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IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
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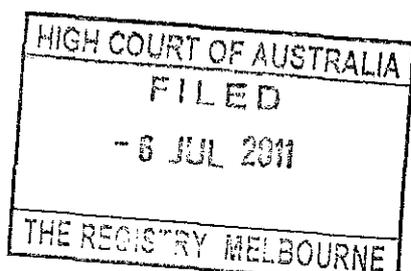
BETWEEN

LEX PATRICK WOTTON
Plaintiff

AND

STATE OF QUEENSLAND
First Defendant

CENTRAL AND NORTHERN
QUEENSLAND REGIONAL PAROLE BOARD
Second Defendant



PLAINTIFF'S CHRONOLOGY

PART I

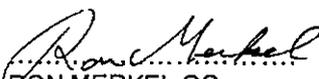
This chronology is suitable for publication on the internet.

PART II: LIST OF PRINCIPLE EVENTS LEADING TO THE LITIGATION

Date	Event	SCB Reference
1997	Mr Wotton helped establish a Youth Suicide Watch Program on Palm Island recruiting a night patrol aimed at reducing an extremely high rate of youth suicide on the island.	45
1997-2000	Mr Wotton served as member of Palm Island Council	45
19/10/02-June 2003	Mr Wotton served as member of Palm Island Council.	45
November 2003	Mr Wotton wrote to Townsville Bulletin in relation to dissolution of Palm Island Council.	46
March 2004	Mr Wotton wrote to the editor of the Townsville Bulletin raising the issue of the Palm Island Jetty and its repair in the context of a State Election.	46

19/11/04	Cameron Doomadgee died in police custody at Palm Island Watch-House.	49
26/11/04	Riot occurred on Palm Island.	49
2006-2008	<p>Mr Wotton involved in liaising with State and Federal parliamentarians and candidates in relation to issues of concern to the Palm Island Aboriginal Community.</p> <p>Mr Wotton assisted Palm Island Aboriginal Community to tender for control of the Palm Island Community Store including arranging public meetings to discuss the project and garner support for it, lobbying government and community organisations and arranging for presentations to Palm Island Aboriginal Council.</p> <p>Mr Wotton established suicide watch program for youth at Palm Island.</p> <p>Mr Wotton spoke at the launch of the Errol Wyles Justice Foundation, which speech was broadcast on national radio.</p>	45-6
6/10/08 to 24/10/2008	Mr Wotton tried on one count of riot causing destruction and convicted by a jury.	49
7/12/08	Judge Shanahan sentenced Mr Wotton	49
19/07/10	Mr Wotton released on parole subject to conditions set out in Parole Order dated on 8 July 2010.	51
1/09/10	<p>The Second Defendant advised Mr Wotton of its definition of the term "public meeting".</p> <p>The Second Defendant approved an address in Townsville for the purposes of Mr Wotton's parole.</p>	53, 152
14/10/2010	Mr Wotton sought permission to attend a public meeting at Palm Island chaired by the Queensland Department of Justice and the Queensland Attorney General relating to issues of youth crime and juvenile justice. Parole officer refused Mr Wotton permission to attend.	47

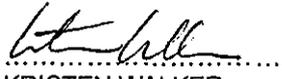
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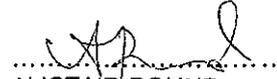

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