IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA No. A4 of 2011 ADELAIDE REGISTRY ON APPEAL FROM THE SUPREME COURT OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA BETWEEN: AUSTRALIAN EDUCATION UNION Appellant -and-DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION & CHILDREN'S SERVICES Respondent APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY PART I. This chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the Internet. PART II. List of principal events leading to the litigation: [All events are the subject of agreed facts or matters of public record rather than specific findings by the Court.] 14 Dec 1972 Education Act 1972 (SA) commences in operation (with irrelevant exceptions). 28 Nov 1972 Temporary relieving teacher classification created. 1977 First wave of non-permanent teachers appointed. 28 Aug1980 Temporary Teacher Classification created.

Aug 1983 – Mar 2007

Correspondence and negotiations between AEU (previously known as the South Australian Institute of Teachers), on behalf of teachers employed in State schools, and the responsible Minister and/or the Department of Education concerning appointments of teachers under s.9(4) and consequential matters.

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о П	5 March 2007	AEU notifies a dispute to the Industrial Relations Commission.
_ }	29 March 2007	DECS letter of response relying on s.9(4).
	30 May 2007	Industrial Relations Commissions agrees to refer the matter to the Full Court of the Industrial Relations Court.
	21 August 2007	Two questions of law referred by the Industrial Relations Commission to the Industrial Relations Court.
	29 May 2009	Judgment of the Industrial Relations Court.
7	16 July 2009	Leave granted to appeal to the Supreme Court.
J ->	28 May 2010	Judgment of the Supreme Court.
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