EMPLOYMENT APPEALS TRIBUNAL

APPEALS OF: EMPLOYEE -appellant

CASE NO. UD397/2011 TE52/2011 WT127/2011

against the recommendation of the Rights Commissioner in the case of:

EMPLOYER -respondent

under

UNFAIR DISMISSALS ACTS, 1977 TO 2007 ORGANISATION OF WORKING TIME ACT, 1997 TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT (INFORMATION) ACT, 1994 AND 2001

I certify that the Tribunal (Division of Tribunal)

Chairman: Ms. E. Kearney

Members: Mr. W. O'Carroll

Ms H. Henry

heard this appeal at Ennis on 19th September 2012

Representation:

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Appellant: Dermot G O'Donovan, Solicitors, Floor 5, Riverpoint,

Lower Mallow Street, Limerick

Respondent: Mr Micheál Glynn, Micheál Glynn & Co, Solicitors,

98 O'Connell Street, Limerick

This case came before the Tribunal by way of an employee appeal of the Rights Commissioner Recommendation **r-091510-ud-10/pob** under the Unfair Dismissals Acts 1977 to 2007, the Rights Commissioner Recommendation **r-091509-te-09/pob** under the Terms of Employment (Information) Act 1994 and the Rights Commissioner Decision **r-091508-wt-10/pob** under the Organisation of Working Time Act 1997.

The appeals of the Rights Commissioner Recommendation **r-091509-te-09/pob** under the Terms of Employment (Information) Act 1994 and the Rights Commissioner Decision **r-091508-wt-10/pob** under the Organisation of Working Time Act 1997 were withdrawn at the outset.

Determination

The claimant accepts that he was not unfairly dismissed but fairly selected for redundancy. The Tribunal accept jurisdiction to hear this appeal and find that the claimant was not unfairly dismissed but that a genuine redundancy situation existed within the respondent.

In the circumstances the Rights Commissioner Recommendation r-091510-ud-10/pob under the Unfair Dismissals Acts, 1977 to 2007 is upheld.