

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND

I TE KŌTI MANA NUI O AOTEAROA

SC 52/2009
SC 53/2009
SC UR 10/2024
[2024] NZSC 175

BETWEEN JOHN KENNETH SLAVICH
Applicant
AND THE KING
Respondent

Court: Winkelmann CJ and Ellen France J
Counsel: Applicant in person
Judgment: 19 December 2024

JUDGMENT OF THE COURT

- A** The application for recall of this Court's judgment of 7 October 2024 (*Slavich v R* [2024] NZSC 133) is dismissed.
- B** The Registrar is directed not to accept for filing any further applications for recall relating to this judgment, or the judgment of 7 October 2024 (*Slavich v R* [2024] NZSC 133).
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REASONS

[1] Mr Slavich has filed an application for correction to the judgment of the Court of 7 October 2024.¹ The Court in that judgment relevantly declined a further application for recall of an earlier judgment of the Court.² We treat the present application as an application for recall as what it seeks is to have the Court revisit the earlier judgment. Given that the application is an attempt to relitigate the Court's

¹ *Slavich v R* [2024] NZSC 133 (Winkelmann CJ and Ellen France J).

² *Slavich v R* [2020] NZSC 34 (Winkelmann CJ, William Young, Glazebrook, O'Regan and Ellen France JJ).

reasoning in the judgment of 7 October 2024, there is no proper basis for the recall of the judgment.³

[2] The application for recall of this Court's judgment of 7 October 2024 (*Slavich v R* [2024] NZSC 133) is dismissed.

[3] The Registrar is directed not to accept for filing any further applications for recall relating to this judgment, or the judgment of 7 October 2024 (*Slavich v R* [2024] NZSC 133).

³ See *Horowhenua County v Nash (No 2)* [1968] NZLR 632 (SC) at 633 as cited in *Saxmere Company Ltd v Wool Board Disestablishment Company Ltd (No 2)* [2009] NZSC 122, [2010] 1 NZLR 76 at [2].