



EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Mr O Odukoya

Respondent: Mr T Hopkins

JUDGMENT

The Claimant's application dated 10 November 2017 for reconsideration of the Judgment sent to the parties on 7 November 2017 is refused.

REASONS

1. The Claimant failed to attend a Preliminary Hearing for Case Management on 2 October 2017 without any explanation. By an Order dated 2 October 2017 the Tribunal gave the Claimant an opportunity to make representations as to why the claim should not be struck out because it has not been actively pursued.
2. The Claimant failed to make representations in writing why this should not be done and did not request a hearing. The claim was struck out as it had not been actively pursued. The Judgment was sent to the parties on 7 November 2017.
3. On 10 November 2017 the Claimant sought a reconsideration of the Judgment on the grounds that he had been unaware of the hearing as he was not able to attend to his affairs because of his medical condition.
4. By Letter dated 26 November 2017 the Respondent noted that the application was not supported by medical evidence.
5. On 21 December 2017 a letter was sent from the Employment Tribunal to the Claimant giving him an opportunity, by 4 January 2018, to respond to the Respondent's letter and to provide any medical evidence relied upon. The Claimant has not responded.

6. I consider the application for reconsideration has no reasonable prospect of success as it is not supported by medical evidence and the Claimant's failure to respond to the letter from the Employment Tribunal dated 21 December 2016 demonstrates that there is no reason to believe that the claim would be actively pursued if reinstated.

Employment Judge Tayler
8 January 2018