



**UNITED NATIONS APPEALS TRIBUNAL
TRIBUNAL D'APPEL DES NATIONS UNIES**

**Beaudry
(Respondent/Applicant)**

v.

Secretary-General of the United Nations

1. On 4 March 2010, the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT or Dispute Tribunal) issued Judgment No. 2010/039 on the merits of the case of Louise Beaudry (judgment on merits and Beaudry, respectively). The Secretary-General appealed that judgment on 19 April 2010. The appeal is under consideration by this Tribunal.

2. On 18 August 2010, the UNDT issued Judgment No. 2010/146 on the issue of compensation (judgment on compensation). It ordered the Secretary-General to pay Beaudry USD 12,082.

3. Beaudry has filed an application for extension of the time-limit to appeal the judgment on compensation for 15 calendar days following the publication of either the judgment of the Appeals Tribunal on the appeal against the UNDT judgment on merits or the synopsis of its judgment.

4. Article 7 (2) of the Rules of Procedure of the Appeals Tribunal (Rules) provides that “[i]n exceptional cases, an appellant may submit a written request to the Appeals Tribunal seeking suspension, waiver or extension of the time limits...” Under Article 30 of the Rules, “the President or the panel hearing a case may shorten or extend a time limit fixed by the rules of procedure or waive any rule when the interests of justice so require”.

5. Considering the inter-relatedness of the two UNDT judgments and noting that a similar extension has been granted to the Secretary-General on the same basis, I consider it judicially and economically reasonable for Beaudry to decide whether and how to appeal the judgment on compensation after the publication of the synopsis of the Appeals Tribunal’s judgment.

ORDER

6. For the foregoing reasons, I, Judge Kamaljit Singh Garewal, Duty Judge, grant Beaudry’s request and determine that the time limit is extended to 15 November 2010. I further order Beaudry to attach a copy of this Order to her appeal, if any.

Dated this 26th day of October 2010 in New York, United States.

Original: English

(Signed)

Judge Garewal, Duty Judge

Entered in the Register on this 26th day of October 2010 in New York, United States.

(Signed)

Weicheng Lin, Registrar