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ACT 1985.**

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND

**SC 93/2014
[2014] NZSC 157**

BETWEEN A (SC 93/2014)
 Appellant

AND THE QUEEN
 Respondent

Court: McGrath, William Young and Arnold JJ

Counsel: E J Forster for Appellant
 M G Wilkinson for Respondent

Judgment: 31 October 2014

JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

- A** **Leave to appeal is granted (*A (CA 814/2013) v The Queen*
[2014] NZCA 385).**
- B** **The approved ground of appeal is whether the Judge's
direction to the jury on the mens rea elements of the
offence in s 129(2) of the Crimes Act 1961 was wrong.**
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Solicitors:
Crown Law Office, Wellington for Respondent