

**INQUIRY INTO THE CENTENARY HOUSE LEASE**

Before the Hon David Hunt AO QC

Held at Level 5,  
55 Market Street, Sydney

On Monday, 11 October 2004  
(Day 32)

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28  
29  
30  
31  
32  
33  
34  
35  
36  
37  
38  
39  
40  
41  
42  
43  
44  
45  
46  
47

THE COMMISSIONER: I make the following orders:

The Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet is ordered to produce certified copies of the second, third and fifth "elements" referred to in the third affidavit of Dr Shergold for my inspection as a preliminary step towards the final exercise of balancing the competing public interests and the decision as to whether its claim for immunity should be upheld or rejected. The certified copies of those documents must be produced on or before Friday 15 October 2004.

In the event that the Commonwealth applies to a court of competent jurisdiction on or before Thursday 14 October 2004 to have the order for inspection reviewed, the filing of such an application will operate as a stay of that order until further order.

I publish my reasons.