



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

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Case No.:	UNDT/NY/2020/021
Order No.:	176 (NY/2020)
Date:	6 November 2020
Original:	English

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

**Registry:** New York

**Registrar:** Nerea Suero Fontecha

ARVIZU TREVINO

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

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**ORDER**

**ON CASE MANAGEMENT**

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**Counsel for Applicant:**  
Self-represented

**Counsel for Respondent:**  
Alan Gutman, ALD/OHR, UN Secretariat

## **Introduction**

1. On 26 May 2020, the Applicant filed an application challenging the 16 January 2020 correspondence from the Under-Secretary-General for Management Strategy, Policy and Compliance, advising him of the decision “not to investigate [his] harassment complaint filed on 24 July 2019 in violation of the harassment policy, due process and other UN rules, regulations, and administrative issuances”.

2. On 26 June 2020, the Respondent filed his reply submitting that the application is not receivable *ratione personae*. In the alternative, the Respondent contends that the Application has no merit as the contested decision was lawful.

3. Pursuant to Order No. 154 (NY/2020), on 23 October 2020, the Applicant filed a response to the Respondent’s reply.

## **Consideration**

4. Having reviewed the parties’ submissions, the Tribunal considers that it is fully briefed and will proceed to decide the case on the papers before it.

*(Signed)*

Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020