

## **EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS**

**BETWEEN:** 

#### Ms S Aamer and others

**Claimants** 

and

Tonik Energy Limited (in creditors voluntary liquidation)

First Respondent

and

The Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

Second Respondent

Heard at: Birmingham On: 27 June 2023

Before: Employment Judge Gilroy KC

**Appearances:** 

For the Claimants: Ms N Toner (Solicitor)

For the First Respondent: No attendance or representation

For the Second Respondent: No attendance or representation

## JUDGMENT

The First Respondent shall pay to each of the Claimants named in Annexe A attached to this judgment the amount specified against their name in the final column of Annexe A, (headed "Remaining PA").

# REASONS

- 1. By a judgment by consent made on 31 May 2022, the Tribunal made a protective award to the Claimants named in the Schedule attached to the judgment of 31 May 2022.
- 2. Reference is made to the above-mentioned judgment and the above-mentioned Schedule.

- 3. The Claimant issued enforcement proceedings under s.192 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 and s.186 of the Employment Rights Act 1996.
- 4. By e-mail received by the Tribunal at 11.15 pm on 26 June 2023, the following was confirmed on behalf of Matthew Cowlishaw, Joint Liquidator of Tonik Energy Limited (in Liquidation):

"Please be advised that it is not disputed that the employees listed in this claim are entitled to a protective award but we reserve our position on the amount of any outstanding remuneration pending receipt of a proof of debt form from the Redundancy Payments Service and until such time, if sufficient funds become available, that we issue a Notice to Creditors of Intended Dividend (Pursuant To 14.29 of the Insolvency (England & Wales) Rules 2016) giving notice of our intention to declare a dividend to unsecured creditors. On that basis we have no objection with the employment tribunal making a judgement if it sees fit for an award in line with figures provided in the bundle by Nualaw".

- 5. Nualaw are the Claimant's solicitors.
- 6. Reference is made to Annexe A attached to this judgment. In relation to each Claimant named in Annexe A, the Tribunal is satisfied that the Claimant concerned:
  - (a) is entitled to a protective award in the sum specified in the penultimate column of Annexe A, (headed "Total PA");
  - (b) has, in partial discharge of his or her protective award, received from the Second Respondent the sum specified in the third last column of Annexe A, (headed "Gross paid by RPS"), and
  - (c) has an outstanding entitlement in the sum specified in the final column of Annexe A, (headed "Remaining PA").
- 7. In the circumstances, the First Respondent shall pay to each of the Claimants named in Annexe A the amount specified against their name in the final column of Annexe A, (headed "Remaining PA").

**Employment Judge Gilroy KC** 

Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2023

#### <u>Annexe A</u>

First Name	Second Name	Gross wage / per week	Gross paid by RPS	Total PA	Remaining PA	Case Number
Suman	Aamer	£383.56	£3,068.48	£4,932.58	£1,864.10	1305552/2022
Amina	Ali	£217.77	£1,742.16	£2,800.52	£1,058.36	1305553/2022
Ambareen	Arif	£361.89	£2,895.12	£4,653.91	£1,758.79	1305554/2022
Arpita	Banerjee	£652.05	£4,568.00	£8,385.36	£3,817.36	1305555/2022
Natasha	Bevan	£517.81	£4,142.48	£6,659.04	£2,516.56	1305556/2022
Dukagjin	Cavolli	£370.15	£2,742.57	£4,760.13	£2,017.56	1305557/2022
Gurjinder	Cheema	£361.51	£2,892.08	£4,649.02	£1,756.94	1305558/2022
Olivia	Cookson	£207.20	£1,657.60	£2,664.59	£1,006.99	1305559/2022
Nicholas	Davies	£368.22	£2,945.76	£4,735.31	£1,789.55	1305560/2022
Jonathan	Eling	£613.70	£4,126.53	£7,892.18	£3,765.65	1305561/2022
Damien	Ferris	£489.04	£3,912.32	£6,289.05	£2,376.73	1305562/2022
Omari	Forde	£373.97	£2,991.76	£4,809.25	£1,817.49	1305563/2022
Keon	Glasgow	£489.04	£3,760.11	£6,289.05	£2,528.94	1305564/2022
Dhara	Hardas	£600.93	£4,519.32	£7,727.96	£3,208.64	1305565/2022
Melissa	Hassam	£322.19	£2,577.52	£4,143.36	£1,565.84	1305566/2022
Aqib	Hussain	£369.14	£2,953.12	£4,747.14	£1,794.02	1305567/2022
Nazaqat	Hussain	£306.67	£2,396.04	£3,943.78	£1,547.74	1305568/2022
Scott	James	£369.14	£2,953.12	£4,747.14	£1,794.02	1305569/2022
Georgia	Jones	£419.04	£3,352.32	£5,388.85	£2,036.53	1305570/2022
Ramandeep	Kaur	£200.09	£1,600.72	£2,573.16	£972.44	1305571/2022
Danny	Lakin	£361.89	£2,642.46	£4,653.91	£2,011.45	1305572/2022
Ravinder	Malhi	£361.89	£2,895.12	£4,653.91	£1,758.79	1305573/2022
Lewis	McKellar	£489.04	£3,912.32	£6,289.05	£2,376.73	1305574/2022
Gawin	McLoughlin-Yip	£362.88	£2,903.04	£4,666.64	£1,763.60	1305575/2022
Rozan	Murad	£373.97	£2,991.76	£4,809.25	£1,817.49	1305576/2022
Joyce	Nihoza	£361.89	£2,895.12	£4,653.91	£1,758.79	1305577/2022
Stephen	Nye	£419.02	£3,352.16	£5,388.60	£2,036.44	1305578/2022
Maria	O'Malley	£745.40	£4,568.00	£9,585.84	£5,017.84	1305579/2022
Nisha	Patel	£537.95	£4,303.60	£6,918.04	£2,614.44	1305580/2022
Jacob	Ronan	£360.55	£2,501.22	£4,636.67	£2,135.45	1305581/2022
Manpreet	Sandhu	£431.51	£3,452.08	£5,549.22	£2,097.14	1305582/2022
Robert	Sarginson	£415.93	£3,327.44	£5,348.86	£2,021.42	1305583/2022
Adam	Sawojka	£349.04	£2,792.32	£4,488.65	£1,696.33	1305584/2022
Shannon	Smylie	£253.92	£2,031.36	£3,265.41	£1,234.05	1305585/2022
Lee	Taplin	£373.97	£2,991.76	£4,809.25	£1,817.49	1305586/2022
Melissa	Thomas	£369.14	£2,953.12	£4,747.14	£1,794.02	1305587/2022
Debra	Tranter	£354.79	£2,838.32	£4,562.60	£1,724.28	1305588/2022
Chelsea	Wainman	£369.14	£2,706.31	£4,747.14	£2,040.83	1305589/2022
Markell	Wallace	£362.88	£0.00	£4,666.70	£4,666.70	1305590/2022
Louise	Ward	£489.04	£3,912.32	£6,289.05	£2,376.73	1305591/2022
Chloe	White	£293.80	£2,350.40	£3,778.27	£1,427.87	1305592/2022
Theo	Wynter	£234.63	£1,877.04	£3,017.34	£1,140.30	1305593/2022