

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND

I TE KŌTI MANA NUI O AOTEAROA

SC 99/2023
[2023] NZSC 154

BETWEEN SEAFOOD NEW ZEALAND LIMITED
Applicant

AND ROYAL FOREST & BIRD PROTECTION
SOCIETY OF NEW ZEALAND
INCORPORATED
First Respondent

AND MINISTER FOR OCEANS AND
FISHERIES
Second Respondent

AND TE OHU KAI MOANA TRUSTEE
LIMITED
Third Respondent

Court: Glazebrook, Williams and Kós JJ

Counsel: B A Scott and A Kraack for Applicant
S R Gepp and M C Wright for First Respondent
N C Anderson and K F Gaskell for Second Respondent
J P Ferguson for Third Respondent

Judgment: 24 November 2023

JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

- A** Leave to appeal is granted (*Fisheries Inshore New Zealand Ltd v Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society of New Zealand Inc* [2023] NZCA 359).
- B** The approved question is whether the Court of Appeal was correct to dismiss the appeal.
-

Solicitors:
Chapman Tripp, Wellington for Applicant
P D Anderson, Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society of New Zealand Inc, Wellington for First Respondent
Crown Law Office | Te Tari Ture o te Karauna, Wellington for Second Respondent
Kāhui Legal, Wellington for Third Respondent