

UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NBI/2014/090/R1 Order No.: 163 (NBI/2017) Date:

9. On 27 September 2017, the parties filed the subject motion of the present decision moving the Court to suspend proceedings while they explore the possibility of having this matter settled *inter partes*.

## Order

10. The Tribunal commends the parties for engaging with each other to have this matter resolved without recourse to litigation.

11. Pursuant to art. 10.1 of the Statute of the Tribunal, and art.19 of the Tribunal's Rules of Procedure, the Tribunal GRANTS the parties' motion for further suspension of proceedings.

12. The parties are DIRECTED to jointly advise the Tribunal of the status of their efforts of settlement by **5 January 2018**.

13. In the event that the parties are unable to reach a settlement of the matter, the Respondent is DIRECTED file his reply by **12 January 2018**.

(Signed)

Judge Nkemdilim Izuako

Dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 2017

Entered in the Register on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 2017

(Signed)

Abena Kwakye-Berko, Registrar, Nairobi