



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2009/056

Order No.: 66 (NBI/2010)

Date: 27 April 2010

Original: English

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**Before:** Judge Nkemdilim Izuako

**Registry:** Nairobi

**Registrar:** Jean-Pelé Fomété

BEKELE

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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**ORDER ON APPLICATION  
REQUESTING FOR AN AMHARIC  
LANGUAGE INTERPRETER**

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**Counsel for Applicant:**

Adolph Bishanga

**Counsel for Respondent:**

Stephen Margetts, ALS/OHRM, UN Secretariat.

1. By a Motion dated 26 April 2010, the Applicant requests the Tribunal to find an Amharic interpreter to assist one of his witnesses during the hearing of his Application on 28 April 2010.

2. Having noted that Amharic is not listed as one of the official languages of the Tribunal, the Tribunal hereby makes the following Orders:

**ORDER**

- (i) The Applicant to file with the Registry a sworn statement in English by the said witness by or before 28 April 2010.
- (ii) If the Applicant requires the witness to testify during the hearing, he should provide an interpreter for the Amharic language.

*(Signed)*

Judge Nkemdilim Izuako

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 2010

Entered in the Register on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 2010

*(Signed)*

Jean-Pelé Fomété, Registrar, UNDT, Nairobi