



UNITED NATIONS APPEALS TRIBUNAL TRIBUNAL D'APPEL DES NATIONS UNIES

Case Nos. 2024-1915 & 2024-1939

Ivan Aguilar Valle

(Respondent)

v.

Secretary-General of the United Nations

(Appellant)

ORDER No. 598 (2025)

1. Mr. Aguilar Valle filed an application with the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT or Dispute Tribunal) in which he contested the decision to impose on him the disciplinary measure of separation from service with compensation in lieu of notice and without termination indemnity. The UNDT registered his application as UNDT Case No. UNDT/NY/2022/033, *Aguilar Valle v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*.
2. On 26 February 2024, the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT or Dispute Tribunal) issued a “Judgment on Liability”, Judgment No. UNDT/2024/007 in Case No. UNDT/NY/2022/033.
3. On 10 May 2024, the UNDT issued a “Judgment on Relief”, Judgment No. UNDT/2024/032 in the same Case No. UNDT/NY/2022/033.
4. On 26 April 2024, the Secretary-General filed an appeal against the Judgment on Liability before the United Nations Appeals Tribunal (UNAT or Appeals Tribunal). This appeal was registered as Case No. 2024-1915. On 17 May 2024, Mr. Aguilar Valle filed his answer.
5. On 9 July 2024, the Secretary-General filed an appeal against the Judgment on Relief before the UNAT. This appeal was registered as Case No. 2024-1939. On 25 July 2024, Mr. Aguilar Valle filed his answer.

6. Both the Judgment on Liability and the Judgment on Relief arise from the same UNDT Case. As the Appeals Tribunal observed in Order No. 568 (2024), appeals on the merits and relief arising from the same case should be considered together.¹

7. Pursuant to 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”. I therefore direct that these cases be consolidated for hearing and judgment.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the appeals filed in Case Nos. 2024-1915 and 2024-1939 be consolidated for all purposes.

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Decision dated this 9th day of April 2025
in Beirut, Lebanon.

(Signed)
Judge Nassib Ziadé,
President

Order published and entered in the Register on this
9th day of April 2025 in New York, United States.

(Signed)
Juliet E. Johnson,
Registrar

¹ *Ivan Aguilar Valle v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*, Order No. 568 (2024), para. 17.