

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

Claim No: QB-2021-001804

QUEEN'S BENCH DIVISION

Her Honour Judge Walden-Smith Sitting as a Judge of the High Court

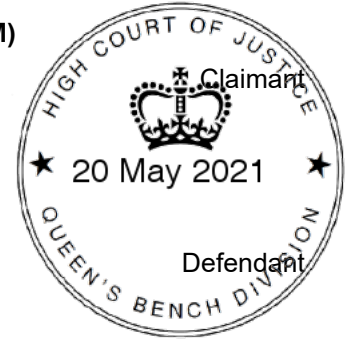
B E T W E E N:

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(a child, by his mother and litigation friend, ABM)

and

MR MASOUD AFNAN



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ORDER

APPROVING SETTLEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CLAIMANT

BEFORE Her Honour Judge Walden-Smith Sitting as a Judge of the High Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice on 20 May 2021 at a hearing heard remotely

UPON HEARING Lizanne Gumbel, one of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Claimant and Claire Toogood, one of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Defendant

AND UPON READING the Advice of Counsel dated 4 May 2021;

AND UPON the Court having approved the terms of this Order as being in the best interests of the Claimant pursuant to CPR Part 21;

BY CONSENT IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Claimant may accept the sum of £100,000.00 (One hundred thousand pounds) in satisfaction of his claim.
2. The said sum of £100,000 (One hundred thousand pounds) is apportioned as follows:-
 - (a) £nil in respect of benefits received by the Claimant and repayable to the Compensation Recovery Unit;

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- (b) £15,000 in respect of care undertaken by the Claimant's Litigation Friend to the date hereof and other special damages;
 - (c) the balance of £85,000 in respect of general damages and future loss of the Claimant.
- 3. The Defendant shall pay the following sums by 4pm 17 June 2021:-
 - (a) £85,000 to the Claimant's solicitors to be paid into a Personal Injury Trust for the Claimant's benefit.
 - (b) £15,000 to the Claimant's solicitors for the personal use of the Claimant's mother;
- 4. The Defendant do pay the Claimant's costs of the action, including the costs of and incidental to this Order, to be assessed on the standard basis if not agreed. Interest shall run from the date of this order.
- 5. The Defendant shall pay by 4pm on 17 June 2021 the sum of £70,000 by way of interim payment of costs.
- 6. Upon payment of the sums and costs referred to herein, the Defendant be discharged from further liability in respect of all claims made by the Claimant in these proceedings.
- 7. All further proceedings be stayed except that either party has permission to apply to the court for the purpose of carrying this Order into effect.

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Dated 20 May 2021