



**Appeal number: CA/2014/0001
CA/2014/0002**

**FIRST-TIER TRIBUNAL (CHARITY)
GENERAL REGULATORY CHAMBER**

KEITH COLMAN

Appellant

- and -

THE CHARITY COMMISSION FOR ENGLAND AND WALES **Respondents**

TRIBUNAL: JUDGE ALISON MCKENNA

Sitting in Chambers on 26 March 2014

Upon the Appellant having asked for an extension of time of “at least 21 days” in which to file his Reply, which was due on 24 March, and the Respondent having indicated that it does not object to an extension of time in principle but considers that 14 days would be a more appropriate period of time in view of the desirability of progressing the appeals expeditiously

And having regard to the overriding objective and the need to avoid delay so far as is compatible with the proper consideration of the issues

IT IS DIRECTED that

1. The Appellant is granted an extension of time of 14 days in which to make his Reply which means it must be filed with the Tribunal and served on the Respondent by no later than 4pm on Wednesday 9 April 2014;
2. The Appellant’s Reply is to:

- (a) provide further details of his grounds of appeal (but need not provide documentary evidence in support of his grounds at this stage);
 - (b) provide his response to the Respondent's submission that he is not a person entitled to appeal its decisions of 13 December 2013 and, in particular, specify how he says he was or may have been affected by the Respondent's decisions in view of his resignation as a charity trustee prior to the date on which they were taken;
 - (c) provide further reasons for his request that a stay of these appeals is granted pending the resolution of proceedings in the High Court.
3. After the Appellant's Reply is received, the Tribunal will proceed to rule in writing on the preliminary issue of whether the Appellant is a person falling within column 2 of schedule 6 to the Charities Act 2011 in respect of decisions made under section 76 (6) of that Act, and so whether he is entitled to bring the appeals.
4. The Tribunal will not take any further steps or require the parties to take any further steps in these appeals until the preliminary issue has been decided.
5. The parties have permission to apply to vary these directions.

ALISON MCKENNA

PRINCIPAL JUDGE
DATE: 26 March 2014

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