



UNITED NATIONS APPEALS TRIBUNAL TRIBUNAL D'APPEL DES NATIONS UNIES

Case Nos. 2023-1802 & 2023-1822

Jafar Hilmi Wakid
(Respondent/Appellant)

v.

Commissioner-General
of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for
Palestine Refugees in the Near East
(Appellant/Respondent)

ORDER No. 545 (2023)

1. On 19 March 2023, the Dispute Tribunal of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA DT and UNRWA or Agency, respectively) issued Judgment No. UNRWA/DT/2023/013 (UNRWA DT Judgment) in the case of *Wakid v. Commissioner-General of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East*, by which it rescinded the decision to impose on Mr. Jafar Hilmi Wakid the disciplinary measure of separation from service without termination indemnity and awarded in-lieu compensation and moral damages.

2. On 18 May 2023, the Commissioner-General filed an appeal of the UNRWA DT Judgment. Mr. Wakid did not file an answer. This case was registered as Case No. 2023-1802.

3. On 11 July 2023, Mr. Wakid filed an appeal of the same UNRWA DT Judgment. On 18 September 2023, the Commissioner-General filed his answer. This case was registered as Case No. 2023-1822.

4. Under Article 18*bis*(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”.

5. Because the two appeals before us challenge the same UNRWA DT Judgment, it is “appropriate for the fair and expeditious management of the case[s] and to do justice to the parties” to consolidate them for all purposes.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the appeals filed in Case Nos. 2023-1802 and 2023-1822 should be consolidated for all purposes.

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Decision dated this 17th day of November 2023
in Vancouver, Canada.

(Signed)
Judge Kanwaldeep Sandhu,
President

Order published and entered in the Register on this
20th day of November 2023 in New York, United States.

(Signed)
Juliet E. Johnson,
Registrar