

## Permission to Appeal results – March 2020

Case name	Justices	PTA	Reasons given
La Brea Environs Protectors (Appellant) v The Petroleum Company of Trinidad and Tobago (Petrotrin) and another (Respondents) (Trinidad & Tobago) JCPC 2019/0092	Lord Wilson Lord Briggs Lord Kitchin	Granted 10 March 2020	
Mission and Pastoral Measure 2011 - Benefice of Castle Bytham with Creeton JCPC 2019/0117	Lady Hale Lord Hodge Lord Kerr	Refused 12 March 2020	Permission to appeal should be refused because the Board sees no prospect of the appeal establishing any of the grounds for its intervention and must therefore refuse the application.
Boodram (Respondent) v Attorney General of Trinidad and Tobago (Appellant) (Trinidad and Tobago) JCPC 2018/0106	Lord Reed Lady Black Lord Kitchin	Granted 23 March 2020	
Cohen (Appellant) v The State (Respondent) (Trinidad & Tobago) JCPC 2019/0056	Lord Reed Lady Black Lord Kitchin	Granted/Refused 26 March 2020	Permission to appeal against sentence granted only on the grounds settled by counsel, based on <i>Nervais</i> .  Permission to appeal against conviction (on both the grounds settled by Counsel and those submitted by the Appellant) is refused because there is no risk that a serious miscarriage of justice has occurred.
<b>In the following cases, the advice which the Board proposes to give to Her Majesty is as indicated below</b>			
Friend and others (Appellants) v The Queen (Respondent) (Guernsey) JCPC 2019/0086	Lord Reed Lady Arden Lord Hamblen	Refused 11 March 2020	Permission should be refused. There are a number of difficulties with this application, including the fact that the complaint of mistreatment inducing confessions could have been raised before the Privy Council in 1955, but was not.