

EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Mrs J Ridley

Respondent: Midway Care Group Limited

Heard at: Birmingham Employment Tribunal, by CVP On: 22 April 2024

Before: Employment Judge Kight

Representation

Claimant: Did not attend Respondent: Mr S Jagpal, Representative

JUDGMENT

- 1. The Claimant did not attend today's hearing. No application for a postponement of the hearing has been made. Such enquiries as are practicable have been made of the reasons for the Claimant's non-attendance and all the available information has been considered, including representations from the Respondent's representative.
- 2. The Claimant having confirmed, in writing prior to the hearing, that her dates of employment with the Respondent were 3 February 2022 to 25 October 2023, she does not have sufficient continuous service to present a claim for unfair dismissal. Therefore, in the absence of circumstances which give rise to a claim for automatic unfair dismissal to which the continuous service qualification does not apply, her claim for constructive unfair dismissal is dismissed for lack of jurisdiction.
- 3. The Claimant has not identified in her claim form what arrears of pay and over what period she claims she is owed. A valid claim for unpaid wages is not made out from the information available to the Tribunal. That claim is also therefore dismissed.
- 4. In the alternative both claims are dismissed pursuant to Rule 47 of Schedule 1 of the Employment Tribunal (Constitution and Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2013, following the Claimant's non-attendance as described above.

Employment Judge Kight

Date 22 April 2024

<u>Notes</u>

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