## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND

SC 61/2014 [2014] NZSC 94

BETWEEN TODD AARON MARTELEY

**Applicant** 

AND THE LEGAL SERVICES

**COMMISSIONER** 

Respondent

Court: Elias CJ, McGrath and Glazebrook JJ

Counsel: A J Ellis for the Applicant

FMR Cooke QC for the Respondent

Judgment: 22 July 2014

## JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

- A The application for leave to appeal is granted (*The Legal Services Commissioner v Marteley* [2014] NZCA 185).
- B The approved questions are:
  - (a) Was the interpretation of s 8 of the Legal Services Act 2011 by the majority of the Court of Appeal correct?
  - (b) Should costs have been awarded to the applicant in the courts below?

Solicitors:

Carole Curtis, Auckland for Applicant
David Howden, Wellington for Respondent