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Executive Summary (1 minute read)

BCI Media Group Pty Ltd v Corelogic Australia Pty Ltd (FCA) - preliminary discovery - copyright - 'prospective applicant' sought preliminary discovery orders against 'prospective respondents' - preliminary discovery orders granted in respect of seven out of eight document categories

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Summaries With Link (Five Minute Read)

BCI Media Group Pty Ltd v Corelogic Australia Pty Ltd [2020] FCA 1556
Federal Court of Australia
Charlesworth J
Preliminary discovery - copyright - 'prospective applicant', under rr7.22 & 7.23 *Federal Court Rules 2011* (Cth) sought preliminary discovery orders against 'prospective respondents' - whether prospective application already had 'sufficient information in its possession' - whether document categories sought 'too broad to make a decision to sue' - consideration of eight categories - s115 *Copyright Act 1968* (Cth) - held: preliminary discovery orders granted in respect of seven categories.
BCI
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The Grasshopper
By: Richard Lovelace

O THOU that swing'st upon the waving hair
  Of some well-fillèd oaten beard,
Drunk every night with a delicious tear
  Dropt thee from heaven, where thou wert rear'd!

The joys of earth and air are thine entire, 5
  That with thy feet and wings dost hop and fly;
And when thy poppy works, thou dost retire
  To thy carved acorn-bed to lie.

Up with the day, the Sun thou welcom'st then,
  Sport'st in the gilt plaits of his beams, 10
And all these merry days mak'st merry men,
  Thyself, and melancholy streams.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Richard_Lovelace

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