Case No.: UNDT/GVA/2021/064

Order No.: 184 (GVA/2021)
Date: 22 December 2021

Original: English

**Before:** Duty Judge Teresa Bravo

Registry: Geneva

Registrar: René M. Vargas M.

#### **DUYSENHANOVA**

v.

# SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

## ORDER ON CASE MANAGEMENT

### **Counsel for Applicant:**

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Introduction

. On 3 August 2021, the Applicant, a current staff member with UNOOSA at

the P-4 level, sought management evaluation of the decision by Ms. Martha Helena

Lopez, ASG OHRM, from 4 June 2021, to close her complaint against the Director

of UNOOSA for harassment and abuse of authority with only managerial action.

2. On 17 September 2021, the MEU recommended upholding the decision.

3. On 16 December 2021, the Applicant filed an application before this Tribunal

seeking to challenge the above-mentioned decision.

4. On 21 December 2021, the Respondent filed a Motion for extension of time

to file a Reply.

Consideration

5. Having regard to the circumstances of the holiday season, the Tribunal

acknowledges that the requested extension of time does not have significant impact

in the proceedings. Hence, it considers warranted to grant the Respondent's Motion.

IT IS ORDERED THAT

6. The Respondent's motion for extension of time to file his reply is granted.

Consequently, the Respondent shall file his Reply by Monday, 31 January 2022.

(Signed)

Judge Teresa Bravo (Duty Judge)

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2021

Entered in the Register on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2021

(Signed)

René M. Vargas M., Registrar, Geneva

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