

EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant

Mr E Bah

v SGUK Ltd t/a Security Guards UK (in liquidation) (debarred)

Heard at:	Watford
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On: 18 October 2019

Respondent

Before: Employment Judge R Lewis

AppearancesFor the Claimant:Ms C Hunt, CounselFor the Respondent:No attendance or representation

JUDGMENT

- 1. The claimant was unfairly dismissed by the respondent.
- 2. The claimant was wrongfully dismissed by the respondent.
- 3. The respondent has made an unlawful deduction from the claimant's pay for the period 12 September to 31 October 2018 inclusive.
- 4. The respondent has failed to pay the claimant holiday pay for the period of one year before termination of employment.
- 5. The respondent is ordered to make to the claimant a total of **£26,621.06** made up as follows:
 - 5.1 A basic award for unfair dismissal of £1,315.44 (calculated as £375.84 x 3.5);
 - 5.2 A compensatory award for unfair dismissal of £19,265.20;
 - 5.3 Damages for wrongful dismissal (3 weeks notice pay) of £1,127.52;
 - 5.4 In respect of unlawful deductions, the sum of £2,706.05, calculated as £375.84 x 7.15;
 - 5.5 In respect of arrears of holiday pay, an award of £2,206.85, calculated as £394.08 x 5.6.

Note

- 6. I add the following information as to calculation.
 - 6.1 The effective date of termination of employment was 31 October 2018.
 - 6.2 The claimant's gross and net weekly basic pay up to 1 April 2019 was £375.84.
 - 6.3 For purposes of calculating loss, gross and net weekly basic pay after that date were £394.08.
 - 6.4 The National Minimum Wage rates were £7.83 and £8.21 respectively in the years 2018-19 and 2019-20.
 - 6.5 The calculation of the compensatory award is: £500 for loss of statutory rights; and 47 weeks loss, from expiry of the notice period to date of this hearing, calculated as to £375.84 x 19 and £394.08 x 28, a total of £18765.20.
 - 6.6 The claimant's National Insurance No. is SC404586C and he has received the following benefits:

For the period 7 November 2018 to 8 January 2019 Jobseeker's Allowance totalling £647.47;

For the period 9 January 2019 to 18 October 2019 Employment Support Allowance totalling £2944.89.

The compensatory award is for the period 21 November 2018 to 19 October 2019.

The monetary award is £19,265.20 and the prescribed element is \pounds 18,765.20.

The amount by which the monetary award exceeds the prescribed element is £500.00.

Employment Judge R Lewis

Sent to the parties on:

For the Tribunal Office

Note

Reasons for the judgment having been given orally at the hearing, written reasons will not be provided unless a request was made by either party at the hearing or a written request is presented by either party within 14 days of the sending of this written record of the decision.