

Before: Judge Sun Xiangzhuang

Registry: Geneva

Registrar: René M. Vargas M.

VANSHELBOIM

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON THE CONSTITUTION OF A PANEL OF THREE JUDGES

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Case No. UNDT/GVA/2023/020 Order No. 3 (GVA/2024)

I, Judge Sun Xiangzhuang, considering Case No. UNDT/GVA/2023/020 in the matter of *Vanshelboim v. the Secretary-General of the United Nations* currently pending before the Tribunal, which involves a disciplinary sanction of dismissal with a fine of twelve months net base salary along with recovery of USD63,626,806 pending which the release of the Applicant's PF.4 form to the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund is withheld,

COGNISANT of the Applicant's contentions and the complexity and importance of the issues arising from this case,

CONSIDERING art. 10.9 of the Statute of the Tribunal, which reads:

Cases before the Dispute Tribunal shall normally be considered by a single Judge. However, the President of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal may, within seven calendar days of a written request by the President of the Dispute Tribunal, authorize the referral of a case to a panel of three judges of the Dispute Tribunal, when necessary, by reason of the particular complexity or importance of the case.

CONSIDERING that at the request of the President of the Dispute Tribunal, the President of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal has authorized the referral of the above-mentioned case to a panel of three judges of the Dispute Tribunal,

CONSIDERING para. 4 of this Tribunal's Practice Direction No. 1 on Three-Judge Panels,

HEREBY ORDER

To assign the following Judges to the Three-Judge Panel to adjudicate the matter of *Vanshelboim* UNDT/GVA/2023/020:

Judge Sun Xiangzhuang, Presiding Judge Joelle Adda Judge Sean Wallace

(Signed)

Judge Sun Xiangzhuang Dated this 12th day of January 2024

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Entered in the Register on this 12th day of January 2024 (*Signed*)

René M. Vargas M., Registrar, Geneva