## IN THE EMPLOYMENT COURT OF NEW ZEALAND AUCKLAND

## I TE KŌTI TAKE MAHI O AOTEAROA TĀMAKI MAKAURAU

[2024] NZEmpC 52 EMPC 318/2023

IN THE MATTER OF a challenge to a determination of the

**Employment Relations Authority** 

BETWEEN LORRAINE FRANCIS

Plaintiff

AND SEAFOOD CENTRAL LIMITED T/A

SCOTT SEAFOOD

Defendant

Hearing: 28 February 2024 via judicial settlement conference

(Heard at Auckland)

Appearances: S Greening and K Hudson, counsel for plaintiff

C Rowe, advocate, for defendant

Judgment: 22 March 2024

## CONSENT JUDGMENT OF JUDGE KATHRYN BECK

- [1] Lorraine Francis has challenged a determination of the Employment Relations Authority.
- [2] The parties have resolved all matters between them in relation to these proceedings and both of the Authority's determinations.<sup>1</sup> They have reached a full and final settlement of all matters between them.

Francis v Seafood Central Ltd t/a Scott Seafood [2023] NZERA 442 (Member Robinson); and Francis v Seafood Central Ltd t/a Scott Seafood [2023] NZERA 514 (Member Robinson).

- [3] A joint memorandum of the parties seeks that the agreement be recorded by way of consent orders.
- [4] I make the following orders by consent:
  - (a) The Authority's determinations are set aside, and this judgment stands in their place.
  - (b) These proceedings are discontinued with no issue as to costs, which will lie where they fall.
  - (c) The terms of the agreement are confidential to the parties and their advisers.
- [5] I commend the parties for reaching agreement, which will enable them to move forward.

Kathryn Beck Judge

Judgment signed at 5.15 pm on 25 March 2024