



IN THE COMPETITION
APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Case No: 1355/5/7/20 (T)

BETWEEN:

- (1) HERTZ AUTOVERMIETUNG GMBH
(2) HERTZ FLEET LIMITED
(3) HERTZ HOLDINGS NETHERLANDS B.V.
(4) THE HERTZ CORPORATION

Claimants

- v -

- (1) – (14) STELLANTIS N.V. (FORMERLY FIAT CHRYSLER
AUTOMOBILES N.V.) AND OTHERS

Defendants

DISMISSAL ORDER

UPON the Claimants and the Twelfth and Thirteenth Defendants (together the **DAF Defendants**) no longer being in dispute with each other regarding the subject matter of these Proceedings (the **Resolution**)

AND UPON the parties to this Order recognising the guidance of the Tribunal in the Tribunal's Ruling on Umbrella Proceedings Cost Sharing Orders, [2024] CAT 12 that:

- (1) The effect of the settlement is that the Claimants cease to have a claim against the DAF Defendants. To the extent that the Tribunal has any costs jurisdiction over the Claimants and/or the DAF Defendants (as to which this order says nothing), a costs order against one of them in favour of the other may not be a just exercise of the Tribunal's costs discretion.

- (2) Whilst the DAF Defendants (if still parties to the Second Wave Proceedings) would be entitled, as appropriate, to seek costs orders against those claimants in the Second Wave Proceedings who have not settled (**Non-Settling Claimants**), the Tribunal will be reluctant to order such Non-Settling Claimants to pay costs that are attributable to the Claimants.
- (3) The Tribunal may, accordingly, reduce the costs recoverable by the DAF Defendants (if still parties to the Second Wave Proceedings) against Non-Settling Claimants by an amount referable to the costs incurred prior to the date of the settlement that would (but for the settlement) have been paid by the Claimants.
- (4) Whilst the Claimants (if still a party to the Second Wave Proceedings) would be entitled, as appropriate, to seek costs orders against those defendants in the Second Wave Proceedings who have not settled (**Non-Settling Defendants**), the Tribunal will be reluctant to order such Non-Settling Defendants to pay costs that are attributable to the DAF Defendants.
- (5) The Tribunal may, accordingly, reduce the costs recoverable by the Claimants (if still a party to the Second Wave Proceedings) against Non-Settling Defendants by an amount referable to the costs incurred prior to the date of the settlement.

AND UPON reading a draft of this order endorsed by the solicitors for the Claimants and the DAF Defendants

BY CONSENT IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Proceedings as between the Claimants and the DAF Defendants be dismissed.
2. There shall be no order as to costs.

The Honourable Mr Justice Huddleston
Chair of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 23 March 2026
Drawn: 25 March 2026

**ANNEX 1: CASES INCLUDED IN THE SECOND WAVE TRUCKS
PROCEEDINGS**

Case Number	Case Name
Cases in England	
1296/5/7/18	Arla Foods AMBA & Others v Stellantis N.V. & Another
1338/5/7/20 (T)	Adnams PLC & Others v DAF Trucks Limited & Others
1343/5/7/20 (T)	DS Smith Paper Limited & Others v MAN SE & Others
1355/5/7/20 (T)	Hertz Autovermietung GmbH & Others v Stellantis N.V. (formerly Fiat Chrysler Automobiles N.V.) & Others
1356/5/7/20 (T)	Balfour Beatty Group Limited & Others v Stellantis N.V. (formerly Fiat Chrysler Automobiles N.V.) & Others
1358/5/7/20 (T)	Zamenhof Exploitation & Others v Fiat Chrysler Automobiles N.V. & Others
1360/5/7/20 (T)	BFS Group Limited & Another v DAF Trucks Limited & Others
1371/5/7/20 (T)	The BOC Group Limited & Others v Stellantis N.V. & Others
1372/5/7/20 (T)	GIST Limited & Others v Stellantis N.V. & Others
1417/5/7/21 (T)	Dan Ryan Truck Rental Limited & Others v DAF Trucks Limited & Others
1420/5/7/21 (T)	A to Z Catering Supplies Limited & Others v DAF Trucks Limited & Others
1431/5/7/22 (T)	Adur District Council & Others v TRATON SE & Others
1521/5/7/22 (T)	Wm Morrison Supermarkets PLC & Others v Volvo Group UK Limited & Others
1578/5/7/23 (T)	Asda & Others v AB Volvo & Others
1594/5/7/23 (T)	GAP Group Limited and Another v DAF Trucks Limited and Others

1610/5/7/23 (T)	Rowleys of Northwich Limited and others v DAF Trucks Limited and others
1607/5/7/23 (T)	Wincanton Holdings Limited and another v DAF Trucks Limited and others
1608/5/7/23 (T)	Adnams PLC and others v DAF Trucks Limited and others
1609/5/7/23 (T)	SP0117 Limited (as Assignee) and another v DAF Trucks Limited and others
1616/5/7/23 (T)	Boots & Others v. Traton & Others
Cases in Northern Ireland	
1536/5/7/22 (T)	C Faulkner & Sons v Aktiebolaget Volvo (Publ)
1708/5/7/25 (T)	JH Irwin & Son (Fuels) Limited -v- AB Volvo
1709/5/7/25 (T)	McHugh's Oil Limited -v- AB Volvo
1710/5/7/25 (T)	Niall McCann trading as NMC Haulage -v- AB Volvo
1711/5/7/25 (T)	Cynthia Beattie t/a Beattie Transport -v- AB Volvo
1706/5/7/25 (T)	J Stockdale and Son Limited -v- AB Volvo
1707/5/7/25 (T)	J.C. Campbell (N.I.) Limited -v- AB Volvo
1705/5/7/25 (T)	Hyland Fuels (NI.) Limited -v- AB Volvo
1704/5/7/25 (T)	Anthony McLornan trading as McLornan Transport -v- Renault SAS
1703/5/7/25 (T)	AH Fuel Oils Limited -v- AB Volvo
1674/5/7/24 (T)	J.C. Campbell (N.I.) Limited -v- DAF Trucks N.V.
1675/5/7/24 (T)	Gibson Bros Limited -v- DAF Trucks N.V.
1676/5/7/24 (T)	Joseph Walls Ltd -v- DAF Trucks NV
1677/5/7/24 (T)	M.G. Oils Limited -v- DAF Trucks NV
1678/5/7/24 (T)	J.K.C. Specialist Cars Limited -v- DAF Trucks NV
1679/5/7/24 (T)	G.P. Marketing Limited trading as Patterson Oil -v- DAF Trucks NV
1680/5/7/24 (T)	J.H. Irwin & Son (Fuels) Limited -v- DAF Trucks NV

1681/5/7/24 (T)	Trevor Leckey t/a Stoneyford Concrete –v- DAF Trucks NV
20/58982	Derek O'Reilly t/a O'Reilly's The Sweet People -v- Daimler AG
20/58998	Patrick Megoran -v- Daimler AG
20/58974	Stephen Pollard -v- Daimler AG
1682/5/7/24 (T)	John Rodgers Limited -v- Daimler AG
20/58984	Andrew Ingredients Ltd -v- Daimler AG
18/78073	Kieran Quinn t/a Pomeroy Haulage -v- Daimler AG
20/58977	J.C. Campbell (N.I.) Limited -v- Daimler AG
1683/5/7/24 (T)	R Magowan & Son Limited -v- Iveco S.P.A
1684/5/7/24 (T)	C. Russell Auto Sales Ltd -v- Iveco S.P.A
1685/5/7/24 (T)	Kennedy & Morrison Limited -v- Iveco S.P.A
1686/5/7/24 (T)	Niall McCann t/a NMC Haulage -v- Iveco S.P.A
1687/5/7/24 (T)	John Rodgers Limited -v- Iveco S.P.A
Cases in Scotland	
1538/5/7/22 (T)	Clackmannanshire Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1539/5/7/22 (T)	Angus Council v VFS Financial Services Limited & Others
1540/5/7/22 (T)	East Ayrshire Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1541/5/7/22 (T)	The City of Edinburgh Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd
1542/5/7/22 (T)	East Lothian Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1543/5/7/22 (T)	East Dunbartonshire Council v VFS Financial Services Limited

1544/5/7/22 (T)	Fife Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1545/5/7/22 (T)	Midlothian Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1546/5/7/22 (T)	Glasgow City Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1547/5/7/22 (T)	Dundee City Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1548/5/7/22 (T)	Scottish Water v VFS Financial Services Limited & Others
1549/5/7/22 (T)	West Lothian Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1550/5/7/22 (T)	Perth & Kinross Council v VFS Financial Services Limited
1551/5/7/22 (T)	Stirling Council v VFS Financial Services Limited & Others
1552/5/7/22 (T)	Renfrewshire Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1553/5/7/22 (T)	South Ayrshire Council V VFS & Others
1554/5/7/22 (T)	The North Ayrshire Council v VFS Financial Services Limited
1555/5/7/22 (T)	Western Isles Council v VFS Financial Services & Others
1556/5/7/22 (T)	West Dunbartonshire Council v VFS Financial Services
1557/5/7/22 (T)	North Lanarkshire Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd
1558/5/7/22 (T)	Scottish Borders Council v VFS Financial Services Limited
1559/5/7/22 (T)	Dundee CC & Others t/a Tayside Contracts v VFS FS Ltd & Others
1560/5/7/22 (T)	Aberdeenshire Council v VFS Financial Services Ltd & Others
1561/5/7/22 (T)	Argyll and Bute Council v VFS Financial Services Limited
1562/5/7/22 (T)	East Renfrewshire Council v VFS Financial Services Limited
1563/5/7/22 (T)	South Lanarkshire Council v VFS Financial Services Limited

1564/5/7/22 (T)	Grahams The Family Dairy (Processing Ltd) v CNH Industrial
1565/5/7/22 (T)	Grahams The Family Dairy Ltd v CNH Industrial N.V.
1566/5/7/22 (T)	Graham's Dairies Limited v CNH Industrial N.V