

022 (NBI/2025), Cynthia Cline

UNAT Held or UNDT Pronouncements

The Tribunal agreed with the Respondent that the Applicant must comply with the requirements for filing an application set forth in paras. 5, 6, 22 and 23 of Practice Direction No. 4 with respect to the number of pages and content of Annexes in an application form. The Applicant failed to comply with these provisions. Specifically, the Applicant filed, as an annex, 10 pages of arguments and facts beyond those set forth in the application form. The Applicant was directed to file an amended application which was in compliance with paras. 5, 6, 22 and 23 of Practice Direction No. 4.

Decision Contested or Judgment/Order Appealed

The Applicant filed an application contesting the decision to remove her functions and to laterally reassign her to the Division of Administration. On 14 February 2025, the Respondent filed a motion requesting the Tribunal to direct the Applicant to comply with Practice Direction No. 4, "Filing of Applications and Replies".

Legal Principle(s)

An application must comply with the requirements set forth in art. 8 of the UNDT Rules of Procedure and paras. 5, 6, 22 and 23 of Practice Direction No. 4.

Outcome

Other motion granted

Full order

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Individual Party

Cynthia Cline

Entity

UNECA

Case Number(s)

UNDT/NBI/2025/010 (Cline, Cynthia)

Tribunal

UNDT

Registry

Nairobi

Date of Order

22 Feb 2025

Duty Judge

Judge Wallace

Language of Order

English

Appeal Status

Appealed

Issuance Type

Order

Categories/Subcategories

Case management Other

Applicable Law

UNDT RoP

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