## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND

SC 103/2011 [2011] NZSC 119

BETWEEN VINCENT ROSS SIEMER

**Applicant** 

AND MICHAEL PETER STIASSNY AND

KORDA MENTHA

Respondents

Court: Blanchard, Tipping and McGrath JJ

Counsel: Applicant in person

PJL Hunt for Respondents

Judgment: 3 October 2011

## JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

The application for leave to appeal is dismissed with costs of \$2,500 to the respondents.

## **REASONS**

[1] The Court of Appeal, in agreement with the High Court, considered that Mr Siemer's application was an abuse of process and struck out his appeal<sup>1</sup> against the High Court's order striking out his application to vary, set aside or rescind the permanent injunction against him.<sup>2</sup> Mr Siemer seeks leave to appeal to this Court. His submissions provide no basis whatever for the further appeal, nor for this Court to order the Court of Appeal to provide a transcript of the hearing in that Court. The applications to the courts below were plainly an attempt to relitigate a matter already conclusively determined against Mr Siemer. They were an abuse of process, as is the present application to this Court.

Solicitors:

McElroys, Auckland for Respondents

Siemer v Stiassny [2011] NZCA 466.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Korda Mentha v Siemer HC Auckland CIV-2005-404-1808, 17 March 2011.