



Before: Judge Francis Belle
Registry: Nairobi
Registrar: Abena Kwakye-Berko

SULTAN

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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

Counsel for the Applicant:

Self represented

Counsel for the Respondent:

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Introduction

1. At the time of the application, the Applicant served as the United Nations Children’s Fund (“UNICEF”) Representative in Luanda, Angola. He holds a continuing appointment at the D-1 level.

The application

2. On 5 December 2018, the applicant was sanctioned for misconduct.

3. On 7 March 2019, the Applicant filed an application with the United Nations Dispute Tribunal sitting in Nairobi challenging the Respondent’s decision to sanction him for misconduct.

4. The Respondent filed his reply on 29 March 2019.

5. The parties attended a Case Management Discussion (“CMD”) before the Tribunal on 4 August 2020. At the CMD, the Applicant informed the Tribunal that the dispute between him and the Respondent had been resolved in that he had been “given assurances,” and he now wished therefore to withdraw his application.

6. The Tribunal directed the Applicant to file a notice of withdrawal by 7 August 2020. This has not been done.

7. The Tribunal therefore issues this Order on the basis of the parties’ oral submissions at the CMD and the Applicant’s confirmation that he did not want to pursue the application.

8. The Tribunal also notes that the Respondent had no objection to the Applicant’s course of action.

ORDER

9. The Tribunal commends the parties for having resolved this matter *inter partes*.

10. The Tribunal hereby **RECORDS** the contents of the Applicant's Notice of Withdrawal during case management discussions and **ORDERS** that the matter of *Sultan v Secretary General of the United Nations* (UNDT/NBI/2019/026) be struck off the Court's docket.

(Signed)

Judge Francis Belle

Dated this 12th day of August 2020

Entered in the Register on this 12th day of August 2020

(Signed)

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi