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AT SYDNEY

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AT 2.00PM

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MR PARARAJASINGHAM: Commissioner, a matter has arisen over the break. Mr Stavis, it appears his condition has deteriorated to the point that he was very unwell over the break. To me he does not appear to be in a state to continue this afternoon. I'm asking, Commissioner, that we rise now and we resume on Monday with Mr Stavis's evidence. Mr Stavis apologises to the Commission but he is in quite a state and my concern is, and his concern is that he is not doing himself justice in these proceedings.

THE COMMISSIONER: Mr Buchanan.

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MR BUCHANAN: There's no disagreement on our part with what Mr Pararajasingham said.

THE COMMISSIONER: All right.

MR PARARAJASINGHAM: Commissioner, I can just indicate, he's just outside in the, in one of the rooms.

20 THE COMMISSIONER: No, that's fine. Look, without being over-intrusive, could I suggest that he goes back to his doctor and maybe gets some kind of prognosis about what - - -

MR PARARAJASINGHAM: Certainly, I understand.

THE COMMISSIONER: Yes.

MR PARARAJASINGHAM: Certainly I'll convey that to him, yes.

30 THE COMMISSIONER: All right then. I'll grant the application, we'll shortly adjourn and we are - I'm sorry, did you have - - -

MR PARARAJASINGHAM: No, no, I'll sit down, sorry.

40 THE COMMISSIONER: Now, we will resume Monday, but we are in a new location for the next two weeks. We're at the LECC, and I'm looking at level 3, is it, at the St James Centre. So for people whose chambers are in Phillip Street it's going to be a shorter walk, and we're starting at 11.00am to allow us to set up. Now, can I say to everybody, the reason why we're moving is that the Skyline public inquiry recommences here on Monday at 10 o'clock. So if everybody can remove any of your folders or anything that you'll need, and indeed just to clear the way for Skyline, and is it Skyline or Skylight?

MR BUCHANAN: Line.

THE COMMISSIONER: Line. I am saying it, I always get it confused with James Bond movies. Sorry. All right. So 11.00am on Monday, new

location. Any other issues that anybody needs to raise at the moment? All right then. Look, we will adjourn until 11.00am on Monday.

AT 2.13PM THE MATTER WAS ADJOURNED ACCORDINGLY
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