

# **UNDT/2023/003, Runa A**

## UNAT Held or UNDT Pronouncements

The Applicant was not eligible to apply for and participate in the selection process for the Post because, after she passed the G to N exam, she was offered a YPP placement, and refused that YPP placement. The Tribunal finds that the Applicant, a General Service staff who was no longer on the list of “successful candidates” for the competitive examination, was therefore not eligible to apply for and participate in the selection process for positions in the Professional category, including the Post. The decision to exclude the Applicant from the selection procedure for the Post was therefore lawful.

## Decision Contested or Judgment/Order Appealed

The Applicant, a Public Information Assistant at the General Service 6 level, with the United Nations Secretariat, filed an application contesting the decision to exclude her from the selection procedure for the recruitment of a Professional 2 level (“P-2”) Associate TV/Video Producer within the Department of Global Communications.

## Legal Principle(s)

The provisions of ST/AI/2010/3 do not apply to the recruitment of staff from the General Service and related categories to the Professional category.

## Outcome

Appeal dismissed on merits

## Full judgment

[Full judgment](#)

## Applicants/Appellants

Runa A

## Entity

UNS

## Case Number(s)

UNDT/NY/2022/002

## Tribunal

UNDT

## Registry

New York

## Date of Judgement

13 Jan 2023

## Duty Judge

Judge Adda

## Language of Judgment

English

## Issuance Type

Judgment

## Categories/Subcategories

Staff selection (non-selection/non-promotion)

## Applicable Law

### Administrative Instructions

- ST/AI/2010/3
- ST/AI/2012/2/Rev. 1

### GA Resolutions

### Secretary-General's bulletins

- ST/SGB/2011/10

### Staff Rules

- Rule 4.16

## Related Judgments and Orders

2011-UNAT-110

2019-UNAT-932

2017-UNAT-762

2011-UNAT-122

2010-UNAT-084