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## **EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS**

Claimant: Mrs S Duncan

Respondent: London Borough of Ealing

## **JUDGMENT**

The Claimant's allegations or arguments that:

- (1) the Respondent treated the Claimant less favourably because of her race or age by:
- (i) treating the Claimant as if she was stupid with Mrs Jacky Yates informing the Claimant that she did not have the ability to perform at a lower grade, let alone represent the Respondent ("Allegation 2(iii)"),
- (ii) deciding that the most severe sanction of dismissal should be imposed, when a lesser sanction could have been to allow time to improve, and dismissing the Claimant ("Allegation 2(iv) and (v)" treated as one and the same),
- (2) the Claimant was victimised by
  - (i) Tamara Quinn and Jacky Yates holding a Stage 3 Performance Review meeting on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022, whilst the Claimant was on sick leave ("**Allegation 5 (i)**"),
  - (ii) Jacky Yates taking the decision to dismiss the Claimant, when a lesser sanction could have been imposed, including no case to answer ("Allegation 5(ii)"), and
  - (iii) Joshua Blacker upholding the decision to dismiss at the appeal hearing on 9th August 2022 ("Allegation 5(iii)").

are struck out.

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## **REASONS**

- 1. The Claimant was ordered to pay a deposit of £25 for each of these five allegations (i.e.  $5 \times £25 = £125$ ) not later than 21 days from the date the Deposit Order was sent to the parties as a condition of being permitted to continue to advance those allegations.
- 2. The Order was sent to the parties on 11 April 2023.
- 3. The Claimant has failed to pay any deposit. The allegations are therefore struck out under rule 39(4) of the Employment Tribunals Rules of Procedure 2013.

Employment Judge Klimov

Date: 24 May 2023

JUDGMENT SENT TO THE PARTIES ON

25/05/2023

THE TRIBUNAL OFFICE