



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2025/050
Order No.: 115 (NBI/2025)
Date: 30 July 2025
Original: English

Before: Duty Judge
Registry: Nairobi
Registrar: Wanda L. Carter

MAAROUF

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

**ORDER
ON THE APPLICANT'S MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME**

Counsel for Applicant:

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Counsel for Respondent:

Chenayi Mutuma, UNHCR

Jan Schrankel, UNHCR

Introduction

1. At the time of the impugned decision, the Applicant was the Senior Administrative Officer at the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (“UNHCR”) ‘Back Office’ for Libya. He holds a fixed-term appointment at the P-4 level and was based in Tunis.
2. On 1 May 2025, he filed an application with the United Nations Dispute Tribunal sitting in Nairobi to challenge the Respondent’s “decision not to implement Ethics Office recommendations for protection from retaliation.”
3. On 25 July 2025, the Tribunal issued Order No.111 (NBI/2025) to give the Applicant the opportunity to file a rejoinder to the Respondent’s reply.
4. On 28 July 2025, the Applicant asked for the filing deadline to be extended through to 28 August 2025.

ORDER

5. Having considered the Applicant’s submissions, the Tribunal GRANTS the motion as requested.
6. The Applicant is directed to file his rejoinder by **Thursday, 28 August 2025**.

(Signed)

Judge Sean Wallace (Duty Judge)

Dated this 30th day of July 2025

Entered in the Register on this 30th day of July 2025

(Signed)

Wanda L. Carter, Registrar, Nairobi