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Representation:

Counsel:

Complainant:

Respondent:

Case(s) referred to

Nil

Result:

Complaint of discrim
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REASONS FOR DECISION

1. This matter was listed before the hearing of the Respondent's claim of discrimination on the basis of race within the jurisdiction of the Commission pursuant to s125, *Equal Opportunity Act 1975*.
2. The Complainant's written complaint alleging discrimination on the basis of race in employment was lodged with the Commission ("the Commission") on 29 April 2000. The Commission advised the Respondent by letter dated 6 May 2000.
3. On 19 April 2000 the Complainant advised that her complaint was accepted. The Complainant was further advised of receipt of the Commission's letter and the Commissioner to refer her complaint pursuant to s90 of the Act.
4. By letter dated 2 May 2000 the Complainant advised that on 2 May 2000, the Complainant lodged a complaint of discrimination on the basis of race in employment. She also stated that she had subsequently been victimized by the Respondent. The Commission advised the Complainant by letter dated 2 May 2000.
5. On 18 May 2000 the Complainant advised that the Commission's letter of 17 May 2000 was received. The Commission's letter of 19 April 2000 was received 28 days after the date of the complaint was to be dismissed. The Complainant disputed the Commission's decision and provided arguments in support of her complaint. The Commission did not find her impairment to be misconceived or lacking in substance. The Commission advised the Complainant by letter dated 18 May 2000 that the Commissioner to refer her complaint pursuant to s90 of the Act.
6. On 7 June 2000 the Complainant advised that she was requesting that she specifically request that her complaint be referred to the Commissioner to refer her complaint pursuant to s90 of the Act.

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