



Before: Duty Judge

Registry: Geneva

Registrar: René M. Vargas M.

ISUFI

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

**ORDER
ON CASE MANAGEMENT**

Counsel for Applicant:

Self-represented

Counsel for Respondent:

Halil Göksan, AS/ALD/OHR, UN Secretariat

Introduction

1. On 21 May 2024, the Applicant, a former staff member of the United Nations Development Coordination Office (“UNDCO”), filed an application contesting the decision not to renew his fixed-term appointment beyond 9 February 2024 for unsatisfactory performance.
2. On 24 June 2024, the Respondent filed his reply, *inter alia*, contesting the receivability of some of the Applicant’s claims and requests for compensation.

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 his comments on the Respondent’s reply (i.e., a “rejoinder”). In his comments, the Applicant should specifically address the receivability issue that the Respondent raised in his reply.

Amicable settlement

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

Conclusion

5. In view of the foregoing, it is ORDERED THAT:
 - a. By **Wednesday, 4 September 2024**, the Applicant shall file a rejoinder; and

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b. The parties shall explore resolving the dispute amicably and revert to the Tribunal in this respect by **Wednesday, 11 September 2024**.

(Signed)

Judge Sean Wallace (Duty Judge)

Dated this 20th day of August 2024

Entered in the Register on this 20th day of August 2024

(Signed)

René M. Vargas M., Registrar, Geneva