



# EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

**Claimant:** Mrs A Pienczak  
**Respondent:** GT Race and Trailers Limited  
**Heard at:** Nottingham  
**On:** 17 and 18 February 2020  
**Before:** Employment Judge Ahmed (sitting alone)

## Representation

**Claimant:** In person  
**Respondent:** Mr S Guthrie, Director

# JUDGMENT

1. The Claimant was unfairly dismissed but there was at least a 50% chance that if the Respondent had followed a fair procedure she would have been fairly dismissed. The Claimant's compensatory award shall therefore be reduced by 50%.
2. The Claimant having already received a redundancy payment (equivalent to what would have been a basic award) is not entitled to any further compensation in respect of the basic award.
3. The Respondent is ordered to pay to the Claimant a compensatory award of £4,760.31.
4. The complaints of age and race discrimination are both struck out as the Claimant has not paid the deposits which were ordered earlier.
5. The Claimant (and/or her representative prior to this hearing) have acted "unreasonably" in the bringing and conducting of proceedings in relation to the complaints of age and race discrimination within the meaning of Rule 76(1)(a) of the Employment Tribunal Rules of Procedure 2013, as amended. The Claimant is ordered to pay to the Respondent £1,950.00 (net) in respect of a preparation time order.
6. The amount of the preparation time order may be deducted from the compensatory award so that the net sum due and payable by the Respondent to the Claimant in these proceedings is £2,810.31

7. The Recoupment Regulations do not apply.

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Employment Judge Ahmed

Date: 15 April 2020

JUDGMENT SENT TO THE PARTIES ON

29/04/2020.....

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Notes

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