



Federal Court of Australia

District Registry: Victoria Registry

Division: General

No: VID1252/2019

**KATHERINE PRYGODICZ** and others named in the schedule  
Applicants

**COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**  
Respondent

### **ORDER**

**JUDGE:** Justice Beach

**DATE OF ORDER:** 10 April 2026

**WHERE MADE:** Melbourne

#### **OTHER MATTERS:**

- A. On 31 October 2025, the Court ordered that any Group Member who intends to make a claim pursuant to the settlement distribution scheme under the proposed settlement of this proceeding must give a Registration Form to Gordon Legal by 4.00 pm on 6 March 2026 (Registration Deadline).
- B. Since the Registration Deadline, Gordon Legal has received further Registration Forms through the website portal, by email, by post and by telephone.

#### **THE COURT ORDERS THAT:**

1. On 15 April, 1 May, and 15 May 2026, Gordon Legal:
  - (a) will provide the Respondent with a list of all persons who have completed a Registration Form after 4.00 pm (AEST) on 6 March 2026 (Late Registrations) and the information provided by those persons in their Registration Form; and
  - (b) in that list, will specifically identify any such persons:



- (i) who say they are a Category 5 Group Member (and provide the name and details of the deceased Group Member to whom they are connected as provided upon Registration); and
  - (ii) who previously opted out of the proceeding and are applying for reinstatement as a Group Member.
2. Any person who has opted out of the proceeding and wishes to be reinstated as a Group Member, and who has submitted a Late Registration, must apply to be reinstated as a Group Member by completing a Notice of Reinstatement and providing it to Gordon Legal by 15 May 2026.
3. Any Notices of Reinstatement received by Gordon Legal after 4.00pm (AEST) on 6 March 2026 are to be provided to the Respondent in tranches on the dates fixed by paragraph 1 of these orders.
4. Immediately after 4.00 pm on 15 May 2026, Gordon Legal will:
  - (a) cease receiving new registrations through the website portal;
  - (b) update the Gordon Legal website and the robodebtsettlement.com.au website to direct that group members should contact Gordon Legal by email or telephone if they have not registered but wish to do so.
5. By 5 June 2026, the Respondent will provide Gordon Legal with the Eligibility and Categorisation Check outcome information for persons who have submitted Late Registrations.
6. By 4.00pm on 12 June 2026, the Applicants will file and serve an affidavit explaining the number and eligibility status of the Late Registrations.

Date orders authenticated: 10 April 2026

  
Registrar

Note: Entry of orders is dealt with in Rule 39.32 of the *Federal Court Rules 2011*.



**Schedule**

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Second Applicant	ELYANE PORTER
Third Applicant	STEVEN FRITZE
Fourth Applicant	FELICITY BUTTON
Fifth Applicant	SHANNON THIEL
Sixth Applicant	DEVON COLLINS