

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

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

**[2024] NZEmpC 82
EMPC 164/2024**

IN THE MATTER OF a without notice application for freezing and
ancillary orders

BETWEEN PACIFIC INSULATION LIMITED
Applicant

AND RODERIGO JOSE LAGERA
First Respondent

AND RJ & AL CONTRACTING LIMITED
(formerly PACIFIC INSULATION (NORTH
ISLAND) LIMITED)
Second Respondent

Hearing: On the papers

Appearances: J Lapthorne and S Caradus, counsel for applicant

Judgment: 17 May 2024

**JUDGMENT OF JUDGE J C HOLDEN
(Application for freezing and ancillary orders)**

[1] The applicant in this proceeding has filed a without notice application for a freezing and ancillary orders.

[2] I am satisfied that it is appropriate to proceed without notice and that this matter is urgent and therefore should be dealt with immediately. Urgency is granted accordingly. A reasons judgment will follow as soon as practicable.

[3] The freezing and ancillary orders are granted substantively as drafted, noting that the date inserted in para 6 is Thursday 30 May 2024, with the matter to be called at 9.30 am on that date.

[4] The Court file is not to be searched except by leave of a Judge, which will be obtained only after notice has been given to the parties who will be provided with an opportunity to address such an application.

[5] The application and orders will be reviewed by the Court at **9.30 am on Thursday 30 May 2024**. The hearing will be by audio visual link. If any party is unable to participate in that way, the party may do so by telephone.

[6] In addition to the order, a copy of this judgment, the hearing notice and all documents filed by the applicant are to be served on the respondent as soon as possible. When the Court's reasons judgment is released, it is to be served immediately on the respondents.

[7] The Court is to be notified as soon as all documents have been served and an affidavit of service must be filed.

[8] This judgment is not to be published until after the matter is called. This allows the respondents to obtain advice, including in respect of publication.

J C Holden
Judge

Judgment signed at 2.50 pm on 17 May 2024