



An appeal

- by -

Gerare Biyaruwanga
(“Biyaruwanga”)

- of a Determination issued by -

The Director of Employment Standards
(the “Director”)

pursuant to Section 112 of the
Employment Standards Act R.S.B.C. 1996, C.113 (as amended)

TRIBUNAL MEMBER: David B. Stevenson

FILE No.: 2011A/97

DATE OF DECISION: August 12, 2011

DECISION

SUBMISSIONS

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on behalf of the Director of Employment Standards

OVERVIEW

1. This decision completes an appeal filed under Section 112 of the *Employment Standards Act* (the “*Act*”) by Gerare Biyaruwanga (“Biyaruwanga”) of part of a Determination issued by a delegate of the Director of Employment Standards (the “Director”) on February 4, 2011.
2. The Determination was issued on complaints filed by fifty-eight former employees of Khaira Enterprises Ltd. (“Khaira”), including Biyaruwanga. In that part of the Determination applying to Biyaruwanga, the Director found Khaira had contravened the *Employment Standards Act* (the “*Act*”) by failing to pay Biyaruwanga regular and overtime wages, statutory holiday pay and annual vacation pay and ordered Khaira to pay him an amount of \$12,467.67, an amount which also included interest under section 88 of the *Act*.
3. In BC EST # D059/11 (the “original decision”), I accepted the Director had erred in calculating the wages owed Biyaruwanga. I referred the Determination back to the Director to make necessary changes in that calculation.
4. The Director has reviewed the matter and has issued a supplement to the Determination, dated July 21, 2011, indicating the Determination should be varied to show Biyaruwanga is owed wages, including section 88 interest, in the amount of \$13,053.04.
5. The Tribunal has requested submissions from the parties on the calculation set out in the supplement.
6. Counsel for Biyaruwanga has filed a response. She takes no issue with the Director’s calculation. Khaira has filed no response.
7. Based on the material before me, I accept the calculation in the supplement accords with the original decision and with the provisions of the *Act*.

ORDER

8. Accordingly, and pursuant to Section 115 of the *Act*, I order that part of the Determination dated February 4, 2011, applying to Biyaruwanga be varied to show the amount of wages owing to him as \$13,053.04, together with any interest that has accrued under section 88 of the *Act*.

David B. Stevenson
Member
Employment Standards Tribunal