EMPLOYMENT APPEALS TRIBUNAL

APPEAL(S) OF: CASE NO.

EMPLOYEE RP1128/2009 EMPLOYEE RP1129/2009 EMPLOYEE RP1130/2009

appellants

against

EMPLOYER

respondent

under

REDUNDANCY PAYMENTS ACTS, 1967 TO 2007

I certify that the Tribunal (Division of Tribunal)

Chairman: Mr. D. Mac Carthy S C

Members: Mr J. Hennessy

Mr. J. Dorney

heard this appeal at Kilkenny on 18th February 2010

Representation:

Appellant(s): Mr. Philip Funchion, Noreside Resource Centre, 22 Vicar Street, Kilkenny

Respondent(s): In person

The decision of the Tribunal was as follows:-

Determination

CG on behalf of the respondent outlined to the Tribunal that a number of archaeologists were employed on a job on a motorway and the respondent had work in various sites. Work was completed on this project on 30 March 2007. A high proportion of archaeologists are a transient group of people and he could not guarantee work on completion of a project. The respondent had to lay off employees. The second named employee worked elsewhere after a project was concluded and then returned to work with the respondent.

The Tribunal finds that the appellants are entitled to a redundancy lump sum payment under the Redundancy Payments Acts, 1967 to 2007 based on the following criteria: -

First named appellant

Date of birth 18 March 1979
Date employment began 12 December 2005
Date employment ended 17 December 2008

Non-reckonable service 01 April 2007 to 29 April 2007

Gross weekly pay €470.00

Amount of redundancy payment €3,233.60

Second named appellant

Date of birth 19 November 1975
Date employment began 9 November 2005
Date employment ended 11 July 2008

Non reckonable service 1 April 2007 to 7 May 2007

Gross weekly pay €580.00

Amount of redundancy payment €3,561.20

Third named appellant

Date of birth 30 September 1978
Date employment started 12 December 2005
Date employment ended 17 December 2008

Non-Reckonable service 1 April 2007 to 29 April 2007

Gross weekly pay €580.00

Amount of redundancy payment €3,990.40

These awards are made subject to the appellants being in insurable employment for the relevant period under the Social Welfare Acts.

Sealed with the Seal of the

Employment Appeals Tribunal

This ______(Sgd.) _____

(CHAIRMAN)