

2015-UNAT-593, Namrouti

UNAT Held or UNDT Pronouncements

The Appellant did not raise any challenges as to the merits of the UNRWA DT judgment, but rather his appeal related to the procedure adopted by UNRWA DT in hearing his complaint. UNAT held that it was not persuaded that UNRWA DT erred in procedure or otherwise exceeded its jurisdiction in the exercise of its power, such as to warrant reversal of the judgment. Noting that two Orders clarified the aim of the hearing, UNAT held that there was no prejudice caused to the Appellant by the failure to provide him with a description of the relevance of the witnesses' testimony. UNAT held that UNRWA DT did not err in procedure in ordering the Respondent to file documents after the hearing. UNAT held that there were no grounds warranting the reversal of the UNRWA DT judgment. UNAT dismissed the appeal and affirmed the UNRWA DT judgment.

Decision Contested or Judgment/Order Appealed

The Applicant contested the decision to issue him with a reprimand. UNRWA DT dismissed the application.

Legal Principle(s)

UNAT will not interfere lightly with the broad discretion of the first instance tribunal in the management of its cases.

Outcome

Appeal dismissed on merits

Full judgment

[Full judgment](#)

Applicants/Appellants

Namrouti

Entity

UNRWA

Case Number(s)

2015-691

Tribunal

UNAT

Registry

New York

Date of Judgement

30 Oct 2015

Language of Judgment

English

Issuance Type

Judgment

Categories/Subcategories

Procedure (first instance and UNAT)
Case management

Applicable Law

Other UN issuances (guidelines, policies etc.)

- UNRWA Practice Direction No.3

UNAT Statute

- Article 2.1

UNRWA DT RoP

- Article 12.2
- Article 13.2
- Article 13.5

Related Judgments and Orders

2015-UNAT-560

2013-UNAT-354

2013-UNAT-294

2010-UNAT-062

2013-UNAT-369