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EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimants: Mr N Rogers

Mr K Webb Mr M Brown

Respondent: Marshall Motor Group

Heard at: Croydon by CVP

On: 24 September 2024

Before: Employment Judge Liz Ord

Representation:

Claimants: All in person

Respondent: Mr A Bevan (Solicitor)

JUDGMENT

- 1. The Respondent's application to strike out the Claimants' claims on the basis that they have no reasonable prospect of success, is granted. All claims are struck out.
- 2. The hearing listed for 6 January 2025 is vacated.

REASONS

- The Claimants' employment transferred from the Respondent to Steven Eagle Limited on 30 June 2023. The Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 (TUPE) applied.
- 2. The events giving rise to the claims occurred before the transfer.
- 3. Regulation 4(2) of TUPE states:

"Without prejudice to paragraph (1), but subject to paragraph (6), and

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regulations 8 and 15(9), on completion of a relevant transfer-

- (a) all the transferor's rights, powers, duties and liabilities under or in connection with any such contract shall be transferred by virtue of this regulation to the transferee, and
- (b) any act or omission before the transfer is completed, of or in relation to the transferor in respect of that contract or a person assigned to that organised grouping of resources or employees, shall be deemed to have been an act or omission of or in relation to the transferee."
- 4. Regulation 4(6) relates to liability for criminal offences; regulation 8 concerns insolvency; and regulation 15(9) applies where there has been a failure to consult. The Claimants agreed that none of these applied.
- 5. Therefore, by virtue of regulation 4(2) of TUPE, the claims have no reasonable prospect of success against the Respondent.

Employment Judge Liz Ord

Dated: 24 September 2024