# IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA SYDNEY REGISTRY

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No. S163 of 2019

BETWEEN:

DG

Appellant

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THE REGISTRY SYDNEY

and

The Queen

Respondent

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## APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY

### Part I:

I certify that this chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the internet.

### Part II:

List of principal events leading to the litigation in respect of findings of fact and evidence relating to those events.

Date	Event	Reference
21 Nov 2014	Animals Australia received anonymous tip that ZK was using live rabbits and other prey to train greyhounds at his property ( <b>Property</b> ).	Appellant's Further Material (AFM) 129 at [3]
5 Dec 2014	At around 3am, filmmaker contracted by Animals Australia (Filmmaker) placed camera on the Property.	AFM 136 at [4]
6 Dec 2014	At around 1am, Filmmaker entered the Property and removed the camera.	AFM 136 at [5]
8 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker placed camera on the Property.	AFM 136 at [8]
9 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker entered the Property and swapped the SD card and battery in the camera (which remained in position).	AFM 137 at [9]

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10 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker entered the Property and swapped the SD card and battery in the camera (which remained in position).	AFM 137 at [12]
11 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker entered the Property and swapped the SD card and battery in the camera (which remained in position).	AFM 137 at [15]
12 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker entered the Property and removed the camera. Later in the day, Filmmaker provided video files recorded on 5 Dec 2014, 8 Dec 2014, 9 Dec 2014, 10 Dec 2014, and 11 Dec 2014 to Animals Australia.	AFM 137 at [18]
18 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker placed camera on the Property.	AFM 138 at [21]
22 Dec 2014	At around 3am, Filmmaker entered the Property and removed the camera. Later in the day, Filmmaker provided the hard drive unit containing the video file dated 20 Dec 2014 to Animals Australia.	AFM 135 at [22]
11 Jan 2015	Filmmaker telephoned ZK representing that she was a greyhound owner. ZK invited Filmmaker to the property.	AFM 141 at [4]
12 Jan 2015	At around 3am, Filmmaker placed a camera on the Property. She also placed a camera outside of the Property across from the driveway entrance.	AFM 135 at [25]
13 Jan 2015	At around 3am, Filmmaker entered the Property and removed the camera she had placed on the Property on 12 Jan. She also removed the camera placed across the road from the driveway. Later in the day, Filmmaker attended the Property and had a conversation with ZK and DG representing that she was a greyhound owner. Following her attendance at the Property, the Filmmaker was interviewed by a journalist.	AFM 138 at [26]
13 Jan 2015	Filmmaker attended the Property at around 9am, representing that she was a greyhound owner, and had conversations with both ZK and DG, during which ZK made alleged admissions.	AFM 141 at [5]
14 Jan 2015	Filmmaker provided the recordings dated 12 Jan 2015, to Animals Australia.	AFM 138 at [28]
2 Feb 2015	Animals Australia provide the RSPCA with a letter and a hard drive containing footage of live baiting. A representative summary of the footage was shown.	AFM 153 at [6]- [7]

11 Feb 2015	RSPCA and police officers, attend the Property to: (1) execute a search warrant (under s 24F of the <i>Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1979</i> ) and (2) conduct an inspection (under s 24G of the <i>Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1979</i> ).	AFM 216 at [4] ff
16 Feb 2014	4Corners program "Making a Killing", using footage from the Property goes to air.	AFM 204 at [9]
	The appellant was committed for trial.	-
28 Apr 2016	Date of indictment.	Joint Core Appeal Book (CAB) 1
29 Apr 2016	Plea of not guilty entered in the District Court of New South Wales.	-
26 - 27 Jun 2017	Pre-Trial application brought by the appellant and coappellant, to exclude illegally obtained evidence pursuant to s138 <i>Evidence Act</i> 1995 in the District Court of New South Wales before Buscombe DCJ.	AFM 1
28 Jun 2017	Judgment of Buscombe DCJ in the District Court of NSW delivered.	CAB 9
6 Aug 2017	Notice of Appeal pursuant to s5F(3A) Criminal Appeal Act 1912 filed in the Court of Criminal Appeal by the Crown.	CAB 45
18 Oct 2017	Appeal heard in the NSW Court of Criminal Appeal before Ward JA; Price J; Beech-Jones J.	-
30 Nov 2017	Appeal dismissed by the NSW Court of Criminal Appeal.	CAB 49
8 Oct 2018	Special Leave Application filed and served.	-
24 May 2019	Special Leave granted after oral hearing.	<u>-</u>
31 May 2019	Order granting special leave to appeal filed and served.	CAB 104
31 May 2019	Notice of Appeal filed and served.	CAB 108
7 Jun 2019	Notice of Contention filed by Crown.	CAB 114
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