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# The Tribunal Procedure (First-tier Tribunal) (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) Rules 2014

## PART 3

### Proceedings Before the Tribunal

#### CHAPTER 3

#### Decisions

#### Decisions and notice of decisions

**29.**—(1) The Tribunal may give a decision orally at a hearing.

(2) Subject to rule 13(2) (withholding information likely to cause serious harm), the Tribunal must provide to each party as soon as reasonably practicable after making a decision (other than a decision under Part 4) which disposes of the proceedings—

- (a) a notice of decision stating the Tribunal's decision; and
- (b) notification of any right of appeal against the decision and the time within which, and the manner in which, such right of appeal may be exercised.
- (3) Where the decision of the Tribunal relates to-
  - (a) an asylum claim or a humanitarian protection claim, the Tribunal must provide, with the notice of decision in paragraph (2)(a), written reasons for its decision;
  - (b) any other matter, the Tribunal may provide written reasons for its decision but, if it does not do so, must notify the parties of the right to apply for a written statement of reasons.

(4) Unless the Tribunal has already provided a written statement of reasons, a party may make a written application to the Tribunal for such statement following a decision which disposes of the proceedings.

(5) An application under paragraph (4) must be received within 28 days of the date on which the Tribunal sent or otherwise provided to the party a notice of decision relating to the decision which disposes of the proceedings.

(6) If a party makes an application in accordance with paragraphs (4) and (5) the Tribunal must, subject to rule 13(2) (withholding a document or information likely to cause serious harm), send a written statement of reasons to each party as soon as reasonably practicable.