Case No.: UNDT/NY/2019/015

Order No.: 70 (NY/2020) Date: 15 April 2020

Original: English

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

**Registry:** New York

Registrar: Nerea Suero Fontecha

## **ZAKOUR**

v.

## SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

## **ORDER**

## ON CASE MANAGEMENT

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**Counsel for Respondent:** 

Alan Gutman, ALD, UN Secretariat

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1. On 14 February 2019, the Applicant filed an application contesting "the implied

decision not to make reasonable effort to place [her] on a suitable vacancy following

the abolition of his post".

2. On 18 March 2019, the Respondent filed his reply stating, inter alia, that the

application is not receivable because the Applicant's appointment was not terminated

and, therefore, staff rule 9.6(e) on retention of staff does not apply.

3. For an efficient and expeditious management of this case, the Tribunal finds it

necessary to receive the Applicant's observations on the issue of receivability.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

4. By 4:00 p.m. on Friday, 24 April 2020, the Applicant may file a response to

the issue of receivability raised in the reply.

5. Thereafter, the Tribunal shall provide further instructions regarding the

management of this case.

(Signed)

Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 2020