

EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant: Mr M Baines

Respondent: Secretary of State for Justice

Heard at: Liverpool, by video

On: 31 March 2025

Before: Employment Judge Barker

REPRESENTATION:

Claimant:Miss Brooke Ward, counselRespondent:Mr Jones, counsel

JUDGMENT

- 1. The claimant's claims for disability discrimination (sections 15, 19 and 20 Equality Act 2010) are dismissed, having no reasonable prospect of success (rule 38 Employment Tribunals Rules of Procedure 2024.)
- 2. The claim is hereby dismissed.

Employment Judge Barker 31 March 2025

Judgment sent to the parties on: 16 April 2025

For the Tribunal:

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