

**COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**  
**INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL**

**No. IT/NES/NP2023-066**

In The Matter of The Industrial Relations Act

And

In the Matter of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules 2010)

**JFARRINGTON**

**APPLICANT**

**Vs**

**PREMIER IMPORTERS**

**RESPONDENT**

**BEFORE:** Her Honour, Vice President  
Mrs. Rionda Y. Godet

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**ORDER ON DIRECTIONS**

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**APPEARANCES**

JOSEPH FARRINGTON

KEITH SEYMOUR -ATTORNEY

PREMIER IMPORTERS

CHRISTOPHER LIEDER - CEO

**WHEREAS:**

1. By Certificate of Referral dated 26<sup>th</sup> July 2024, the Minister referred the subject dispute to the Industrial Tribunal. The Applicant and the Respondent filed their Form A and the Forms D and E respectively.
2. The parties attended for Case Management VP Subusola Swain on 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2025 pursuant to Rule 15(1) of the Industrial Relations (Tribunal Procedure) Rules, 2010;
3. It was a term of the Order that the Respondent was to file its Witness Statements and Bundle of Documents on or before 1<sup>st</sup> October 2025;
4. The Respondent herein having failed to comply with the said Order, informed that its previous attorney of record no longer represented it and that therein requested leave to file the requisite documents once it secured other representation.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, BY CONSENT, as follows:**

5. Having regard to the extent of previous opportunity afforded, the Respondent is to file its Witness Statements, Skeletal Arguments and Bundle of Documents in this matter on or before 24<sup>th</sup> April 2026, accompanied by the Form L.
6. The trial of this matter shall be set down for 2 days, date to be set by the Registry.
7. There is to be no further adjournment in this matter save at the behest of the Tribunal.

**AND THIS IS THE ORDER OF THIS TRIBUNAL**

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D., 2026

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**Rionda Godet**

**Vice President**

**Industrial Tribunal**