

**IN THE EMPLOYMENT COURT OF NEW ZEALAND
CHRISTCHURCH**

**I TE KŌTI TAKE MAHI O AOTEAROA
ŌTAUHAHI**

**[2020] NZEmpC 19
EMPC 183/2019**

IN THE MATTER OF	a challenge to a determination of the Employment Relations Authority
BETWEEN	KENNY OMEN LIMITED Plaintiff
AND	SANJAY KUMAR Defendant

Hearing: On the papers

Appearances: P Vlastic, liquidator by memorandum

Judgment: 2 March 2020

STAY JUDGMENT OF JUDGE K G SMITH

[1] This proceeding is a challenge to a decision of the Employment Relations Authority seeking to overturn orders that Kenny Omen Ltd pay Sanjay Kumar for unpaid wages and holiday pay.¹ The proceeding was filed on 11 June 2019, at the same time as the plaintiff company filed a related challenge seeking to overturn the Authority's decision that it also owed to Mahabir Singh money for unpaid wages and holiday pay.

[2] The plaintiff company went into liquidation on 13 June 2019 and the liquidators are no longer interested in the proceeding.²

¹ *Kumar v Kenny Omen Ltd formerly known as Punjabi Dhaba Ltd* [2019] NZERA 290.

² See the brief comments about the liquidator's intentions in *Kenny Omen Ltd v Singh* [2020] NZEmpC 18.

[3] As a result of the liquidators' decision this proceeding is stayed.

K G Smith
Judge

Judgment signed at 9.30 am on 2 March 2020