



## HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA  
SYDNEY REGISTRY

BETWEEN:

**Unions NSW**  
First Plaintiff

**New South Wales Nurses and  
Midwives' Association**  
Second Plaintiff

**Public Service Association and Professional  
Officers' Association Amalgamated Union  
of New South Wales**  
Third Plaintiff

**New South Wales Local Government,  
Clerical, Administrative, Energy,  
Airlines & Utilities Union**  
Fourth Plaintiff

- and -

**State of New South Wales**  
Defendant

**ORDER**

JUSTICE: Justice Keane

DATE GIVEN: 28 September 2022

INITIATING PROCESS: Writ of summons / Special case

APPEARANCES: C G Winnett with S J Chordia  
Counsel for the plaintiffs

B K Lim  
Counsel for the defendant



THE COURT ORDERS THAT:

1. The parties have leave to file a revised special case on or before 30 September 2022, with amendments confined to the inclusion of any further relevant expenditure disclosures for the 2021-2022 financial year published by the NSW Electoral Commission on or around 28 September 2022.

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This Order was prepared in the Registry.

2. The agreed special case filed on 23 September 2022, or any revised special case filed on 30 September 2022, be referred to the Full Court.
3. The plaintiffs file and serve a special case book on or before 5 October 2022.
4. The parties and any interveners file and serve written submissions in accordance with the following timetable and otherwise in accordance with Part 44 of the *High Court Rules 2004* (Cth):
  - a) The plaintiffs file and serve submissions on or before 7 October 2022.
  - b) Any interveners supporting the plaintiffs file and serve submissions on or before 14 October 2022.
  - c) The defendant file and serve written submissions on or before 26 October 2022.
  - d) Any interveners supporting the defendant file and serve submissions on or before 2 November 2022.
  - e) The plaintiffs file and serve written submissions in reply on or before 8 November 2022.
5. The plaintiffs file and serve the Joint Book of Authorities on or before 7 November 2022.

DATE AUTHENTICATED: 28 September 2022



Deputy Registrar