EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS TRIBUNAL

In the matter of an appeal pursuant to Section 112 of the *Employment Standards Act* S.B.C. 1995, C. 38

- by -

Willard J. Taylor ("Taylor")

- of a Determination issued by -

The Director Of Employment Standards (the "Director")

ADJUDICATOR: Norma Edelman

FILE No.: 97/55

DATE OF HEARING: May 15, 1997

DATE OF DECISION: May 15, 1997

DECISION

APPEARANCES

No one attended the hearing.

OVERVIEW

This is an appeal brought by Willard Taylor ("Taylor") pursuant to Section 112 of the *Employment Standards Act* (the "Act") from a Determination issued on January 2, 1997 by the Director of Employment Standards (the "Director"). The Director determined that Woolworth Canada Inc. operating Randy River did not owe compensation for length of service to Taylor.

ANALYSIS

An oral hearing into this matter was scheduled for May 15, 1997 at the Tribunal offices in Vancouver. The parties were duly notified of the time and place of the hearing. No one attended the hearing.

In appeals before the Tribunal, the onus is on the appellant to show that the Determination must not stand. Since the appellant failed to appear at the hearing, this onus has not been satisfied. Accordingly, this appeal is dismissed.

ORDER

I order pursuant to Section 115 of the *Act* that the Determination dated January 2, 1997 be confirmed.

Norma Edelman Registrar Employment Standards Tribunal

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