

**IN THE EMPLOYMENT COURT OF NEW ZEALAND
AUCKLAND**

**I TE KŌTI TAKE MAHI O AOTEAROA
TĀMAKI MAKĀURAU**

**[2024] NZEmpC 241
EMPC 393/2024**

IN THE MATTER OF an application for a freezing order and
 ancillary orders

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application to vary orders

BETWEEN SOUNDHOMES NZ LIMITED
 Applicant

AND PHILIP CARL DOUGHTY
 First Respondent

AND PROCLADD EXTERIOR SOLUTIONS
 LIMITED
 Second Respondent

AND BLACKDOG FINISHES LIMITED
 Third Respondent

AND PREVENT SERVICES LIMITED
 Fourth Respondent

Hearing: 4 December 2024 (by telephone)

Appearances: M Bouzaid, counsel for applicant
 MC Donovan and D Montepara, counsel for respondents

Judgment: 4 December 2024

**JUDGMENT (NO 5) OF JUDGE B A CORKILL
(Application to vary orders)**

[1] In my judgment of 14 November 2024,¹ I extended a freezing order, stating that it would continue until 10 am on 10 December 2024 and be reviewed on 6 December 2024.

[2] In anticipation of that review, I held a telephone hearing today.

[3] The parties have now attended mediation, and discussions are continuing.

[4] The parties have accordingly agreed to request an extension of the freezing order by consent.

[5] On that basis, I make the following orders and directions:

- (a) The review hearing of this matter scheduled for 6 December 2024 is vacated.
- (b) There will be a review hearing for this proceeding at 10 am on 16 December 2024. For the purposes of this hearing, the applicant's submissions are to be filed and served by 9 am on 12 December 2024, and the respondent's submissions are to be filed and served by 9 am on 13 December 2024.
- (c) The freezing and ancillary orders made by the Court on 25 October 2024, are now extended until 10 am on 18 December 2024, or such earlier time/date as the Court may fix.

[6] This judgment is to be served immediately on the relevant banks.

[7] Costs are reserved.

B A Corkill
Judge

Judgment signed at 3.15 pm on 4 December 2024

¹ *Soundhomes NZ Ltd v Doughty (No 4)* [2024] NZEmpC 217.