

ORDER PROHIBITING PUBLICATION OF NAMES, ADDRESSES OR IDENTIFYING PARTICULARS OF ANY PERSONS OR ENTITIES CONNECTED TO THIS PROCEEDING.

NOTE: HIGH COURT ORDER PROHIBITING PUBLICATION OF NAMES, ADDRESS OR IDENTIFYING PARTICULARS OF APPLICANTS AND RESPONDENTS REMAINS IN FORCE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND

I TE KŌTI MANA NUI O AOTEAROA

**SC 106/2022
[2022] NZSC 151**

BETWEEN	A, B AND C Applicants
AND	D AND E LIMITED AS TRUSTEES OF THE Z TRUST Respondent

Court: Glazebrook, O'Regan and Ellen France JJ

Counsel: D A T Chambers KC and J L Beverwijk for Applicants
M J Wenley for Respondent

Judgment: 20 December 2022

JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

- A** Leave to appeal is granted (*D and E Ltd as Trustees of the Z Trust v A, B and C* [2022] NZCA 430).
- B** The approved question is whether the Court of Appeal was correct to allow the appeal.
- C** We make an order prohibiting publication of names, addresses or identifying particulars of any persons or entities connected to this proceeding.
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REASONS

[1] We make an order prohibiting publication of names, addresses or identifying particulars of any persons or entities connected to this proceeding, reflecting orders made in the Courts below.

[2] Given the complexity and novelty of the issues raised by the appeal, the Registrar is to appoint counsel to assist the Court.

[3] Submissions from counsel assisting the Court are to be filed five days after the submissions for the parties.

Solicitors:

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