# IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA SYDNEY REGISTRY

### No S1 of 2018

## BETWEEN:

Sorwar Hossain

Appellant

and	HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
	FILED
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	THE REGISTRY SYDNEY
	TUNEY

Minister for Immigration and Border Protection

First respondent

Administrative Appeals Tribunal

Second respondent

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# **APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY**

# Part I

This chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the Internet.

### Part II

Date	Event	AB <sup>1</sup>
May 2003	Appellant arrives in Australia on student visa	
07.11.05	Appellant's student visa ceases. Today is last day appellant holds substantive visa in Australia.	
August 2013	Appellant commences de facto relationship with Australian citizen	
27.05.15	Appellant applies for Partner (Temporary) (Class UK) visa on basis of relationship commenced in August 2013	
17.12.15	Delegate of first respondent makes decision refusing to grant visa	

<sup>1</sup> Appeal Book page number.

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03.01.16	Appellant applies to second respondent (AAT) for review of first respondent's decision	
25.02.16	AAT makes decision affirming first respondent's decision not to grant visa. One basis for decision is that AAT was not satisfied that appellant had made appropriate arrangements to pay outstanding debt to Commonwealth.	
24.03.16	Appellant applies to Federal Circuit Court for relief in relation to AAT's decision	
May 2016	Appellant pays outstanding debt to Commonwealth	
11.07.16	Hearing of application in Federal Circuit Court	
11.07.16	Decision of Federal Circuit Court. Court finds jurisdictional error in AAT's decision, exercises discretion to grant relief, quashes AAT's decision and remits matter to AAT to be determined according to law	
28.07.16	First respondent files notice of appeal in Federal Court	
18.11.16	Hearing of appeal before Full Federal Court	
25.05.17	Judgment handed down by Full Federal Court. Full Court, by majority, allows the appeal and sets aside decision and orders of Federal Circuit Court.	
22.06.17	Appellant applies to High Court for special leave to appeal	
13.12.17	High Court grants special leave to appeal	
02.01.18	Appellant files notice of appeal in High Court	

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