

Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) Appeal Number: VA/22514/2012

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THE IMMIGRATION ACTS

Heard at Bradford

On 18 October 2013

Determination Promulgated On 22nd October 2013

Before

UPPER TRIBUNAL JUDGE D E TAYLOR

Between

ALIYA BI BI AMIR FATIMA

And

Appellant

ENTRY CLEARANCE OFFICER

Respondent

Representation:

For the Appellant: no appearance For the Respondent: Mrs Brewer, HOPO

DECISION AND DIRECTIONS

1. This is the Appellants appeal against the decision of First-tier Tribunal Judge Sarsfield made following a hearing at Bradford on the 18 January

- 2013, dismissing their appeals against the Respondent's decision to refuse to grant them entry clearance as visitors.
- 2. The Sponsor wrote to the Tribunal prior to the hearing saying that she was not able to take time off work and would therefore not be able to attend the hearing.
- 3. The Respondent served a reply defending the determination but Mrs Brewer sensibly acknowledged its deficiencies, in particular the lack of engagement with the evidence of the Sponsor, who attended before Judge Sarsfield. She accepted that the most sensible course would be for the matter to be reheard.
- 4. The judge erred in law in failing to consider material evidence namely the lengthy and extensive grounds of appeal and the Sponsor's oral evidence upon which he made no findings.
- 5. This appeal will be reheard at Bradford before a Judge other than Judge Sarsfield.

Judge of the Upper Tribunal

Signed	Date