



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

**Registry:** Nairobi

**Registrar:** Abena Kwakye-Berko

GAVAZZO

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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**ORDER ON THE APPLICANT'S  
REQUEST FOR A HEARING**

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## **Introduction**

1. The Applicant is the Chief of Section, Logistics in the Transportation and Movement Integrated Control Centre (“TMICC”) at the Regional Service Centre at Entebbe (“RSCE”).
2. On 23 November 2020, she filed an application before the Dispute Tribunal contesting the decision to reassign her from the post of Chief of Central Service with the United Nations Global Service Centre (“UNGSC”) to her current position of the Chief of Section, Logistics, TMICC, RSCE.<sup>1</sup>
3. The Respondent filed a reply on 4 January 2021 in which it is argued that the contested decision was legal, rational and procedurally correct.
4. On 5 January 2021, the Applicant filed a motion for leave to file a rejoinder to the Respondent’s reply. On 6 September 2021, the Tribunal granted the Applicant’s motion.
5. On 30 September 2021, the Applicant filed a rejoinder to the Respondent’s reply.
6. On 2 November 2021, the Tribunal held a case management discussion (“CMD”). During the CMD, among others, the Respondent expressed interest in submitting a response to the Applicant’s rejoinder filed on 30 September 2021.
7. By Order No. 247 (NBI/2021), the Respondent was given an opportunity to file submissions in response to the Applicant’s rejoinder filed on 30 September 2021. The Respondent complied and filed his submissions on 8 November 2021.
8. On 15 November 2021, the Applicant submitted a request for a hearing.

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<sup>1</sup> Application, section V.

**Consideration**

9. Having examined the parties' submissions to date and the evidence on record, the Tribunal finds that the matter is fully informed and can be determined without holding a hearing.

**ORDER**

10. The Applicant's request for a hearing is **rejected**.

*(Signed)*

Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of November 2021

Entered in the Register on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of November 2021

*(Signed)*

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi