

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NAURU

CIVIL ACTION NO. 22/2002
CIVIL ACTION NO. 11/2001

BETWEEN : **STEPHANIE THOMA** PLAINTIFF
AND : **LESLIE ADAM (AS CHAIRMAN OF**
 NAURU LANDS COMMITTEE & ORS DEFENDANTS

IN COURT
Monday, August 05, 2002.

Mr. Reuben Kun for Plaintiff
No appearance for Defendants

For an Order for Certiorari.

ORDER

UPON hearing Mr. Reuben ^{Kun} for the Plaintiff, the Court dismissed the application for an order for Certiorari.

Action No. 11/2001 consequent on the application was also dismissed.


No order as to costs.

REASONS.

1. There was no decision of the Nauru Lands Committee, advanced in evidence by the Plaintiff, that could have been quashed by the Court.
2. Adimim v Eobob a case heard by the Central Court in 1954 adjudged that the phosphate land "Ijati" Portion 48, Buada,

should be distributed in a certain way. It appears that the judgment was followed as required in regard to "Ijati". There was nothing left to be done so far as Adimim v Eobob was concerned.

3. If at the time, or some other stage, there was a concern about the distribution of Egago's estate, it should, in the ordinary course of appeal have been then and there dealt with. It is too late to raise it now.


BARRY CONNELL
CHIEF JUSTICE
5 August 2002

