Case No: 1301492/2023



EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Miss P Turns

Respondent: Green Room Design Ltd

(In Voluntary Liquidation)

Heard at: Midlands West Employment Tribunal

On: 11 September 2024

Before: Employment Judge Noons

Mrs Ray Ms Russel

Representation

Claimant: in person Respondent: did not attend

JUDGMENT

It is the unanimous decision of the Employment Tribunal that:

- 1. The Claimant claim of automatically unfair dismissal is well founded and succeeds.
- 2. The Claimant claim of discrimination on grounds of her pregnancy is well founded and succeeds.
- 3. A schedule is attached detailed the calculations for the amount awarded to the claimant. In summary we award the claimant £23,000 injury to feelings, £18,367.60 for loss of earnings and other benefits, £396.72 additional expenses incurred by the claimant because of the respondent's act of discrimination. We also award the sum of £4655.92 interest. These figures are the net sums owed to the claimant and to the extent that any statutory contributions are required to be made the respondent is liable to make these contributions as well as the sums above.
- 4. It should be noted that the award is subject to the recoupment provisions. The monetary element of the award is £18367.60. The amount of the

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prescribed element is £1001. The prescribed element is attributable to the period 2 December 2022 to 19 May 2023. The monetary element exceeds the prescribed element by £17,366.60.

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Date____11 September 2024____

Compensatory award – there is no basic award.

Net earnings per week = £561.69 Employer pension contributions= £22.50 Family Health care cover = £11.83 Total loss per week

=£596.02

2/12/22 to 19/5/23 = 24 weeks 24 x £596.02 =£14,304.48 *Less* Actual earnings =£1897.01 Total loss of earnings to start of ML

=£12,407.47

Loss during maternity leave 6 weeks x £561.69 x 90% = £3033.13 33 weeks SMP = £5691.84 Pension

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52 weeks x £22.50 =£1,170

Holiday pay

FTE is 32 days. $32/5 \times 3 = 19.2$ days holiday pay

 $19.2 \times £187.23 = £3594.82$

Private medical = £461.34 (from claimant's figures)

Total entitlement during ML = £13,951.13

Less actual earnings and Maternity Allowance

Earnings = £1264 MA = £6727

Total loss during ML = £5960.13

Total loss up to date of liquidation of company

=£18,367.60

Injury to Feelings

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=£23,000

Additional losses incurred due to discrimination

Mileage for dropping children off whilst looking for work or attending job centre.

11.6 miles for 76 days @ 0.45 a mile

=£396.72

Interest @ 8 %

On injury to feelings=

£23,000 x 8% /365 = £5.04 per day

656 days from 25 November 22 until 11 September 24

 $656 \times £5.04 = £3,306.95$

On all other elements

£18,367.60 x 8% / 365 = £4.11 per day

Mid point is 328 days

 $328 \times £4.11 = £1,348.97$

Total interest

=£4655.92

Recoupment

£18367.60 monetary award

Prescribed element £1001

No future loss of earnings to be awarded as the company went into liquidation on 14 May 2024.