

INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL

**COURT #5 SAFFREY SQUARE, EAST & BAY STREETS, NEW PROVIDENCE
COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**

Before

Ingrid Cooper-Brooks (Vice President)

(Sitting Alone)

THOMAS EDWARDS

Applicant

AND

JAMAICA BAHAMAS IMPORTS LIMITED

Respondent

ORDER ON DIRECTIONS

APPEARANCES

For the Applicant

Mr. Thomas Edwards
Pro Se

For the Respondent

Mr. Elkenny Lockhart

WHEREAS:

1. By Certificate of Referral dated 10th February, 2021 the Minister referred the subject Trade Dispute to the Industrial Tribunal; and
2. The Applicant filed in the Industrial Tribunal an Originating Application (Form A) on the 3rd March, 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 3rd December, 2021 and was adjourned several times to 7th November, 2022; and

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- a. The parties shall file all documents referred to in this order with the Tribunal electronically and shall furnish the Tribunal with physical copies of the same;
- b. The Applicant is to file Skeleton Arguments, Witness Statements and Bundle of Documents on or before 7th December, 2022;
- c. The Respondent is to file Skeleton Arguments, Witness Statements and Bundle of Documents on or before 14th December, 2022;
- d. There will be mutual exchange of documents via email as agreed by the parties.
- e. The Applicant is at liberty to call two (2) witnesses.
- f. The Respondent is at liberty to call one (1) witness.
- g. The estimated length of trial is one (1) day.

AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL

Dated this 7th day of November, A.D., 2022

**Ingrid Cooper-Brooks
Vice President
Industrial Tribunal**