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THE EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: KALALA KAMANGA AND THREE OTHERS

Respondent: OCS GROUP UK LIMITED

Heard at: NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE CIVIL AND FAMILY

TRIBUNAL CENTRE

On: TUESDAY 26 APRIL 2022

Before: Employment Judge RODGER (sitting alone)

Representation:

Claimants: Mr Kalala Kamanga (in person and representative)

Respondent: Kirsten Barry (Counsel)

JUDGMENT

The Tribunal does not have jurisdiction to hear the breach of contract claim brought by John Michael Simpson under claim number 2501530/2021 and it is dismissed.

REASONS

1. Mr Simpson's claim is for breach of contract. The Tribunal may only consider such a claim where it is outstanding on the date upon which the employee ceases to work for the employer and where it is brought within three months from the effective date of termination of

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employment. See articles 3 and 7 of the Employment Tribunals (Extension of Jurisdiction) Order 1994.

- Ms Barry submitted that the evidence shows that Mr Simpson's employment with the Respondent ceased on 31 March 2022. Mr Kamanga confirmed that Mr Simpson's employment ceased this year, i.e. in 2022.
- 3. The claim was received by the Tribunal on 23 September 2021 and accordingly is a premature claim and must be dismissed.

EMPLOYMENT JUDGE RODGER

Judgment signed by Employment Judge on:

26 April 2022

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