

Case Nos.: UNDT/NBI/2019/101

Order No.: 096 (NBI/2019) Date: 11 July 2019

Original: English

Before: Judge Agnieszka Klonowiecka-Milart

Registry: Nairobi

Registrar: Abena Kwakye-Berko

BUINGO

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON AN APPLICATION FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION PENDING MANAGEMENT EVALUATION

Counsel for the Applicant:

Self-represented

Counsel for the Respondent:

Rosangela Adamo, AAS/ALD/OHR

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INTRODUCTION

1. The Applicant is a Disarmament Demobilisation Reintegration Assistant at

the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic

Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO). He serves on a fixed term appointment at

the GS9 level and is based in Goma.

The Application

2. On 8 July 2019, the Applicant moved, pursuant to art. 13 of the Rules of

Procedure, to suspend the Respondent's decision to separate him from service

upon expiry of his current contract on 12 July 2019. The Respondent's decision is

based on the putative abolition, by the General Assembly, of the post encumbered

by the Applicant.

3. The Application was served on the Respondent on the day it was received

by the Registry, and the latter filed his Reply on 9 July 2019. The Respondent

submits that the Tribunal lacks jurisdiction to consider the application because the

impugned decision has already been suspended "pending management

evaluation."

ORDER

4. As the Respondent has suspended implementation of the impugned

decision pending management evaluation, the Tribunal considers the application

for suspension of action before it to be moot.

5. This application for suspension of action is **DISMISSED.**

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(signed) Judge Agnieszka Klonowiecka-Milart Dated this 11th day of July 2019

Entered in the Register on this 11th day of July 2019

(signed) Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi