Case No.: UNDT/GVA/2023/024

Order No.: 44 (GVA/2024)
Date: 1 May 2024

Original: English

Before: Judge Sun Xiangzhuang

Registry: Geneva

Registrar: René M. Vargas M.

SIDDIQUE

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON CASE MANAGEMENT

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Self-represented

Counsel for Respondent:

Tamal Mandal, ALD/OHR, UN Secretariat

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Introduction

1. On 28 April 2023, the Applicant, a staff member of the United Nations

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific ("ESCAP"), filed an

application contesting the decision to abolish the post he encumbered and not to

renew his fixed-term appointment beyond 30 June 2023.

2. On 5 June 2023, the Respondent filed his reply.

3. On 3 July 2023, the Applicant filed his rejoinder.

4. On 27 February 2024, the present case was assigned to the undersigned Judge.

Consideration

5. Having examined the parties' submissions to date and the evidence on record,

the Tribunal finds that it is fully informed on the matter and that the case can be

determined without holding a hearing. Consequently, the parties can proceed to file

their closing submissions.

Conclusion

6. Pursuant to art. 19 of the Tribunal's Rules of Procedure, it is ORDERED

THAT by Tuesday, 14 May 2024, the parties shall file their respective closing

submission, which shall:

a. Exclusively refer to the evidence already on file; and

b. Not exceed 10 pages, using font Times New Roman, font size 12 pts

and 1.5 line spacing.

(Signed)

Judge Sun Xiangzhuang

Dated this 1st day of May 2024

Entered in the Register on this 1st day of May 2024

(Signed)

René M. Vargas M., Registrar, Geneva

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