Case No: 3300498/2023



EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Mr K Byfield

Respondent: AD Williams Express Heathrow Ltd

Heard at: Watford **On:** 1 to 3 May 2024

Before: Employment Judge Dick

Mr F Wright

Representation

Claimant: In person

Respondent: Ms E Sole (counsel)

JUDGMENT

The unanimous judgment of the Tribunal is as follows:

- 1. The complaint of direct race discrimination is not well-founded and is dismissed.
- 2. The following complaints of harassment related to race are well-founded and succeed:
 - a. An employee of the respondent singing and shouting, in front of some of the claimant's colleagues, "What a beautiful chocolate man" during the claimant's first week of employment on multiple occasions.
 - b. The same employee of the respondent singing and shouting, in front of some of the Claimant's colleagues, "What a beautiful chocolate man" during the remaining period of the claimant's employment.
 - c. A different employee of the respondent saying, in the claimant's presence and in relation to a customer: "This stupid Paki, I hate these Muslim people."
- 3. The remaining complaints of harassment related to race are not well-founded and are dismissed.
- 4. Remedy will be determined at a hearing at 10 a.m. on 12 July 2024 at Watford Employment Tribunal.

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4 June 2024

JUDGMENT SENT TO THE PARTIES ON 6 June 2024

FOR THE TRIBUNAL OFFICE

Notes

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