

COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS

IT/NP2020-37

INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL

NEW PROVIDENCE

In the Matter of the Industrial Relations Act, Chapter 321

And

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

BETWEEN:

MANAGEMENT UNION

APPLICANT

v.

WATER & SEWERAGE CORPORATION

RESPONDENT

APPEARANCES: Mr. Obie Ferguson on behalf of the Applicant

No appearance on behalf of the Respondent

BEFORE: Her Honour, President Indira N. Demeritte-Francis

ORDER FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

WHEREAS:

- (1) By Certificate of Referral dated 11th February, 2020 the Minister referred the subject dispute to the Industrial Tribunal; and

- (2) In accordance with Rule 3 (1) of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules, 2010 a Notice for an Originating Application – Form A was sent on 26th February, 2020 by the Secretary, to the Tribunal, to the Applicant; and
- (3) There was no filing of an Originating Application into the Tribunal within the statutorily stipulated time; and
- (4) The matter was set for Call Over on the 10th November, 2020 and Notice for the said hearing was Gazetted in the Nassau Guardian Newspaper on the 16th October, 2020; and
- (5) On the day of the Case Management Hearing Mr. Obie Ferguson appeared on behalf of the Applicant and there was no appearance on behalf of the Respondent; and
- (6) Mr. Ferguson made an application before the Tribunal seeking an Extension of Time to file the Originating Application in relation to this matter; and
- (7) **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED :**
 - a. That the Applicant will file an Originating Application on or before 24th November, 2020.

AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL

DATED THIS, 10th November, 2020

Indira N. Demeritte – Francis
President
Industrial Tribunal