

**NP2023-010**

**INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL**

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

Before

**MRS. RIONDA GODET VICE PRESIDENT (ACTING)**

**(Sitting Alone)**

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**RUTHMAE EDWARDS**

**Applicant**

**AND**

**BAHAMAS EXPERIENCE LIMOUSINE & TOURS**

**Respondent**

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**ORDER ON DIRECTIONS**

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## APPEARANCES

For the Applicant

Mr. Hilbert Collie  
Hilbert Collie & Associates

For the Respondent

Mr. Errol McKinney  
E M & Associates

**DATE: 1<sup>ST</sup> June 2023**

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, BY CONSENT**, as follows:

1. The trial of this matter shall be set down for one 1 day;
2. The Applicant has indicated that he intends to call up to two (2) witnesses and the Respondent has indicated that it intends to call up to three (3) witnesses.
  - 2.1 There shall be an inspection of documents at a place and time to be agreed between the parties on or before **9th June 2023**.
  - 2.2 The Applicant shall file his Witness Statements and Skeleton Arguments no later than **4:00 p.m. on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023** and the Respondent shall file its Witness Statements and Skeleton Arguments no later than **4:00 p.m. on 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2023** and, upon filing, the Applicant and the Respondent shall provide a hard copy of each to the Secretary to Court No. 5 and a copy of which shall be retained for the Court's use. Should the parties have their witnesses appear in person, a second hard copy of all documents to be relied upon at the hearing hereof, shall be presented to the secretary to Court No. 5.
  - 2.3 The witness statements shall stand as evidence in chief at the trial and should any witness not attend, the witness statements will not be accepted as evidence.
3. The Applicant and the Respondent shall file an agreed Bundle of Documents with two copies to the Secretary to Court No. 5 of the Tribunal no later than **4:00 p.m. on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023**.
4. Notwithstanding these preparatory steps, efforts to effect resolve should still be undertaken by the parties.

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**RIONDA GODET  
VICE PRESIDENT  
INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL**