## **REMEDIES**

If the Tribunal finds the complaint to be well founded remedies include:

- Reinstatement
- Re-engagement
- Compensation

## EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS ACT 2012

PART VI UNFAIR DISMISSAL



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Employment Rights .....For All

The Employment Rights Act, 2012 provides the right not to be unfairly dismissed, that right is contravened if the dismissal -

- took place while the employee was certified by a medical practitioner to be incapable of work for a period of not more than 12 consecutive months.
- was as a result of the employee being involved in trade union activities or being a safety and health representative.
- is a result of a complaint from the employee regarding an allegation of a violation of law, contract of employment or the practice by the employer.
- is a result of the employee being diagnosed with or believed to have HIV/ AIDS or any other life-threatening illness or disease

- is a result of the employee being disabled, where alternative employment could have been reasonably offered.
- is due to an employee's refusal to carry out an unlawful instruction given by the employer.
- is because of pregnancy.
- is a result of absence due to the performance of national duty.
- is a reason that relates to race, colour, gender, age, marital status, religion, political affiliation.
- is related to absence associated with an emergency of a child or dependent family member with a disability, for whom the employee has responsibility.



- The Tribunal would not consider a complaint unless it is presented before the end of three months from the effective date of termination.
- Special consideration can be granted if the Tribunal is satisfied that it was not reasonably practicable to do so within the three months.