

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
KING'S BENCH DIVISION

Appeal no: QA2022BRS001

**ON APPEAL FROM THE ORDER DATED 28 JANUARY 2022 OF HIS HONOUR
JUDGE RALTON SITTING AT THE COUNTY COURT AT BRISTOL IN CLAIM NO.S
G00BS413; G00BS669; G00BS614; G00BS343**

Dates: 17 and 19 October 2022

Before :

MRS JUSTICE MAY DBE

Between :

**SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME
DEPARTMENT**

Appellant

- and -

ASY & Ors

Respondents

DRAFT ORDER

UPON hearing from counsel for the Appellant, Colin Thomann, leading Tom Tabori, and counsel for the Respondent, Alex Goodman, leading Ben Amunwa,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The appeal is allowed and the order of HHJ Ralton dated 28 January 2022 is set aside.
2. The Respondents shall pay the Appellant's costs of the appeal, to the exclusion of the costs of attendance on 17 October 2022, where the Appellant shall pay the Respondents' costs of the same, on the standard basis.
3. The Respondents shall pay the Appellant's costs of and occasioned by the trial of the preliminary issue and quantum (from 23 June 2021 to 28 January 2022) on the standard basis.
4. If the Appellant seeks to enforce the order, the amount of costs payable by the Appellant under section 26(1) of the Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act

2012 is to be determined in accordance with the Civil Legal Aid (Costs) Regulations 2013.

5. There shall be detailed assessment of the Respondents' publicly funded costs.
6. The claims shall be transferred to Bristol District Registry of the High Court for further case management.

Dated this 2 February 2023