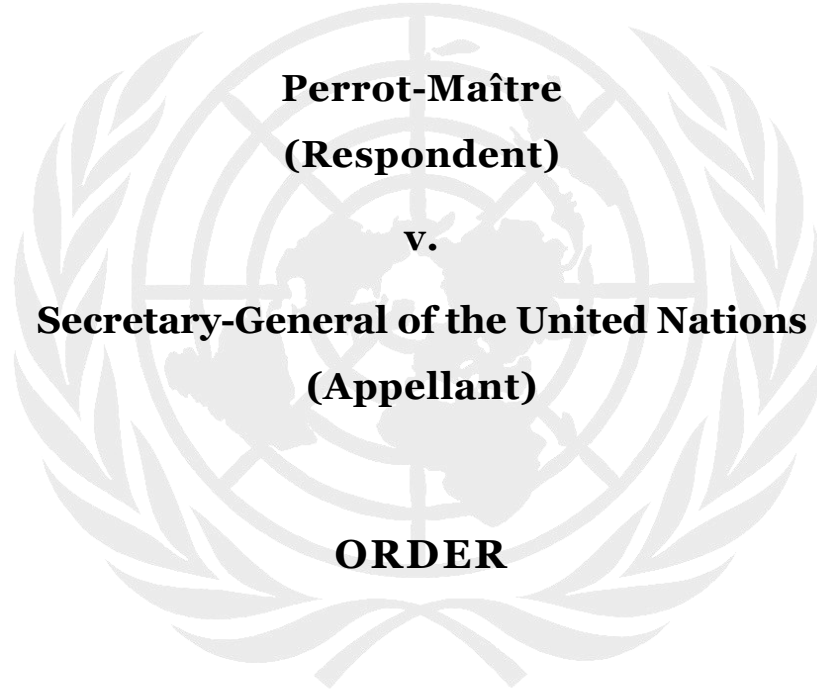




**UNITED NATIONS APPEALS TRIBUNAL  
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Case No. 2011-223



**Perrot-Maître  
(Respondent)**

**v.**

**Secretary-General of the United Nations  
(Appellant)**

**ORDER**

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Before:	Judge Sophia Adinyira
Order No.:	69 (2011)
Date:	11 October 2011
Registrar:	Weicheng Lin

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Counsel for Respondent: Seth Levine

Counsel for Appellant: Phyllis Hwang

**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF APPEAL**

1. The United Nations Appeals Tribunal (Appeals Tribunal) is seized of an appeal, filed by the Secretary-General on 10 June 2011 against Judgment No. UNDT/2011/076, rendered by the United Nations Dispute Tribunal on 29 April 2011. In relation to this appeal, the Appeals Tribunal is also seized of a motion to withdraw the appeal, filed by the Secretary-General on 23 September 2011.
2. A party may withdraw an appeal simply by giving notice and need not necessarily provide any further justification.<sup>1</sup> I see no reason to require the Secretary-General to pursue an appeal he no longer deems necessary in the context of his case.
3. For the foregoing reasons, I grant the Secretary-General's request and declare the appeal moot.

Original and Authoritative version: English

Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 2011 in New York, United States.

*(Signed)*

Judge Adinyira, Duty Judge

Entered in the Register on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 2011 in New York, United States.

*(Signed)*

Weicheng Lin, Registrar

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<sup>1</sup> Cf. *Fayek v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*, Order No. 34 (2011); *Teferra v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*, Order No. 16 (2010).