

Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber)

Appeal Number: EA/03592/2015

# **THE IMMIGRATION ACTS**

Heard at FIELD HOUSE

On 30<sup>th</sup> January 2018

DecisionandReasonsPromulgatedOn 07th February 2018

Before

#### DEPUTY UPPER TRIBUNAL JUDGE G A BLACK

#### Between

#### MISS JONABEL SALVANA HACHERO NO ANONYMITY ORDER MADE

<u>Appellant</u>

and

# THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME DEPARTMENT

**Respondent** 

### **Representation**:

For the Appellant: Mr A Malik (Counsel) For the Respondent: Mr P Nath (Home Office Presenting Officer)

### **DECISION AND REASONS**

1. I shall refer to the parties as "the appellant" and "the Respondent". This is an error of law hearing to consider whether or not there is a material error of law in the decision the Designated First-tier Tribunal (Judge McCarthy) ("FTT") promulgated on 4th April 2017 in which he dismissed the appeal for want of jurisdiction.

# <u>Background</u>

2. The appellant is a citizen of Philippines and she applied for an EEA residence card as an extended family member.

# FTT decision

3. The FTT followed the decision in **Sala [2016] UKUT 00411 (IAC)** in finding that the 2006 EEA Regulations do not provide a right of appeal to a person relying on Regulation 8 as an extended family member.

### Application for permission to appeal

4. In grounds it was contended that the FTT erred by following <u>Sala</u> which was not binding and/or was wrong and the FTT had jurisdiction to hear the appeal.

#### Permission grant

 Permission was granted by FTJ Chamberlain who found that there were arguable grounds showing an error having regard to <u>Khan [2017] EWCA</u> <u>Civ 1755</u> in which it was decided that a refusal to an extended family member was an appealable decision.

#### **Discussion and conclusion**

 Both parties were agreed that the judgment in <u>Khan</u> was presently the applicable law. Whilst there was a judgment from the Supreme Court pending, the time scale was not known. I agreed that the most pragmatic course to take was to remit the matter to the First-tier Tribunal for hearing.

### Decision

7. There is a material error of law in the decision which shall be set aside. The appeal is to be remitted to the First-tier Tribunal at Taylor House (not before DFTJ McCarthy) for a hearing de novo.

Signed

Date 5.2.2018

GA Black Deputy Judge of the Upper Tribunal

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Signed

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# Deputy Judge of the Upper Tribunal