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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
CANBERRA REGISTRY**

NO C 16 OF 2020

NO C 17 OF 2020

BETWEEN:

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA
Appellant

-and-

AJL20
Respondent

APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY

PART I INTERNET PUBLICATION

1. This chronology is in a form suitable for publication on the Internet.

10 **PART II CHRONOLOGY**

DATE	EVENT	CAB REF
24 May 2005	AJL20 arrives in Australia from Lebanon on a Syrian passport as the holder of a Child (Class AH) (Subclass 101) visa.	33 [4]
2 October 2014	Minister for Immigration and Border Protection (Minister) cancels AJL20's Child (Class AH) (Subclass 101) visa under s 501(2) of the <i>Migration Act 1958</i> (Cth) (Migration Act).	33 [4]
8 October 2014	AJL20 detained by an officer of the Commonwealth under s 189(1) of the Migration Act.	33 [4]
25 August 2017	An officer of the Department finds that AJL20 is a person in respect of whom Australia has protection obligations.	62 [100]
7 December 2018	Delegate of the Minister refuses AJL20's application for a protection visa under s 501(1) of the Migration Act.	62 [102]
25 July 2019	Minister declines to consider intervening in AJL20's case under ss 195A and 197AB of the Migration Act.	34 [5]

DATE	EVENT	CAB REF
4 November 2019	AJL20 commences proceedings in the Federal Court by way of originating application and statement of claim (VID1193/2019).	
28 November 2019	Officers of the Department commence engaging with Lebanon for the purpose of removing AJL20 to Lebanon.	35 [8], 69 [130]
13 May 2020	AJL20 commences proceedings in the Federal Circuit Court by way of application, statement of claim and supporting affidavit (MLG1550/2020)	5
27 May 2020	Judge Riethmuller makes order transferring proceeding MLG1550/2020 to the Federal Court of Australia (becoming VID355/2020) pursuant to s 39 of the <i>Federal Circuit Court of Australia Act 1999</i> (Cth).	24
11 June 2020	Bromberg J orders that proceedings VID1193/2019 and VID355/2020 are to be heard and determined together.	26
14 and 17 July 2020	Hearing before Bromberg J.	
11 September 2020	Bromberg J delivers judgment and orders in VID355/2020 that the Commonwealth release AJL20 from detention.	31, 84
29 September 2020	Bromberg J makes a declaration in VID1193/2019 that AJL20's detention was unlawful between 26 July 2019 and 27 November 2019, and 28 November 2019 to 11 September 2020.	86
2 October 2020	The Commonwealth files notices of appeal in the Full Court of the Federal Court of Australia (VID650/2020 and VID651/2020).	90, 96
17 December 2020	Bell J orders that proceedings VID650/2020 and VID651/2020 be removed from the Full Court of the Federal Court of Australia into this Court pursuant to s 40 of the <i>Judiciary Act 1903</i> (Cth).	119, 122

Dated: 19 February 2021



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