## **EMPLOYMENT APPEALS TRIBUNAL**

APPEAL OF: Employee CASE NO. RP37/2007 MN73/2007

Against

2 Employers

under

## MINIMUM NOTICE AND TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT ACTS, 1973 TO 2001 REDUNDANCY PAYMENTS ACTS, 1967 TO 2003

I certify that the Tribunal (Division of Tribunal)

Chairman: Mr. T. Ryan

Members: Mr P. Pierce Ms M. Maher

heard this appeal at Dublin on 14th June 2007

## **Representation:**

Appellant:

Mr Charles Prizeman, T.E.E.U., 5 Cavendish Row, Dublin 1

**Respondents:** 

Mr Breffni O'Neill, CIF, Construction House, Canal Road, Dublin 6

The decision of the Tribunal was as follows:

## Determination

The claimant was employed by the respondent from the 20<sup>th</sup> August 2003. On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2006 the respondent wrote to the claimant giving him one week's notice from that date. The respondent claimed that the claimant was also informed verbally on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2006 that he was getting one week's notice. The claimant disputed this. The claimant went on planned holidays from 11<sup>th</sup> September 2006 anddid not return to work as he received the letter on his return from holidays. In hisfinal pay cheque the claimant received holiday pay and pay for one back week due tohim. Pay in lieu of notice was not paid. The respondent had expected the claimant over a notice week on his return from holidays. The respondent agreed thatthe letter of 8<sup>th</sup> September 2006 should have said that notice was being given from 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2006 rather than 8<sup>th</sup> September 2006.

The Tribunal awards the claimant €1,993.62, being the sum of two week's pay in lieu of notice, under the Minimum Notice And Terms Of Employment Acts, 1973 to 2001.

The claim under the Redundancy Payments Acts, 1967 to 2003 was adjourned generally with four weeks liberty to re-enter.

Sealed with the Seal of the

**Employment Appeals Tribunal** 

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(Sgd.) \_\_\_\_\_\_ (CHAIRMAN)