

BETWEEN:

EMP144  
Appellant

and

THE REPUBLIC OF NAURU  
Respondent



REDACTED APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY

**Part I:**

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**Part II:**

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No.	Date	Event	Court Book Reference
1.	27 April 1980	The Appellant is born in in the village of Pakhu, in the Myagdi district, Dhaulagiri region of Nepal.	CB 4, 21
2.	2003	Dhaulagiri region is taken over by the Nepal Communist Party Mao (NCPM).	CB 35
3.	18 April 2004	The NCPM comes to the Appellant's home and kidnaps his brother.	CB 9, 11, 35, 99
4.	26 June 2005	The Appellant's father was asked to join NCPM. He refuses, is tortured and flees to India.	CB 35
5.	2006	The NCPM come into power in Nepal and mandate that the King be removed from any position of power or authority.	CB 35
6.	2010	[REDACTED]	CB 11, 21, 33, 34
7.	7 August 2011	The Appellant's uncle, who was President of NNDP for the Dhaulagiri region, is publicly humiliated.	CB 11, 34, 35
8.	10 August 2011	Approximately 15 members of the NCPM come to the Appellant's home in the village of Pakhu late at night. The	CB 35, 62, 112-114

		Appellant escapes and goes into hiding.	
9.	21 May 2012	The Appellant receives a letter threatening that he will be killed if he does not join the NCPM.	CB 11, 35, 99
10.	29 December 2012	Members of the Youth Communist League (YCL) – the youth sector of the NCPM - come to the Appellant’s house, break down his door and drag him outside, where they beat him until he was unconscious. The YCL threatens his mother and assaults his wife.	CB 11, 35, 99, 112, 115
11.	2 January 2013	Members of the NCPM burn the Appellant’s house down.	CB 11, 35, 116.
12.	March 2013	The Appellant moves to Gangabu, Kathmandu, where he arranged to leave the country.	CB 4
13.	25 May 2013	The Appellant leaves Nepal.	CB 9-10, 24, 31
14.	13 September 2013	The Appellant arrives in Australia.	CB 10, 13, 31
15.	1 November 2013	The Appellant is transferred to Nauru.	CB 31
16.	29 January 2014	The Appellant lodges an Application under the <i>Refugees Convention Act 2012</i> (Nr).	CB 17-37
17.	12 September 2014	The Appellant’s claim for protection is refused by the Secretary of the Department of Justice and Border Control.	CB 71-89
18.	2 February 2014	An application for review by the Refugee Status Review Tribunal is lodged for the Appellant.	CB 93
19.	November 2014	The Appellant's wife visits the administration office to obtain Nepalese citizenship for their son unsuccessfully.  While at the district administration office, a YCL member recognises the Appellant's wife. They find her later and demand that she tell them the Appellant’s whereabouts. In fear of her life, she tells them where the Appellant is.	CB 123
20.	17 January 2015	The Refugee Status Review Tribunal affirms the Secretary of the Department of Justice and Border Control's decision.	CB 187-197
21.	6 May 2016	The Supreme Court of Nauru hears the Appellant's appeal against the decision of the Refugee Status Review Tribunal.	
22.	27 September	The Supreme Court of Nauru dismisses the Appellant's appeal against the decision of the Refugee Status Review	

	2017	Tribunal.	
23.	11 October 2017	The Appellant files an appeal against the decision of the Supreme Court of Nauru in the High Court of Australia.	

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