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JUDGMENT CORRECTION

Appeal Number : 197/E/RV

Appellant
Victor Foster Poultry Services Ltd

Respondent
Gangmaster and Labour Abuse Authority

THE GANGMASTERS (APPEALS) REGULATIONS 2006

Dear Sir/Madam

Employment Judge Britton acknowledges the correspondence from the Respondent dated 13th April 2018 and has asked me to state the following :-

'I have considered the representations of the GLAA and clarify as follows. Yes, I did conclude not fit and proper under standard 1.1 so equals 30 points. As to Standard 1.2, to further clarify : Ms S Barton should not have incorporated the vehicle check findings viz tyre and windscreen within the scorings at Standard 1.2 for the reasons I made clear. In that sense it part of the 30 points: thus it undermines the score. But the rest of her findings are unimpeachable. Thus as these were by far the least serious of the infractions in terms of this standard, the conclusion I made was that the Appellant also failed this standard.

I apologise for not making that clearer although it is implicit in my findings. In any event, given the other serious shortcomings it cannot but mean that the Appellant was not fit and proper under Standard 1.1. Thus, still over threshold to justify the revocation of the License as I made clear at my conclusions. However, in that respect Para 38 is mathematically wrong as in fact it was standard 7.4 which I did not uphold and which is 8 points. Thus, left was 98. Accordingly, this clarification also should be read as a correction.

Yours faithfully,

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