

EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS

Claimant:	Ms K Dale
Respondent:	Ms A Hudson
Heard at:	Tribunals Hearing Centre, 50 Carrington Street, Nottingham, NG1 7FG
On:	18 June 2025
Before:	Employment Judge Adkinson sitting alone
Appearances	
For the claimant:	In person
For the respondent:	*Debarred*

JUDGMENT

UPON hearing from the claimant

UPON the respondent being debarred from taking part because she has not presented a response

UPON considering the information before the Tribunal

AND UPON considering Rule 22 of the Employment Tribunal Rules of Procedure 2024

IT IS THE TRIBUNAL'S JUDGMENT THAT

- 1. The claimant is disabled because of dyslexia.
- 2. The respondent has failed to pay to the claimant her notice pay. The respondent must therefore pay her £345 gross.
- 3. The remaining discrimination claims will be heard and decided in due course.

REASONS

- 4. This is a claim for disability discrimination and for notice pay. A claim of unfair dismissal has been struck out.
- 5. The respondent may not take part in the proceeding because she has not presented a response and has not asked for permission to take part.

- 6. I considered the claim to the Tribunal. A reasonable reading shows that the claimant says she is disabled because of dyslexia. I accept what is in the claim at face value. It accords with the claimant's information today and I have no reason to doubt it. On the information before me I can and do find as a fact that she is disabled because of dyslexia.
- 7. The claimant complains that the respondent did not pay her notice pay to her when she left. Her contract confirmed she was entitled to 1 week's-notice pay, which is coincidentally the same as her statutory entitlement because she was employed for 8 or so weeks. She told me she worked 30 hours per week and was paid £11.50 per hour gross. I conclude I now have sufficient information before me to decide both liability and remedy for this claim. I accept the information and find as a fact it is correct. There is no basis to conclude she was not entitled to it.
- 8. I find as a fact that one week's pay is \pounds 11.50 gross × 30 = \pounds 345 gross. It was not paid to her when it should have been. I award that accordingly.
- 9. The discrimination claims require further evidence. I cannot determine liability or remedy on them today based on the information before me. I therefore make separate directions which are set out in a case management order.

Approved by: Employment Judge Adkinson Date: 18 June 2025 Sent to the parties on ...24 June 2025..... For the Employment Tribunal

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