



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.:	UNDT/NBI/2025/065
Order No.:	142 (NBI/2025)
Date:	27 August 2025
Original:	English

Before: Duty Judge

Registry: Nairobi

Registrar: Wanda L. Carter

AEM

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON CASE MANAGEMENT

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Introduction

1. By application dated 24 June 2025, the Applicant contests the non-renewal of her appointment beyond 15 January 2025 (“the contested decision”).
2. On 4 August 2025, the Respondent filed a reply in which it is submitted that the contested decision was lawful and reasonable.

Consideration

3. The Tribunal considers it appropriate for the fair and expeditious disposal of the case to give the Applicant an opportunity to comment on the reply.
4. The Tribunal has also reviewed the evidence on record and finds that an oral hearing on the merits would not add further value in this respect. Consequently, the present case will be determined on the written pleadings without holding a hearing on the merits. However, the parties may file closing submissions if they so choose.

Conclusion

5. In view of the foregoing, it is ORDERED THAT:
 - a. The Applicant shall file a rejoinder addressing the arguments raised by the Respondent in his reply by **Tuesday, 9 September 2025**.
 - b. Thereafter, the parties shall file any closing submissions by **Tuesday, 16 September 2025**.

- c. The rejoinder and closing submissions should not exceed five pages each, in font Times New Roman, font size 12, line spacing of 1.5 lines.

(Signed)

Judge Sean Wallace (Duty Judge)

Dated this 27th day of August 2025

Entered in the Register on this 27th day of August 2025

(Signed)

Wanda L. Carter, Registrar, Nairobi