

S. I. 17 of 1985

TRADE DISPUTES ACT 1976
(1976 No. 7)

**Trade Dispute (National Union of Furniture, Fixtures and Wood Workers and
Management of Kaduna Furniture and Carpets Company)**

Confirmation of Award Notice 1985

Pursuant to the provision of section 9 (3) of the Trade Disputes Act, 1976, the Industrial Arbitration Panel award made on 19th March, 1985 and set out in the Schedule hereto has been confirmed by me, the Minister of Employment, Labour and Productivity and shall have effect as so confirmed in accordance with that provision.

SCHEDULE

<i>Name of Arbitration, etc.</i>	<i>Parties in Dispute</i>	<i>Terms of Award</i>
Industrial Arbitration Panel	National Union of Furniture, Fixtures and Wood Workers and Management of Kaduna Furniture and Carpets Company	<p>“This Honourable Tribunal has considered most dispassionately the circumstances in which the management of Kaduna Furniture and Carpets Company dismissed 57 of its workers and finds that the said dismissal constitute unfair industrial practice. The said dismissal is hereby reversed and the dismissed employees are accordingly reinstated with effect from the date of the purported lay-off without any loss of wages, status and any accrued benefits.</p> <p>The Tribunal finds no evidence of illegitimate involvement of expatriate in the personnel affairs of the Company and makes no award on this claim.</p> <p>We are also unable to interfere in the management functions of the company in respect of recruitment of staff required by the company and similarly make no award thereon.”</p>

DATED at Lagos this 24th day of June 1985.

MAJOR-GENERAL SOLOMON OMOJOKUN,
*Minister of Employment, Labour
and Productivity*

— EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the above Notice but is intended to explain its effect)

The Notice confirms the award made by the Industrial Arbitration Panel in respect of the trade dispute which arose between National Union of Furniture, Fixtures and Wood Workers and Management of Kaduna Furniture and Carpets Company.

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SUPREME COURT OF NIGERIA

SUPREME COURT RULES 1985 PRACTICE DIRECTION

ORDER 10 RULE 2

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by Rule 2 of Order 10 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1985, and by virtue of all the powers enabling in that behalf, the following Notice is issued as a Practice Direction of the Supreme Court :

In giving effect to the provisions of Order 6 Rule 5 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1985, the period of the vacation which is declared between July and September each year shall not be taken into account for the computation of the period of filing briefs by either the appellant or the respondent in an appeal before the Court.

MADE at Lagos this 24th day of June, 1985.

G. S. SOWEMIMO., C.O.N.,
Chief Justice of Nigeria