## IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA

# SITTING AS THE COURT OF DISPUTED RETURNS PRIGINAL

CANBERRA REGISTRY

No. C30 of 2017

RE:



MS SKYE KAKOSCHKE-MOORE

Reference under s 376 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 (Cth)

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### CHRONOLOGY (FILED ON BEHALF OF MS KAKOSCHKE-MOORE)

#### 1. Certification

It is certified that this chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the internet.

#### 2. Chronology

Date	Event	CB reference
31 December 1957	Ms Kakoschke-Moore's mother is born in Singapore.	261
19 December 1985	Ms Kakoschke-Moore is born in Darwin.	261
1 May 2015	Ms Kakoschke-Moore joins the Nick Xenophon Team party ("NXT").	262
23 July 2017	Mr Storer joins NXT.	172
9 May 2016	Parliament is dissolved under s 57 of the Constitution.	27
16 May 2016	Writs issued for the election of Senators for South Australia.	27
6 June 2016	NXT submits Group Nomination for Senate candidates.	27
10 June 2016	Ms Kakoschke-Moore's nomination as a candidate for the Senate is declared.	28
2 July 2016	Polling day for the 2016 federal election.	262
4 August 2016	Names of the 12 candidates duly elected are certified by the Australian Electoral Officer for South Australia. Writ returned to the Governor of South Australia.	28

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12 January 2017	Mr Storer renews his membership of NXT.	172
13 April 2017	Special count conducted for South Australia after the decision in <i>Re Day (No 2)</i> .	30
10-12 October 2017	This Court hears the references in, among others, <i>Re Xenophon</i> (No. C18/2017).	N/A
<ul><li>13 October 2017,</li><li>16 October –</li><li>6 November 2017</li></ul>	Correspondence from solicitors for Mr Storer to NXT. Further correspondence between solicitors ensues.	173-175, 203, 206-211, 219- 228, 233-238
27 October 2017	Decision in Re Xenophon among others.	173
31 October 2017	Senator Xenophon resigns from the Senate. Mr Rex Patrick is nominated by NXT to fill that casual vacancy.	173
1 November 2017	Correspondence by or on behalf of Mr Storer to the Premier of South Australia in relation to the vacancy created by Senator Xenophon's resignation.	174
3 November 2017	NXT management committee resolves to expel Mr Storer from NXT.	174, 230
6 November 2017	Mr Storer's solicitors write to NXT's solicitors to advise that Mr Storer resigns from NXT and all its associated entities.	175, 238
Early November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore took steps to contact the British authorities to confirm and better understand why she was, as she then believed, ineligible for British citizenship.	262
10 November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore telephones the British High Commission in Canberra and receives an email in response.	263
14 November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore emails Mr Ian Page of the UK Home Office.	263
17 November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore receives Mr Page's response, and takes further steps to obtain expert advice from Mr Berry of counsel.	263
21 November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore receives Mr Berry's advice late in the evening.	263
22 November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore resigns from the Senate, and commences taking steps to renounce British citizenship.	263
24 November 2017	President of the Senate writes to the Governor of South Australia regarding the vacancy created by Ms Kakoschke- Moore's resignation.	11

27 November 2017	Senate refers questions to this Court in relation to the application of s 44(i) to Ms Kakoschke-Moore.	1-13
30 November 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore submits form for renunciation of British citizenship to the UK Home Office.	263
6 December 2017	Ms Kakoschke-Moore's renunciation of British citizenship becomes effective.	264

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