

IN THE COUNTY COURT
SITTING AT STOCKPORT

Claim No. B00SK228

The Courthouse
Edward Street
Stockport
SK1 3NF

Thursday, 4th June 2015

Before:

DISTRICT JUDGE HORAN

Between:

EQUITY HOUSING GROUP

Claimant

-v-

KEITH WADE

Defendant

Solicitor for the Claimant:

MRS BURGESS-PRIEST

The Defendant attended In Person

JUDGMENT APPROVED BY THE COURT

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JUDGMENT

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DISTRICT JUDGE HORAN:

1. Can you stand up please, Mr Wade? You have been persistently breaching the injunction order.

MR WADE: Yes, sir.

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THE DISTRICT JUDGE: Please do not interrupt me when I am speaking. You breached the order that was made on 30th March 2015 on 2nd April, and the judge deferred sentence on you that day, but on 4th April, two days later, you breached it again. So, on 7th April, you were sent to prison for 28 days. You claim that you have learnt from prison but, clearly, that is not the case because, no sooner were you out of prison than you breached it again on 20th April and, on that occasion, you were sent to prison for twelve weeks and you have still not learnt a lesson.

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2. One would expect that somebody who was sent to prison for twelve weeks on 20th April would serve six weeks, which would mean you would be out about 1st June or thereabouts. You claim that you came out a couple of weeks ago but, whatever, very shortly after you had come out of prison, you break the order again and you do it two days on the trot, 2nd and 3rd June. You are getting to be a nuisance.

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MR WADE: I accept that.

THE DISTRICT JUDGE:

3. You say you have learnt from prison but you did not the first time.

MR WADE: I have now, sir.

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THE DISTRICT JUDGE: You did not the second time, because you breached the order again.

MR WADE: There will never be a third.

THE DISTRICT JUDGE: You say you will not do it again but, frankly, Mr Wade, you cannot be trusted. Court orders are meant to be obeyed.

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MR WADE: I understand.

THE DISTRICT JUDGE: You will go to prison for 16 weeks.

MR WADE: Me? Now?

THE DISTRICT JUDGE: Yes.

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MR WADE: What for?

THE DISTRICT JUDGE: You know what for.

MR WADE: I haven't done anything.

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THE DISTRICT JUDGE: Can you take him down, please?

MR WADE: For 16 weeks?

THE DISTRICT JUDGE: 16 weeks.

A MR WADE: I thought I was free today.
THE DISTRICT JUDGE: Thank you.
MR WADE: Wait, he said I could go today. He said, "Just turn up." What have I got 16 weeks for? But I haven't done anything.
B THE DISTRICT JUDGE: I will do the forms because you need to hand those *[inaudible]*. There will also be a transcript.
MALESPEAKER: I have prepared the form in anticipation.
C THE DISTRICT JUDGE: I will go back to my room so that the... I will fill these in there.
MALESPEAKER: That is fine, sir. Thank you.

[Hearing ends]

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