

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

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

**[2025] NZEmpC 130  
EMPC 109/2025**

IN THE MATTER OF            a challenge to a determination of the  
   Employment Relations Authority

AND IN THE MATTER OF    an application for a stay of execution

BETWEEN                      MARK SWEETING  
   Plaintiff

AND                                TRUCK STOPS (NZ) LIMITED  
   Defendant

Hearing:                      On the papers

Appearances:                B Buckett, counsel for plaintiff  
   R Wooders and R Joyce, counsel for defendant

Judgment:                    27 June 2025

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**CONSENT INTERLOCUTORY JUDGMENT OF JUDGE K G SMITH  
(Application for a stay of execution)**

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[1]     The plaintiff has challenged a determination of the Employment Relations Authority and applied for a stay of execution of the subsequent costs determination.<sup>1</sup>

[2]     The parties have reached agreement to resolve the application. By consent I order that the Authority's costs determination is stayed subject to the following:

(a)     The amount of \$15,875 is to be paid to the Registrar of this Court.

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<sup>1</sup>     *QN v FT Limited* [2025] NZERA 99; *QN v FT Limited* [2025] NZERA 253.

- (b) Payment is to be made no later than **4 pm on 11 July 2025**.
- (c) The Registrar is to deposit the amount in [2](a) in an interest-bearing account until further order of the Court or the parties agree in writing that it may be disbursed.

[3] Costs are reserved.

K G Smith  
Judge

Judgment signed at 4.35 pm on 27 June 2025