



Before: Duty Judge

Registry: Geneva

Registrar: René M. Vargas M.

LITVINIUK

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

**ORDER
ON CASE MANAGEMENT**

Counsel for Applicant:

Self-represented

Counsel for Respondent:

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Marietta Hristovski, UNHCR

Introduction

1. By application filed on 11 May 2024, the Applicant contests the decision to terminate her fixed-term appointment in accordance with staff regulation 9.3(a)(v).
2. On 13 June 2024, the Respondent filed his reply.

Consideration

Filing of a rejoinder

3. Having perused the case file, the Tribunal considers it appropriate and in the interest of justice to direct the Applicant to file her comments on the Respondent's reply (i.e., a "rejoinder").

Amicable settlement

4. Recalling that the General Assembly has consistently encouraged alternative dispute resolution, the Tribunal finds it also appropriate to encourage the parties to explore the possibility of having the dispute between them resolved without recourse to further litigation.

Conclusion

5. In view of the foregoing, it is ORDERED THAT:
 - a. By **Monday, 26 August 2024**, the Applicant shall file her comments on the Respondent's reply; and
 - b. The parties shall explore resolving the dispute amicably and revert to the Tribunal in this respect by **Monday, 2 September 2024**.

(Signed)

Judge Sun Xiangzhuang (Duty Judge)

Dated this 9th day of August 2024

Entered in the Register on this 9th day of August 2024

(Signed)

René M. Vargas M., Registrar, Geneva

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