Case: 1802587/2022



EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Mr B Brown

Respondent: Acorn Sheetmetal Limited

AT A HEARING

Heard at: Hull On: 5th August 2022

Before: Employment Judge Lancaster

Representation

Claimant: In person

Respondent: Did not attend, and no application for a postponement

JUDGMENT

- 1. Pursuant to rule 47, having proceeded in the absence of the Respondent and heard evidence from the Claimant it is declared:
- 2.1 The Claimant was dismissed by reason of redundancy on 23rd March 2022.
- 2.2 The Claimant is entitled to a statutory redundancy payment, calculated on the basis of 7 years both presumed under section 210 (5) and actual continuous employment, applying section 97(2) of the Employment Rights Act 1996, at 1 weeks pay for each year served.
- 2.3 The Claimant was wrongfully dismissed in breach of his contractual and statutory right to 6 weeks notice.
 - This is corrected from the decision announced orally, which incorrectly stated 7 weeks, when the Claimant in fact had only 6 years completed full employment up to the date of termination
- 2.4 The Respondent has made an unauthorised deduction from the Claimant's wages by not paying him for the 3 days 21st to 23rd March 2022 at the temporarily reduced rate which was then applied during a period of lay-off.
- 2.5 The Respondent never provided the Claimant with a written statement of the terms and conditions of employment as required by Part 1 of the Employment Rights Act 1996, and is therefore liable to pay a further award pursuant to section 38 of the Employment Act 2002
- 3. The Respondent is therefore ordered to pay compensation to the Claimant as follows:

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3.1 £3,371.55 Redundancy payment Pay in lieu of notice 3.2 £2,892.24 gross 3 days wages @ £30.00 per day £90.00 gross 3.3 3.4 Additional award of 2 weeks pay £964.08 £7,317.87

Philip Lancaster

EMPLOYMENT JUDGE LANCASTER DATE 5th August 2022

JUDGMENT SENT TO THE PARTIES ON Date: 16th August 2022

Note

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