



CASE NO: 77880/2009

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SOUTH AFRICA  
(NORTH GAUTENG HIGH COURT, PRETORIA)**

PRETORIA 13 JANUARY 2010

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE TUCHTEN, AJ

In the matter between:

LOUIS KAREL FICK  
RICHARD THOMAS ETHEREDGE  
WILLIAM MICHAEL CAMPBELL

1<sup>ST</sup> APPLICANT  
2<sup>ND</sup> APPLICANT  
3<sup>RD</sup> APPLICANT

AND

GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBABWE

RESPONDENT

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HAVING HEARD counsel(s) for the party(ies) and having read the documents filed of record

**IT IS ORDERED**

1. THAT leave is hereby granted to serve the main application under case number 77881/2009 upon the respondent by delivering a copy of the application to:-
  - 1.1 the offices of the Attorney-General in Harare in Zimbabwe; and
  - 1.2 the administrative head office of the respondent's Minister of Justice in Harare.
2. THAT the attorney David Drury of the firm of attorneys Gollop and Blank in Harare is hereby authorized to deliver a copy of the application in the manner as contemplated in prayer 1 above.
3. THAT the attorney David Drury is further directed to:
  - 3.1 endeavour to obtain an acknowledgement of receipt, either in the form of an acknowledgement of receipt signature or a rubberstamp from any official in the employ of the respondent's Attorney-General or Minister of Justice under which receipt of the main application is acknowledged;
  - 3.2 depose to an affidavit in which he is directed to state *inter alia* the identity of the relevant representative official to whom he delivered a copy of the application, as contemplated in this order, to state the date when the delivery

was made and to record any other facts, information or material relevant to the question whether the application came to the knowledge of the respondent's Attorney-General and/or Minister of Justice.

4. THAT the respondent file a notice of intention to oppose by no later than 26 January 2010, and if so, an opposing affidavit within ten (10) court days after that date.
5. THAT the attorney David Drury is also directed to deliver a copy of this order to the respondent, in the same manner as has been set out above.
6. THAT the costs of this application are costs in the main application.

**BY THE COURT**

**REGISTRAR**

Att: HURTER SPIES  
HIGH COURT TYPIST: H POTGIETER