Reference for a preliminary ruling from Watford Employment Tribunal (United Kingdom) made on 22 August 2019 – K and Others v Tesco Stores Ltd

(Case C-624/19)

(2019/C 357/33)

Language of the case: English

Referring court

Watford Employment Tribunal (United Kingdom)

Parties to the main proceedings

Applicants: K and Others

Defendant: Tesco Stores Ltd

Questions referred

- 1. Is Article 157 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) directly effective in claims made on the basis that claimants are performing work of equal value to their comparators?
- 2. If the answer to question 1 is no, is the single source test for comparability in Article 157 distinct from the question of equal value, and if so, does that test have direct effect?

Action brought on 4 September 2019 — European Commission v Kingdom of Spain

(Case C-658/19)

(2019/C 357/34)

Language of the case: Spanish

Parties

Applicant: European Commission (represented by D. Nardi, G. von Rintelen and S. Pardo Quintillán, Agents)

Defendant: Kingdom of Spain

Form of order sought

The applicant claims that the Court should:

[—] Declare that, by failing to adopt, by 6 May 2018, the laws, regulations and administrative provisions necessary to comply with Directive (EU) 2016/680 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on [the protection of natural persons with regard] to the processing of personal data by competent authorities for the purposes of the prevention, investigation, detection or prosecution of criminal offences or the execution of criminal penalties, and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Council Framework Decision 2008/977/JHA, (1) or, in any event, by failing to notify those measures to the Commission, the Kingdom of Spain has failed to fulfil its obligations under Article 63(1) of that directive;