

General Form of Judgment or Order

In the County Court at
Leicester

Claim Number L01LE249

Date 14 March 2025



IBK (BY L/F KBK)

1st Claimant

Ref JG/0610/88112437/1/
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MS CLAUDIA BASSI

1st Defendant

Ref 181388 41322

Before Deputy District Judge Coverley sitting at the County Court at Leicester, 90 Wellington Street, Leicester, LE1 6HG.

UPON HEARING counsel for the Claimant, and for the Defendant

WHEREAS the Claimant has brought a claim for damages for personal injury against the Defendant

AND UPON the parties having reached proposed terms of settlement in respect of which the Claimant intends to seek the approval of the Court pursuant to CPR 21

AND UPON the Claimant applying on 11th June 2024 for approval ("the Approval Proceedings")

AND UPON

(1) Consideration of (a) the fundamental open justice principle; (b) the rights of the Claimant under Articles 8 and 14 of the European Convention on Human Rights ("the ECHR") and (c) any countervailing rights under Article 10 of the ECHR and (d) the requirements of section 6 of the Human Rights Act 1998

(2) It appearing to the Court that non-disclosure of the identity of the Claimant specifically in relation to the Approval Proceedings is necessary to secure the proper administration of justice and in order to protect the fundamental rights of the Claimant

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(3) The Defendant indicating neutrality to the making of the order

(4) There being no representations from the media or any other interested party.

AND PURSUANT to the Court's inherent jurisdiction, and CPR r.39.2

WHEREAS for the purposes of this order, "Protected Information" means any and all information pertaining to the Claimant's involvement in the Approval Proceedings, including for the avoidance of doubt any and all information revealing directly or indirectly that the Claimant is a beneficiary of either (a) the relevant proposed settlement agreement or (b) any settlement agreement approved by the Court.

IT IS ORDERED THAT

Anonymity

1. The Court, being satisfied that it is strictly necessary, orders that:

a) The Protected Information shall not be published.

b) There shall be substituted for all purposes in the Approval Proceedings in place of references to: (1) the Claimant by name, the letters IBK; (2) the Litigation Friend by name, the letters KBK.

Access to documents

2. Upon the Court being satisfied that it is strictly necessary and pursuant to CPR r.5.4C, it is further ordered that:

a) No document filed in relation to the Approval Proceedings and/or the approval application will be provided to a non-party without further Order of the Court.

b) Any non-party other than a person notified or served with this Order seeking access to any document concerning the Approval Proceedings and/or the approval application must make an application to the Court, proper notice of which must be given to the parties.

c) The Court file shall be clearly marked with the words, “An anonymity order was made in this case on 28th February 2025 and any application by a non-party to inspect or obtain a copy document from this file must be dealt with in accordance with the terms of that order.”

Variation or discharge

3. The parties or anyone affected by any of the restrictions in this Order may apply to the Court at any time to vary or discharge this Order (or so much of it as affects that person), but they must first give written notice to the Claimant’s solicitors. If any evidence is to be relied upon in support of the application, the substance of it must be communicated in writing to the Claimant’s solicitors in advance. The Defendants may agree with the Claimant’s solicitors and any other person who is, or may be bound by this Order, that this Order should be varied or discharged, but any agreement must be in writing.

Publication

4. Pursuant to the Practice Guidance: Publication of Privacy and Anonymity Orders issued by the Master of the Rolls dated 16 April 2019 a copy of this Order shall be published on the Judicial Website of the High Court of Justice (www.judiciary.net) . For that purpose, a court officer will send a copy of the order by email to the Judicial Office at judicialwebupdates@judiciary.uk.

Costs

5. The costs of obtaining this order be in the case.

Deputy District Judge Coverley

Dated 28 February 2025