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UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2012/050

Order No.: 123 (NBI/2013)

Date: 22 May 2013

Original: English

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**Before:** Judge Coral Shaw

**Registry:** Nairobi

**Registrar:** Abena Kwakye-Berko, Acting Registrar

VOLKNER

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS



5. Accordingly the Tribunal issued Order No. 157 (NBI/2012) on 7 December 2012 suspending the proceedings for a period of thirty days up to 7 January 2013 for mediation by the Mediation Division.

6. By email on 7<sup>th</sup> January 2013, the Mediation Division requested a two month extension of time for the mediation to move forward.

7. On 6 March 2013, the Mediation Division informed the Tribunal that while mediation had been initiated, the negotiations would not be completed by Friday 8 March 2013 as scheduled in Order No. 005 (NBI/2013) dated 8 January 2013. The Mediation Division, in agreement with the Parties, therefore requested the Tribunal for a further one month extension to allow the necessary process to be completed.

8. On 8 March 2013, the Tribunal issued Order No. 058 (NBI/2013) granting the request and further suspending the proceedings until 8 April. On 6 April, the Mediation Division further requested a two week extension to finalize, which was granted until 18 April 2013.

9. On 13 May 2013, the Mediation Division informed the Tribunal formally of the successful completion of the mediation process.

10. On 21 May 2013, the Applicant notified the Tribunal that as a result of the agreement reached between the Applicant and the Respondent under the auspices of the Ombudsman and Mediation services, the Applicant wishes to withdraw his Application in its entirety.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

11. In light of the above, there is no longer any matter for adjudication by the Dispute Tribunal.

12. The matter of *Volkner v. the Secretary-General of the United Nations*, registered in the Registry records as case number UNDT/NBI/2012/050 be struck off the record.

*(Signed)*

Judge Coral Shaw

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2013

Entered in the Register on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2013

*(Signed)*

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Acting Registrar, Nairobi