

NP2023-146

INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL

**COURT #4 SAFFREY SQUARE, EAST & BAY STREETS, NEW PROVIDENCE
COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**

Before

**Subusola Swain Vice President (Acting)
(Sitting Alone)**

LATOYA COCKBURN

APPLICANT

AND

DIAMONDS INTERNATIONAL

RESPONDENT

ORDER ON DIRECTIONS

APPEARANCES

For the Applicant

Mr. Hilbert Collie
Hilbert Collie & Associates
Nassau, Bahamas

For the Respondent

Ms. Michaela Sumner- Budhi
Graham Thompson & Co
Nassau, Bahamas

WHEREAS:

1. By Certificate of Referral dated the 1st December, 2023 the Minister referred the Trade Dispute to the Industrial Tribunal; and
2. The Applicants filed in the Industrial Tribunal an Originating Application (Form A) on the 5th January, 2024; and
3. The Respondent filed in the Industrial Tribunal a Defence (Form E) on the 5th March, 2024 and;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- a. The Applicant shall file its Witness Statements and Bundle of Document on or before the 27th June, 2024.
- b. The Respondent shall file its Witness Statements and Bundle of Document on or before the 11th July, 2024.
- c. There will be mutual exchange of documents.
- d. The Applicant is at liberty to call two (2) witnesses.
- e. The Respondent is at liberty to call two (2) witnesses.
- f. The estimate length of trial is one (1) day.

**AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL
DATED THIS 13th DAY OF JUNE, A.D., 2024**

**Subusola Swain
Vice-President (Acting)
Industrial Tribunal**