



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2016/088  
Order No.: 129 (NBI/2018)  
Date: 4 September 2018  
Original: English

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**Before:** Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

**Registry:** Nairobi

**Registrar:** Abena Kwakye-Berko

COKER

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER**

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**Counsel for the Applicant:**  
Roland Adjovi

**Counsel for the Respondent:**  
Nicole Wynn, ALS/OHRM

### **The Application and Procedural History**

1. At the time of the application, the Applicant served as a Civil Affairs Officer with the United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL). He served on a fixed term appointment at the P4 level
2. On 7 December 2016, the Applicant filed an application challenging the Respondent's decision to terminate his appointment with the Mission and the decision to terminate the appointment as of 31 August 2016, rather than on 28 February 2017 "as promised."
3. The Respondent replied on 9 January 2017.

### **Order**

4. For the purpose of the expeditious disposition of this case, the Tribunal deems it necessary to call the parties to a case management discussion.
5. The parties should come prepared to address the Tribunal on whether this matter can be decided on the basis of the parties' written submissions or if an oral hearing is necessary.
6. A case management discussion in this case will take place on **11 September 2018 at 1500 hours Nairobi time (GMT+3) in the UNDT boardroom.**
7. Parties appearing remotely are required to provide the Registry with their contact details no later than **7 September 2018**. This Order serves as a Hearing Notice pursuant to art. 16 of the Tribunal's Rules of Procedure.

*(Signed)*

Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

Dated this 4<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018

Entered in the Register on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018

*(Signed)*

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi