

CD/17/79312

APPLICATION FOR ACCESS TO MATERIAL

In the Children's Court of Victoria

at: _____

Case no: _____

Name of accused: _____

Date of hearing: _____

APPLICATION FOR ACCESS TO:

- Charge sheets Hand-up brief Statement of witnesses
 Exhibits Other: _____

UNDERTAKING:If given permission by the Court to access material, I UNDERTAKE THAT:

- 1.1 I will follow the directions of court staff as to the location, time duration and manner of accessing the material.
- 1.2 I will take all reasonable care in accessing and handling the material.
- 1.3 I will access and use the material only for the purpose of making a fair and accurate report of the proceedings.
- 1.4 If permitted to take a copy of any accessed material, I will not provide a copy of that material to or allow a further copy of that material to be made by any person other than a member of my organisation or a lawyer acting for my organisation unless that person has also made, signed and filed a like application and undertaking with the Court. By giving this undertaking, I intend to bind in a like manner other employees of my organisation and lawyers acting on my organisation's behalf to whom copies of the materials have been given.
- 1.5 Unless permitted otherwise by the Court, I will destroy all such copy material within seven (7) business days of the end of the hearing to which it relates and will retain securely at all times until it is destroyed.
- 1.6 I understand and will abide by the prohibitions contained in section 534 of the *Children, Youth and Families Act 2005* (Vic) prohibiting publication of any particulars likely to lead to the identification of the venue of the Court, a child or other party or any witness to the proceeding.

These undertakings are given in the knowledge that any breach of them by me may be dealt with as a contempt of court and/or prosecution pursuant to section 534 of the *Children, Youth and Families Act 2005* (Vic) or otherwise as the Court considers appropriate in the circumstances.

Application made and Undertaking given this _____ day of _____, 20_____

