect, seem appropriate to Dr Brennan's 45 interests, as well.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thanks, Mr Diehm. Mr Freeburn.

MR FREEBURN: No objection.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give leave to Dr Anne Brennan to appear and be legally represented at the Commission's hearings subject to the same conditions. Ms
5 Rosengren.

MS ROSENGREN: Thank you, Commissioner. As indicated earlier, I seek leave to appear on behalf of Dr Trevor Sadler. He was the director of the Barrett Adolescent Centre from 1990 to mid-September 2013. Commissioner, I read the letter from
10 K&L Gates, my instructing solicitors, to the Executive Director dated the 28th of September 2015. And leave is sought in the terms detailed in that correspondence.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thanks, Ms Rosengren. Mr Freeburn.

15 MR FREEBURN: No objection.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give leave to Dr Trevor Sadler to appear and be legally represented at the Commission's hearings subject to the same conditions.

20 MS ROSENGREN: Thank you, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Ms Robb.

MS ROBB: Thank you, Commissioner. I seek leave to appear on behalf of the nurses I identified earlier. It is also conceivable that further nurses may come forward and wish to avail themselves of the legal representation provided by the Nurses' Union. I rely on the letter containing an application provided to the Commission on the 25th of September outlining those Terms of Reference and the grounds on which the nurses seek leave to appear and be legally represented.
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30 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Ms Robb, I'm not minded to give leave for nurses who haven't yet come forward

MS ROBB: I understand.

35 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Subject to anything Mr Freeburn may submit to me, I'd be inclined to grant leave to the six nurses who have come forward. And any other nurses might apply on the papers and the applications will probably be dealt with that way.

40 MS ROBB: Thank you, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr Freeburn.

45 MR FREEBURN: No objection in respect of those six nurses.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you. Could you assist me, Ms Robb, with the correct pronunciation of the first nurse's name?

MS ROBB: I'm afraid that I can attempt to assist your Honour. I cannot attest to
5 the – Your Honour, I'm instructed it's Kochardy.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Kochardy.

MS ROBB: Kochardy. Thank you.

10 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you very much. I give leave to the following registered nurses: Mara Kochardy, Matthew Beswick, Moira MacLeod, Victoria Young, Rosangela Richardson, and Peta-Louise Yorke to appear and be legally represented at the Commission's hearings subject to the same conditions.

15 MS ROBB: Thank you, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER WILSON: Mr Harper.

20 MR HARPER: May it please the Commission, as I mentioned earlier, I seek leave to appear on behalf of the three named applicants: Ms Olliver, Ms Pryde and Ms Wilkinson. An application in accordance with the practice direction was emailed to the Commission, and I rely upon the contents of those applications, your Honour.

25 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Thank you very much. Mr Freeburn.

MR FREEBURN: No objection.

30 COMMISSIONER WILSON: I give leave to Vanita Maree Olliver, Nichole Jane Pryde and Justine Elizabeth Wilkinson to appear and be legally represented at the hearings of the Commission subject to the same conditions.

MR HARPER: Thank you, Commissioner.

35 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Is there anything else counsel wishes to raise? Mr Freeburn?

MR FREEBURN: No, Commissioner.

40 COMMISSIONER WILSON: Any other counsel?

UNIDENTIFIED SPEAKER: No, your Honour.

45 COMMISSIONER WILSON: All right. Would you adjourn the proceedings, please.

ADJOURNED

[10.13 am]