



UNITED NATIONS APPEALS TRIBUNAL TRIBUNAL D'APPEL DES NATIONS UNIES

Case Nos. 2017-1076 & 2017-1079

Chhikara
(Appellant/Respondent)

v.

Secretary-General of the United Nations
(Respondent/Appellant)

Order No. 290 (2017)

1. On 6 March 2017, the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT or Dispute Tribunal) in New York issued Judgment No. UNDT/2017/012 in the case of *Chhikara v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*.
2. On 4 May 2017, Mr. Virendra Chhikara filed an appeal of the Judgment to the United Nations Appeals Tribunal (Appeals Tribunal) (Case No. 2017-1079), and on 5 May 2017, the Secretary-General of the United Nations appealed the Judgment (Case No. 2017-1076).
3. Under Article 18*bis*, subsection 1, of the Appeals Tribunal Rules of Procedure, “[t]he President may, at any time, either on a motion of a party or on his or her own volition, issue any order which appears to be appropriate for the fair and expeditious management of the case and to do justice to the parties”.
4. In light of the fact that the two appeals before us challenge the same UNDT Judgment, Judgment No. UNDT/2017/012, it is “appropriate for the fair and expeditious management of the case and to do justice to the parties” to consolidate these two appeals for all purposes.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the appeals filed in Case Nos. 2017-1076 and 2017-1079 should be consolidated for all purposes.

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Dated 21st day of July 2017 in Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.

(Signed)
Deborah Thomas-Felix
President

Entered in the Register on this 21st day of July 2017 in New York, United States.

(Signed)
Weicheng Lin, Registrar