

VICTORIAN CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

Review and Regulation List

VCAT Reference: Z970/2016

APPLICANT: Victorian Electoral Commission
RESPONDENT: Municipal Electoral Tribunal
FIRST JOINED PARTY: Michael Caiafa
SECOND JOINED PARTY: Stephen Mayne
WHERE HELD: Melbourne
BEFORE: Senior Member J. Smithers
HEARING TYPE: Directions Hearing
DATE OF HEARING: 19 December 2016
DATE OF ORDER: 19 December 2016

ORDERS

1. Under s60 of the *Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act* 1998, I join the following persons as joined parties to this application: Michael Caiafa, Stephen Mayne.
2. Any application by any other person to be joined as a party to this proceeding is to be made to the Tribunal **by 4pm on 23 December 2016**, with a copy of that application to be provided to the applicant.
3. **The application is to be listed by the Principal Registrar for a one day hearing on or after 1 February 2017 before a Presidential Member.**
4. **By 4pm on 6 January 2017** the applicant must *file* and *serve* all material to be relied upon, including affidavits setting out the evidence of each witness whose testimony is to be relied upon at the hearing.
5. **By 4pm on 20 January 2017** the joined parties must *file* and *serve* all material to be relied upon, including affidavits setting out the evidence of each witness whose testimony is to be relied upon at the hearing.
6. **By 4pm on 27 January 2017** the applicant may *file* and *serve* any material, in reply.
7. Unless the Tribunal gives leave and save in accordance with these orders, neither party may:
 - (a) present a case at the hearing different from that contained in the material lodged by that party in the proceeding;

- (b) call a witness whose statement has not been provided;
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- (c) seek to adduce further evidence in chief beyond that contained in the statement of a witness's evidence lodged with the Tribunal.

8. Liberty to apply.

SENIOR MEMBER J. SMITHERS



APPEARANCES:

For the Applicant: Mr L. Brown, of Counsel

For the Respondent: No appearance