



EMPLOYMENT TRIBUNALS
(England and Wales)

**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER
OF THE PRESIDENT**

In the matter of claims brought against Wm Morrison Supermarkets plc involving multiple equal pay claims relating to Morrisons branded retail stores (Ms A Abdar & Others v Wm Morrison Supermarkets plc) and potentially including claimants employed by Safeway Stores Ltd

CLAIMS against Wm Morrison Supermarkets plc and others as described above having been registered in different regions of the Employment Tribunals in England and Wales and raising the same or similar issues

AND having regard to the overriding objective under Rule 2 of Schedule 1 to the Employment Tribunals (Constitution and Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2013

IT IS ORDERED THAT

- (1) All such claims in England & Wales raising the same or similar issues shall be transferred to or presented at the Leeds Employment Tribunal for initial case management and possible consolidation in combined proceedings.
- (2) Any party or representative wishing to make representations for the further conduct of any such claims should do so upon application to the Regional Employment Judge at the Leeds Employment Tribunal (and copied to Leigh Day and Eversheds Sutherland (International) LLP).
- (3) A copy of this Case Management Order shall be sent to ACAS and to all known interested parties, and shall be published on the Judiciary website at:

<https://www.judiciary.gov.uk/publications/directions-employment-tribunals-england-wales>

SIGNED: _____

**Judge Brian Doyle
President**

DATED: 11 April 2019