

EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant

Mr S McKechnie

v

Respondent DPD UK Group Limited

Before: Employment Judge KJ Palmer

JUDGMENT PURSUANT TO AN APPLICATION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Under Rule 71 of the Employment Tribunal Rules of Procedure

The claimant's application for a reconsideration is refused on the grounds that there is no reasonable prospect of the original decision being varied or revoked.

REASONS

Application for Reconsideration under rule 71 of the Employment Tribunals (Constitution and Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2013 Schedule 1.

- 1. A Full Tribunal during the course of a listed 5 day hearing on 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 January 2021 struck out the claimant's claims under rule 37 of the Employment Tribunals Rules of Procedure.
- 2. A Judgment in that respect and detailed reasons were given running to some 111 paragraphs and 18 pages.
- 3. The claimant lodged an application for a reconsideration of that Judgment by an email dated 5 March 2021.
- 4. Sadly, that application was only forwarded to me for me to deal with it on 2 September 2021. I deal with that now. Today is the 30 September 2021.
- 5. I have carefully considered the points raised in the claimant's three page email of 5 March.

- 6. That email raises nothing new that was not dealt with in great detail in the original Judgment pursuant to the hearing 18, 19 and 20 January 2021.
- 7. I therefore do not propose to repeat that which is in the original Judgment. The original Judgment sets out a detailed history of the matter and deals with the seven applications made by the claimant at the outset of that full merits hearing. It deals with each and every one of those applications in turn. It then deals in detail with the claimant's behaviour and his refusal to continue with the proceedings. The Tribunal did everything that it could within its power to assist and help the claimant but he refused to continue, swore repeatedly at the Tribunal and was continually asking the Tribunal to strike his claim out. After many attempts to dissuade the claimant the Tribunal had no alternative but to do so. The reasons set out in that Judgment are very detailed and I repeat them here.
- 8. Having considered the claimant's application there is no reasonable prospect of the original decision being varied or revoked and as a result the application for reconsideration of that Judgment is refused.

Employment Judge KJ Palmer Date: 01 October 2021 Sent to the parties on: 19 October 2021 S. Bhudia For the Tribunal Office