Employment Court of New Zealand

Gray v Lai [2024] NZEmpC 150 (9 August 2024)

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IN THE EMPLOYMENT COURT OF NEW ZEALAND CHRISTCHURCH

I TE KŌTI TAKE MAHI O AOTEAROA ŌTAUTAHI

[2024] NZEmpC 150
EMPC 171/2024

IN THE MATTER OF	an application for a compliance order
BETWEEN	DAVID GRAY Plaintiff
AND	MATTHEW LAI Defendant

Hearing:	On the papers
Appearances:	P Mathews, advocate for plaintiff T Vogel, advocate for defendant
Judgment:	9 August 2024

CONSENT JUDGMENT OF JUDGE K G SMITH

[1] The plaintiff has sought orders against the defendant pursuant to s 140 of the Employment Relations Act 2000 following a compliance order made by the Employment Relations Authority.1 The parties have now settled this proceeding.

[2] In accordance with the settlement agreement, and by consent, I order that the money paid to the Registrar of this Court by the defendant, Matthew Lai, as security for costs in proceeding EMPC 394/2022, plus any accrued interest, is to now be paid by the Registrar to David Gray or as he directs.2

1 *Gray v Lai* [2024] NZERA 118 (Member Cheyne).

2 *Lai v Gray*]2023] NZEmpC 82.

[3] This proceeding is resolved.

[4] There is no order for costs.

K G Smith Judge

Judgment signed at 4.40 pm on 9 August 2024