



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2015/041

Order No.: 179 (NBI/2015)

Date: 19 May 2015

Original: English

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**Before:** Judge Nkemdilim Izuako

**Registry:** Nairobi

**Registrar:** Abena Kwakye-Berko

NEGASA

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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**ORDER ON THE APPLICANT'S  
NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL**

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## **Introduction**

1. The Applicant serves as a Security Officer at the United Nations Mission in the Republic of South Sudan (“UNMISS”). By Application dated 6 March 2015, he challenges what he describes as an “unfair, ineffective or illegitimate rostering table and lack of transparency on their decision”. The Applicant avers that he was denied full and fair consideration for several job openings.

2. The Respondent filed a Reply to the Application on 10 April 2015 in which it was argued that the Application was not receivable.

3. On 5 May 2015, the Tribunal ordered the Applicant to file his observations/response on the issue of receivability by 19 May 2015.

4. On 18 May 2015, the Applicant prayed the Tribunal for leave to allow him to withdraw his Application “due to too much work in [his] duty station which is the most conflicted area in the UN system.” He further submitted that he has decided to await the final decision of the Central Review Board.

## **ORDER**

5. The Tribunal hereby **RECORDS** the Applicant’s motion for withdrawal and **ORDERS** that the matter of *Negasa v Secretary-General of the United Nations* (UNDT/NBI/2015/041) be struck off the Court’s docket.

*(Signed)*

Judge Nkemdilim Izuako

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 2015

Entered in the Register on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 2015

*(Signed)*

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi