

Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) Appeal Number: PA/01749/2019

THE IMMIGRATION ACTS

Decision Under Rule 34 Without a Decision & Reasons hearing Promulgated On 12 November 2020 On 16 November 2020

Before

UPPER TRIBUNAL JUDGE PERKINS

Between

MSRT

and

Appellant

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME DEPARTMENT

Respondent

DETERMINATION AND REASONS

- 1. Pursuant to rule 14 of the Tribunal Procedure (Upper Tribunal) Rules 2008 I make an order prohibiting the disclosure or publication of any matter likely to lead members of the public to identify the Appellant. Breach of this order can be punished as a contempt of court. I make this order because the Appellant is an asylum seeker and so is entitled to privacy.
- 2. This is an appeal against a decision of the First-tier Tribunal dismissing the Appellant's appeal against a decision of the Respondent refusing him international protection.
- 3. Permission to appeal was given by Upper Tribunal Judge Finch who identified a catalogue of arguable errors relating to fact finding.
- 4. Directions were given with a view to determining the appeal without a hearing.

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- 5. Both parties responded to those errors. In a letter dated 18 September 2020 for the Respondent signed by the Specialist Appeals Team the Respondent suggested that the Upper Tribunal "remit the appeal to the First-tier Tribunal for redetermination.
- 6. The matter of main concern of the Respondent was the First-tier Tribunal's failure to consider expressly a medical report. This is explained at point 7 of the Grounds.
- 7. I am also concerned at language suggesting that the First-tier Tribunal lost sight of the low standard of proof.
- 8. As both sides have asked for the Decision and Reasons to be set aside I see no point in a hearing. Given that nature of the error then remittal is appropriate. The Appellant's case has not been considered properly.
- 9. Notice of Decision
- 10. The First-tier Tribunal erred in law. I set aside its decision and I direct that the appeal be heard again in the First-tier Tribunal.

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Signed Jonathan Perkins Judge of the Upper Tribunal

Dated 12 November 2020