



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2025/100
Order No.: 167 (NBI/2025)
Date: 26 September 2025
Original: English

Before: Judge Sean Wallace

Registry: Nairobi

Registrar: Wanda L. Carter

SMITH

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON CASE MANAGEMENT

Counsel for Applicant:

Robbie Leighton, OSLA

Counsel for Respondent:

AS/ALD/OHR, UN Secretariat

Introduction

1. The Applicant is a Senior Electoral Officer working with the United Nations Mission in South Sudan and is based in Juba.
2. On 25 September 2025, he filed an application for suspension of action (“SOA”) with the UNDT Registry in Geneva requesting the Tribunal to stay the Respondent’s decision not to extend his temporary appointment beyond 30 September 2025.
3. The SOA application was transferred to the UNDT Nairobi Registry on 26 September 2025.

ORDERS

4. The Registry is directed to serve the SOA application on the Respondent immediately.
5. The Respondent is directed to file his reply to the SOA application by **12:00 noon (Nairobi time), on Monday, 29 September 2025.**

(Signed)

Judge Sean Wallace

Dated this 26th day of September 2025

Entered in the Register on this 26th day of September 2025

(Signed)

Wanda L. Carter, Registrar, Nairobi