

NP2024-120

INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL

**COURT #3 SAFFREY SQUARE, EAST & BAY STREETS, NEW PROVIDENCE
COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**

Before

Sharada D. Ferguson (Vice President)

(Sitting Alone)

PATRICK L. MILLS

Applicant

AND

AC MOSS WELDING AND DIESEL REPAIRS

Respondent

ORDER ON DIRECTIONS

Appearances

For the Applicant

Mr. Patrick L. Mills
Pro Se

For the Respondent

Mr. Ryan Brown
RBO Advisors

WHEREAS:

1. By Certificate of Referral dated the 11th July, 2024 the Minister referred the Trade Dispute to the Industrial Tribunal; and
2. The Applicant filed in the Industrial Tribunal Originating Application (Form A) on the 2nd September, 2024; and
3. The Respondent filed in the Industrial Tribunal a Notice of Appearance (Form D) on the 10th October, 2024 and its Defence (Form E) on the 7th November, 2024; and
4. Pursuant to Rule 15(1) of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules, 2010 the Industrial Tribunal set a fixture on the 9th December, 2024 for Case Management Hearing.

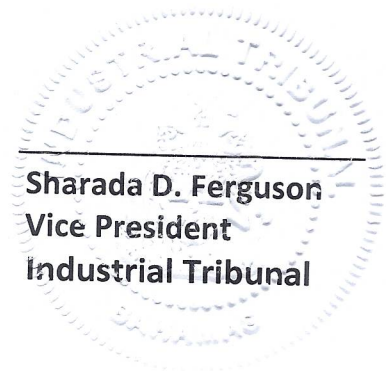
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- a. Pursuant to Rule 14(1) of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules, 2010, the Industrial Tribunal accedes to the Respondent's application and validates the late filing of its Defence (Form E).
- b. The Applicant is to file his Witness Statements, Bundle of Documents and Skeleton Arguments on or before the 9th January, 2025;
- c. The Respondent is to file its Witness Statements, Bundle of Documents and Skeleton Arguments on or before the 16th January, 2025;
- d. The estimated length of trial is two (2) days;
- e. The Applicant is at liberty to call one (1) witness;
- f. The Respondent is at liberty to call three (3) witnesses;
- g. There shall be a mutual exchange of documents;

h. The parties are at liberty to apply to vary or extend these directions.

AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL

Dated this 9th day of December, A.D., 2024



Sharada D. Ferguson
Vice President
Industrial Tribunal