Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2023/002

Order No.: 066 (NBI/2023)
Date: 28 March 2023

Original: English

Before: Judge Agnieszka Klonowiecka-Milart

Registry: Nairobi

Registrar: Abena Kwakye-Berko

ROBERTS

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON THE APPLICANT'S MOTION TO WITHDRAW HIS APPLICATION

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Counsel for the Respondent:

Kong Leong Toh, UNOPS

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Introduction

1. The Applicant filed an application on 2 January 2023 to contest the

determination by the Division of Healthcare Management, Occupational Safety and

Health and the United Nations Office for Project Services that his medical conditions

did not meet the criteria for a disability benefit under art. 33(a) of the Regulations,

Rules and Pension Adjustment System of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund.

2. The Respondent filed a reply on 6 January 2023, and an amended reply on 21

February 2023

3. On 14 March 2023, the Applicant filed a motion to withdraw his application.

He states that, in light of the Respondent's amended reply, in which, among others, the

Respondent raises the issue of receivability on the ground that the Applicant did not

request management evaluation which is a required step prior to filing the application;

he acknowledges that this step was not undertaken. Accordingly, the Applicant

requests the Tribunal to strike out the application.

ORDER

4. The Tribunal takes note of the Applicant's motion and hereby ORDERS that

Case No. UNDT/NBI/2023/002 be struck off its docket.

(Signed)

Judge Agnieszka Klonowiecka-Milart

Dated this 28th day of March 2023

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Entered in the Register on this 28th day of March 2023

(Signed) Eric Muli, Legal Officer, for Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi