

Application notice

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In the High Court of Justice Queen's Bench Division	
Claim no.	QB-2019-000616
Fee Account no.	PBA0087028
Warrant no. (if applicable)	
Claimant (including ref.)	(1) Nuneaton & Bedworth Borough Council (2) Warwickshire County Council
Defendants (including ref.)	(1) Thomas Corcoran *(2)-(53) Other Named Defendants* (54) Persons Unknown
Date	25 July 2022

1. What is your name or, if you are a legal representative, the name of your firm?

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Sharpe Pritchard LLP

2. Are you a Claimant Defendant Legal Representative

Other (please specify)

If you are a solicitor whom do you represent

Claimant

3. What order are you asking the court to make and why?

The Claimant seeks an extension of time for service of evidence for the reasons set out in paragraph 10 of this Application Notice.

4. Have you attached a draft of the order you are applying for Yes No

5. How do you want to have this application dealt with? at a hearing without a hearing

at a telephone hearing

6. How long do you think the hearing will last? Hours Minutes

Is this time estimate agreed by all parties? Yes No

7. Give details of any fixed trial date or period

8. What level of Judge does your hearing need?

High Court

9. Who should be served with this application?

Defendants

9a. Please give the service address, (other than details of the claimant or defendant) of any party named in question 9.

10. What information will you be relying on, in support of your application?

the attached witness statement

the statement of case

the evidence set out in the box below

If necessary, please continue on a separate sheet

It is respectfully submitted that the extension sought should be granted for the following reasons:

1. The Claimants seek an extension to file and serve the updated evidence on the basis that the statement has been prepared however, due to limited resources and the holiday period there has been some difficulties experienced with finalising and gathering the evidence required to complete the witness statement.
2. It is respectfully submitted that the extension sought should be granted for the following reasons:
 - i. No Defendant has acknowledged service or participated in the proceedings to date, or indicated that they intend to.
 - ii. The next deadline after the filing and serving of the updating evidence is another direction/deadline that the Claimant must meet (that being that the Claimant file and serve Scott Schedules particularising the allegations against each Defendant). The Defendants need not respond to the Scott Schedules or provide any evidence in response to the Claim until 19 September 2022. Therefore, there is no prejudice caused to the Defendants by the extension sought. Conversely, there would be prejudice caused to the Claimants by refusing the extension, as important evidence upon which the Claimants seek to rely will not be before the Court.
 - iii. The extension in no way jeopardises the listing of the final hearing, nor does it require any other direction to be varied, so there is no prejudice caused in that regard.

11. Do you believe you, or a witness who will give evidence on your behalf, are vulnerable in any way which the court needs to consider?

Yes. Please explain in what way you or the witness are vulnerable and what steps, support or adjustments you wish the court and the judge to consider.

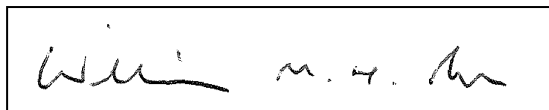
No

Statement of Truth

I understand that proceedings for contempt of court may be brought against anyone who makes, or causes to be made, a false statement in a document verified by a statement of truth without an honest belief in its truth.

- I believe that the facts stated in section 10 (and any continuation sheets) are true.
- The Applicant believes** that the facts stated in section 10 (and any continuation sheets) are true. **I am authorised** by the applicant to sign this statement.

Signature



- Applicant
- Litigation friend (where applicant is a child or a Protected Party)
- Applicant's legal representative (as defined by CPR 2.3(1))

Date

Day

25

Month

July

Year

2022

Full name

William Maxwell Hunt Rose

Name of applicant's legal representative's firm

Sharpe Pritchard LLP

If signing on behalf of firm or company give position or office held

Partner

Applicant's address to which documents should be sent.

Building and street

Elm Yard, 10-16 Elm Street

Second line of address

Town or city

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County (optional)

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