



EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Mrs M O’Bern

Respondent: Wigan Borough Council

Heard at: Manchester

On: 6, 7, 8, 9 February and 1
March 2024

Before: Employment Judge Cookson
Mrs D Radcliffe
Mr I Taylor

REPRESENTATION:

Claimant: In person

Respondent: Ms C Knowles (counsel)

JUDGMENT

The unanimous judgment of the Tribunal is as follows:

1. The complaint of unfair dismissal is not well-founded and is dismissed.
2. The complaint of victimisation is not well-founded and is dismissed.

**Employment Judge Cookson
5 March 2024**

Judgment sent to the parties on:
18 March 2024

For the Tribunal:

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