

# THE EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

## **BETWEEN**

Mr Patterson

Claimant

**AND** 

**Capitol Seafoods** 

Respondent

### JUDGMENT OF THE EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNAL

REGION: London Central ON: 21 January 2021 EMPLOYMENT JUDGE: Mr Paul Stewart MEMBERS: sitting alone

Appearances:

**For Claimant:** did not appear and was not represented did not appear and was not represented

#### **JUDGMENT**

It is ordered that:

- 1. This matter be adjourned until 18 February 2021 at 1000 hours; and
- 2. The Claimant be sent a letter warning him that consideration is being given to striking out the claim on the basis that it is not actively being pursued.

#### **REASONS**

- 1. The hearing was a remote public hearing, conducted using the Cloud Video Platform (CVP) under rule 46. The tribunal considered it as just and equitable to conduct the hearing in this way.
- 2. In accordance with Rule 46, the tribunal ensured that members of the public could attended and observe the hearing. This was done via a notice published on Courtserve.net. No members of the public attended.
- 3. A party attending would have been able to hear what the tribunal heard. From a technical perspective, there were no difficulties.
- 4. No requests were made by any members of the public to inspect any witness statements or for any other written materials before the tribunal.
- 5. As the parties had not communicated with the Tribunal since October 2020, an email had been sent to the Claimant on 13 January 2021 asking whether he wished to proceed with the claim. A reply was received indicating that the Claimant did wish to proceed.
- 6. However, neither party attended today.

7. In these circumstances, I am adjourning the hearing to 18 February 2021 at 1100 hours for a CVP appointment. However, I direct that the Claimant be sent a letter pursuant to Rule 37 warning him that consideration is being given to striking out the claim on the basis that it is not actively being pursued.

Signed:

Paul Stewart

**EMPLOYMENT JUDGE** 

On:

21 January 2021

**DECISION SENT TO THE PARTIES ON** 

02/02/2021..

AND ENTERED IN THE REGISTER

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FOR SECRETARY OF THE TRIBUNALS

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