

COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS

No. IT/ NES/ 54 of 2019

INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL

In The Matter of The Industrial Relations Act

And

In the Matter of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules 2010

BETWEEN

PEGGY SWEETING-COOPER

Applicant

AND

AIRPORT AUTHORITY

Respondent

APPEARANCES: Mr. Hilbert Collie for the Applicant

No Appearance by or on behalf of the Respondent

BEFORE: Her Honour Vice President Simone I. Fitzcharles

ORDER ON DIRECTIONS

WHEREAS:

- 1) By Certificate of Referral of a Trade Dispute dated 1 May 2019, the Minister referred the subject dispute to the Industrial Tribunal;
- 2) Pursuant to Rule 3(1) of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules, 2010 a Notice for presentation of an Originating Application was issued by the Secretary of the Industrial Tribunal to the Applicant on 23 May 2019;
- 3) The Applicant filed an Originating Application (Form A) in the Industrial Tribunal on 30 May 2019;
- 4) Pursuant to Rule 4 of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules, 2010 a Notice of the Originating Application (Form C) was issued by the Tribunal to the Respondent on 3 June 2019;

- 5) A Notice of Appearance (Form D) was entered by the Respondent on 19 June 2019;
- 6) This matter was listed for a Case Management hearing on 5 November 2019 which was served on the Applicant and on the Respondent on 15 October 2019.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. The Respondent shall file and serve its Defence on the Applicant by no later than Tuesday 19 November 2019;
2. The Applicant shall file her Witness Statement and Bundle of Documents and serve the same on the Respondent by no later than Tuesday 26 November 2019;
3. The Respondent shall file its Witness Statement and Bundle of Documents and serve the same on the Applicant by no later than Tuesday 17 December 2019;
4. Each party shall be at liberty to call up to three (3) witnesses at the trial of this matter;
5. The Applicant and the Respondent shall file and serve their respective Skeleton Arguments and Authorities by no later than Monday 20 January 2020; and
6. The parties shall have liberty to apply for further directions and/or to vary these directions.

AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL

Dated this 5th day of November A.D. 2019.

Her Honour

Simone I. Fitzcharles
Vice President