



Before: Judge Sun Xiangzhuang

Registry: Geneva

Registrar: René M. Vargas M.

AMBOGA-RIMMELE

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

**ORDER ON
MOTION FOR WITHDRAWAL**

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Introduction

1. By application filed on 28 June 2023, the Applicant contests her non-selection for the positions of Political Affairs Officer in the Bamyan and Kandahar Offices, United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan, advertised under Recruit-from-Roster Job Opening 198309.
2. On 3 July 2023, the application was served on the Respondent.
3. On 21 July 2023, the parties filed a joint motion to suspend the proceedings pending their ongoing discussions to settle the matter informally.
4. By Order No. 82 (GVA/2023) of 24 July 2023, the Tribunal granted the parties' joint motion and *inter alia* suspended proceedings until 21 August 2023.
5. On 22 August 2023, the parties filed another joint motion requesting *inter alia* a further suspension of proceedings until 22 September 2023.
6. By Order No. 103 (GVA/2023) of 22 August 2023, the Tribunal granted the parties' joint motion for further suspension of proceedings.
7. On 20 September 2023, the Applicant filed a motion for withdrawal.

Consideration

8. Considering that the amicable settlement of disputes is strongly encouraged, the Tribunal commends both parties for their good faith efforts in resolving this case amicably by mutual agreement.
9. Having reviewed the Applicant's motion, the Tribunal sees no obstacle to the withdrawal of the application.
10. The Applicant's clear and unequivocal withdrawal of her application through a final and binding mutual agreement requires no pronouncement on the merits and concludes the current matter before the Tribunal.

11. As the matter has now been settled by a mutual settlement agreement, there is no longer any matter for adjudication before the Tribunal.

Conclusion

12. In view of the foregoing, it is ORDERED THAT Case No. UNDT/GVA/2023/034 be hereby closed without liberty to reinstate and struck from the Tribunal's docket.

(Signed)

Judge Sun Xiangzhuang

Dated this 20th day of September 2023

Entered in the Register on this 20th day of September 2023

(Signed)

René M. Vargas M., Registrar, Geneva