

IN THE HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA
PERTH REGISTRY

No. P34 of 2013

ON APPEAL FROM THE COURT OF APPEAL
SUPREME COURT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

BETWEEN:

ERNEST MUNDA
Appellant

-and-

THE STATE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Respondent



APPELLANT'S CHRONOLOGY

Part I:

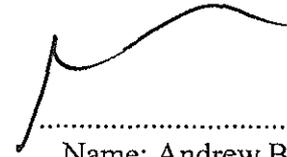
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Part II:

14 May 1978	The appellant's date of birth.
13 July 2010	Commission of the offence charged on indictment 72 of 2011.
13 July 2010	The appellant's arrest and the appellant's first police interview. The appellant was charged with murder and remanded in custody.
21 August 2010	The appellant's second police interview.
4 May 2011	The State discontinues the charge of murder and presents a new charge of manslaughter in the Magistrates Court at Stirling Gardens. The appellant enters plea of guilty to manslaughter and is committed for sentence to the Supreme Court at Perth.
4 July 2011	Sentence proceedings before Judge Commissioner Sleight at the Supreme Court at Perth. Sentence reserved.
7 July 2011	Sentence of five years and three months imprisonment (eligible for parole) delivered by Judge Commissioner Sleight: <i>SOWA v Munda</i> [2011] WASCSR 87.
21 July 2011	Notice of Appeal filed in the WA Court of Appeal (' the COA ') by the State of Western Australia (' the State ').
16 September 2011	'Appellant's Case' (including grounds of appeal) filed in the COA by the State.
11 October 2011	'Respondent's Answer' filed in the COA by the appellant (including 'respondent's review' of comparable sentences).
13 February 2012	Appeal Hearing in the COA. Parties directed to file further written submissions. Matter adjourned.
5 March 2012	Supplementary written submissions filed in the COA by the appellant.
13 March 2012	Supplementary written submissions filed in the COA by the State.
22 August 2012	The COA delivers judgment: <i>SOWA v Munda</i> [2012] WASCA 164. Original sentence set aside and sentence of seven years and nine months imprisonment (eligible for parole) imposed.

- 10 September 2012** Application for special leave to appeal to the High Court filed by the appellant (P28 of 2012).
- 6 June 2013** Special leave to appeal to the High Court granted by Hayne, Bell and Keane JJ (P34 of 2013).
- 13 October 2013** The date the appellant would have been first eligible for parole under the original sentence.
- 13 October 2015** The date the original sentence would have expired.
- 13 April 2016** The date the appellant is currently first eligible for parole.
- 13 April 2018** The date the current sentence expires.

Dated: 1 July 2013



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