



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2016/089
Order No.: 132 (NBI/2018)
Date: 4 September 2018
Original: English

Before: Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

Registry: Nairobi

Registrar: Abena Kwakye-Berko

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v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

Counsel for the Applicant:
Brandon Gardner, OSLA

Counsel for the Respondent:
Kong Leong Toh, UNOPS

Introduction

1. At the time of this application, the Applicant was Country Director for the Somalia Programme under the UNOPS Kenya Operations Hub. He served at the P5 level on a fixed term appointment and was based in Mogadishu.
2. On 7 December 2016, the Applicant filed this application challenging the Respondent's decision to i) place adverse material in his personnel file without providing him with the opportunity to rebut it; ii) place him on special leave with pay; and subsequently iii) not renew his appointment on the basis of unsubstantiated allegations.
3. The Respondent filed his reply to the application on 10 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 be prepared to address the Tribunal on i) any pending/interlocutory motions, ii) whether this is a matter that can be settled *inter partes* and/or iii) if they are amenable to the adjudication of this matter on the basis of their written submissions.
6. A case management discussion in this case will take place on **11 September 2018** at 1100 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**.
8. 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 4th day of September 2018

Entered in the Register on this 4th day of September 2018

(Signed)

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi