Case No: 1802372/2018



## **EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS**

Claimant: Mr M Whitehead

Respondents: Savage Blue Limited (2)

Abg Couriers Limited (3)

Heard at: Leeds On: 7 June 2018

Before:

Employment Judge JM Wade

Representation

Claimant: Ms Nanhoo-Robinson (counsel)

Second Respondent: No attendance

Third Respondent: Mr G Francis (managing director)

## **JUDGMENT**

- 1 The claimant was not assigned to the organised grouping of employees which was the subject of a relevant transfer pursuant to the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 at midnight on 30 October 2017.
- 2 The complaints against the third respondent are therefore dismissed.
- 3 The claimant was entitled to be paid a statutory redundancy payment by the second respondent consequent on his dismissal on 3 November 2017 in the sum of £3667.50.
- 4 The claimant's complaints of unfair dismissal, unlawful deduction of wages (his entitlement to notice pay), and a failure to pay holiday pay on the termination of employment (Regulation 14), are well founded and succeed.
- 5 The respondent shall pay to the claimant the following sums:

Notice pay (five weeks' net pay): £2247.90 Unpaid net holiday pay: £2041.80

Basic Award: Nil (statutory redundancy payment awarded);

Compensatory Award: £9720.39

- 6 The recoupment regulations do not apply to these Awards.
- 7 The claimant's complaint of a failure by the Second Respondent (Savage Blue Limited) to inform and consult elected representatives of affected

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employees is well founded. The description of affected employees is those employees affected by the transfer, but not assigned to the organised grouping of employees to be transferred (the claimant).

8 The Second Respondent shall pay to the claimant the sum of  $\underline{£3456}$  by way of appropriate compensation (six weeks' gross pay at £576 per week, the statutory cap on a week's pay not applying to these Regulations).

Employment Judge JM Wade

Date 8 June 2018

## **Notes**

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