

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

**I TE KŌTI TAKE MAHI O AOTEAROA
TĀMAKI MAKĀURAU**

**[2024] NZEmpC 9
EMPC 365/2023**

IN THE MATTER OF	a challenge to a determination of the Employment Relations Authority
AND IN THE MATTER OF	an application for stay of execution
BETWEEN	JRL CULTURE MEDIA LIMITED Plaintiff
AND	CHANGYONG ZHANG Defendant

Hearing: On the papers

Appearances: D Fleming, counsel for plaintiff
M Moncur, advocate for defendant

Judgment: 2 February 2024

**CONSENT INTERLOCUTORY JUDGMENT OF JUDGE KATHRYN BECK
(Application for stay of execution)**

[1] On 22 December 2023, the Employment Relations Authority ordered that JRL Culture Media Ltd (JRL) pay Changyong Zhang costs and disbursements of \$9,571.55.¹

[2] JRL has challenged that determination and, seeking to preserve its position, has applied for a stay of execution.

[3] The application proposes that the amount of \$9,571.55 be paid to the Registrar of this Court, to be held in an interest-bearing account until further order of the Court.

¹ *Zhang v JRL Culture Media Ltd* [2023] NZERA 750 (Member Gane).

[4] Counsel, by joint memorandum, have asked for orders to be made by consent. I am satisfied that it is appropriate, in the circumstances, to grant a stay.

[5] By consent, the Authority's costs determination is stayed on the condition that the amount referred to at [3] above is paid to the Registrar no later than 4 pm on 9 February 2024.

[6] Costs are reserved.

Kathryn Beck
Judge

Judgment signed at 12 pm on 2 February 2024