

**COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**

**NP2021-065**

**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:

**CORDELIA D. WARD, LaSHANE RODGERS, CASSANDRA BODIE-  
BETHEL**

APPLICANT

VS.

**F. M. L GROUP OF COMPANIES LIMITED**

RESPONDENT

Appearances: Mr. Errol McKinney on behalf of the Applicant  
Ms. Regina Bonaby holding for Mr. Wayne Munroe Q. C. on  
behalf of the Respondent

Before: Her Honour, Vice President Ingrid Cooper-Brooks

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ORDER ON DIRECTIONS

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Whereas:

1. By certificate of referral dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2021 the Minister referred the Trade Dispute to the Industrial Tribunal; and

2. The Applicant filed in the Industrial Tribunal an Originating Application (Form A) on the 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2021; and
3. Pursuant to Rule 15 (1) of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules 2010, the Industrial Tribunal conducted a Case Management Hearing for directions on the 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2021.

**4. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

- a. The Applicant is to file and serve Witness Statements, Skeleton Arguments and Bundles of Authorities by the 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2021;
- b. The Respondent is to file and serve Witness Statements, Skeleton Arguments and Bundles of Authorities by the 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2021;
- c. The Applicant to call three (3) witnesses;
- d. The Respondent to call two (2) witnesses;
- e. The estimated length of trial is two (2) days.

**AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL**

Dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, A.D., 2021.



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**Ingrid Cooper-Brooks**  
**Vice President**