

- **Before:** Judge Joelle Adda
- **Registry:** New York
- **Registrar:** Nerea Suero Fontecha

APPLICANT

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER

ON CASE MANAGEMENT

Counsel for Applicant: Robbie Leighton, OSLA Sètondji Roland Adjovi

Counsel for Respondent: Miriana Belhadj, UNOG Bettina Gerber, UNOG

Introduction

1. On 23 August 2019, the Applicant appealed the following decisions: the following decisions: (a) OHCHR decision to cease all contact with the Applicant following her separation; (b) the Organization's failure to comply with its obligation to repatriate the Applicant upon her separation; (c) the Administration's failure to inform the Applicant about the efforts undertaken to facilitate the issuance of a valid national passport; and (d) the Organization's failure to assert its privileges and immunities.

2. On 4 October 2019, the Respondent replied that the application partly non-receivable and, in any event, without merit.

3. On 21 January 2020, the Applicant requested leave to file a response to the reply and appended the proposed rejoinder.

4. The case was transferred from the Geneva Registry to the New York Registry on 1 April 2021.

Consideration

5. In the 21 January 2020 submission, the Applicant seeks leave to respond to the reply and seeks the disclosure of two annexes (annexes 4 and 10 to the reply) filed *ex parte* by the Respondent. The Applicant claims that these annexes are critical to the Applicant's case.

6. The Tribunal grants the Applicant's request for a rejoinder to the reply and admits the documents annexed to the 21 January 2020 submission into the record.

7. With respect to annexes 4 and 10 of the reply, the Tribunal finds that any information contained in these documents that is relevant to the determination of this

case is already known to the Applicant. Therefore, their disclosure to the Applicant is not required.

8. Having reviewed all the evidence on the record, the Tribunal finds that this case is fully briefed and will proceed to its adjudication on the papers before it.

9. In light of the above,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

10. The request for leave to file a response to the reply is granted and the documents annexed to the 21 January 2020 submission are admitted into the case file.

11. The request for disclosure of annexes 4 and 10 of the reply is rejected.

12. The case is fully briefed and the Tribunal will proceed to its adjudication based on the papers before it.

(Signed)

Judge Joelle Adda

Dated this 16th day of April 2021