



Before: Judge Joelle Adda
Registry: New York
Registrar: Nerea Suero Fontecha

HALIDOU

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER

ON CASE MANAGEMENT

Counsel for Applicant:
Sètondji Roland Adjovi

Counsel for Respondent:
Matthias Schuster, ALD/OHR, UN Secretariat
Susan Maddox, ALD/OHR, UN Secretariat

Introduction

1. The Applicant, a former Security Officer with the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic (“MINUSCA”), contests the decision to separate him from service with compensation in lieu of notice and with termination indemnity for physical assault.

2. After a series of case management orders and the parties’ submissions, the Tribunal held a two-day hearing on 29-30 October 2019 during which the Tribunal heard testimonies of several witnesses.

3. The Tribunal considers that the case is now ready for adjudication and the proceedings are to be closed. Accordingly, the parties will be instructed to file their closing statements.

4. The Tribunal notes that in the Respondent’s reply dated 2 May 2017, the Respondent requested the opportunity to make additional submissions on compensation. Should the Respondent wish to make any submissions on the issue of compensation, the Respondent should do so as part of his closing statement.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

5. By **4:00 p.m. on Friday, 8 November 2019**, the Applicant is to file his closing statement, which is solely to be based on the submissions and evidence on record. The statement is to be five pages maximum, using Times New Roman, font 12 and 1.5 line spacing;

6. By **4:00 p.m. on Friday, 15 November 2019**, the Respondent is to file his closing statement, which is to be six pages maximum, using Times New Roman, font 12 and 1.5 line spacing;

7. By **4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 20 November 2019**, the Applicant is to file his final observations, if any, responding to the Respondent's closing statement, which is to be two pages maximum, using Times New Roman, font 12 and 1.5 line spacing.

(Signed)

Judge Joelle Adda

Dated this 30th day of October 2019