



**TE KŌTI PĪRA O AOTEAROA
THE COURT OF APPEAL OF NEW ZEALAND**

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THURSDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2026

AUCKLAND HIGH COURT – COURTROOM ONE

DIVISIONAL COURT

THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE COURTNEY, THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE GAULT,
THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE HARVEY
REGISTRAR: M SHAHEED

10:00am

CA766/2025 & CA819/2025 (to be heard together)

CA766/2025 Cy-J HENRY (G A Walsh) v The King (R M A McCoubrey)
Conviction and Sentence – 3 years 8 months imprisonment

CA819/2025 Christopher Leo GAGE (R E Webby) v The King (R M A McCoubrey)
Sentence – 3 years 5 months imprisonment
Crayton DCJ

12:15pm

CA435/2026 The King v M (J M Hudson)
Application to bring a second appeal against Suppression and Appeal
Arthur J; Wharepouri DCJ

2:15pm

CA533/2025 Manas Kumar (In person) v Smartpay Limited (D J Chisholm KC, J D Ryan)
Gellert AJ [2025] NZHC 2409
Appeal from bankruptcy order against debtor based overseas

AUCKLAND HIGH COURT – COURTROOM TWO

DIVISIONAL COURT

THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE ELLIS, THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE DOWNS,
THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE EATON
REGISTRAR: D KIM

10:00am

CA505/2025 R (M E Goodwin, A O Graham) v The King (R N Thompson)
Conviction and Sentence – 8 years 2 months imprisonment
McIlraith DCJ, Tahana DCJ

2:15pm

CA587/2025 Viknesh NAIDOO (R M Mansfield KC) v The King
Sentence – 3 years 8 months imprisonment
Maxwell DCJ

**CHRISTCHURCH HIGH COURT – COURTROOM TWELVE
DIVISIONAL COURT**

THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE MALLON, THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE FITZGERALD,
THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE ISAC
REGISTRAR: R MILDENHALL

10:00am

CA781/2024 Simon Michael HARRIS (J D Lucas) v The King
Conviction – 7 years 5 months imprisonment
Zohrab DCJ

PUBLIC ACCESS:

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Locations:

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Wellington High Court – [2 Molesworth Street, Wellington](#)
Christchurch High Court (Justice Precinct) – [20 Lichfield Street, Christchurch](#)
Dunedin High Court – [1 Stuart Street, Dunedin](#)

Sitting Hours:

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Lower Court Judgments cited above may be found at the following links (if publicly available):

Senior Courts Judgments of Public Interest: <https://www.courtsofnz.govt.nz/judgments/>

District Court of New Zealand: <https://www.districtcourts.govt.nz/>

Judicial Decisions Online: <https://www.justice.govt.nz/courts/decisions/jdo/>

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