

SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA

Citation: *R.C. v. Nova Scotia (Attorney General)*, 2016 NSSC 299

Date: 20161104

Docket: *Halifax*, No. 312546

Registry: Truro

Between:

R.C.

Plaintiff

- and -

The Attorney General of Nova Scotia, Representing Her
Majesty the Queen in Right of the Province of Nova
Scotia and Cesar Lalo

Defendants

AND

Docket: *Truro*, No. 421559

Registry: Truro

Between:

R.C.

Plaintiff

- and -

Tim Hill and Michael Bowers, Personal Representatives
of the Estate of Robert Rees, Deceased and Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Greater Halifax

Defendants

DECISION

Judge: The Honourable Justice Jeffrey R. Hunt

Heard: September 6, 2016, in Truro, Nova Scotia

Final Written November 4, 2016

Counsel: John T. Rafferty, Q.C., Solicitor for the Plaintiff, R.C.
Debbie Brown, Solicitor for the Attorney General of Nova Scotia
Christa Brothers, Q.C., Solicitor for the Defendant, Big Brothers Big
Sisters of Greater Halifax

Subject: **Civil Procedure Rule 37.03** considered in the context of a motion that two matters be “tried or heard together”.

Summary: The Plaintiff sought an order to hear two proceedings together. One Defendant consented, the second Defendant was opposed.

Issue: Whether the two proceedings meet the test in Rule 37.03 such that they ought to be heard together.

Result: The motion to have the two proceedings heard together was granted with costs to be determined.

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