

Juste Stoniene. Statement re Kent Pryde

Kent Pryde was engaged by Law Partners without agreement with Alfonsas.

I had no experience dealing with legal matters, lawyers, solicitors and barristers in the past. I didn't really know what to expect.

I was invited to join Alfonsas in a few meetings with LawPartners and Kent Pryde, they also prepared our statements.

Below are some examples of what I noticed about Ken Pryde's behavior as a professional.

1. To attend the meetings I had to excuse myself from work, because they were held during business hours, which is my normal working hours. At that job I couldn't take time off so easily, it had to be arranged ahead of time, because my employee had to arrange a cover up, and I only took some hours off hoping this time would be enough.

Coming from the business sector it was a surprise to me how the time is wasted during those meetings. After sitting and listening to unrelated jokes told by Kent Pryde for some time (maybe 15-20 mins) I saw we will not produce what we came for, so I actually stopped him and asked to come back to business. And he did.

I felt an arrogant attitude from Kent Pryde dragging the time of the meeting, which we knew was gonna cost us money. A disrespect to other people's time when they leave the work (which is to gain the money to pay the bill) and drag the time for their benefit.

2. The first meeting I attended Kent Pryde started saying because I have not participated in the first meeting Alfonsas had with him put me on track he has to brief me on what was discussed. And he started talking in every detail what Alfonsas told him in the first meeting, all the Alfonsas situation is in, for example what Alfonsas has told how he is feeling.

Firstly it is another way to extend the time of this meeting (which again will cost us), secondly it sounded like nonsense and even like he is making fun of us. We live together as we are married, and yes, we talk and I see and know how he feels, and what his symptoms are. I don't need to be told about that by the barrister.

3. When taking statements, Kent Pryde was recording what obviously was later typed on paper by his assistant or secretary. Pryde was quoting sentences even to say where to put a full stop! You could understand he will cost his price high taking every possible way to increase it.

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