



Before: Judge Alexander W. Hunter, Jr.

Registry: Nairobi

Registrar: Abena Kwakye-Berko

NJENGA

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

**ORDER ON SUSPENSION OF
PROCEEDINGS**

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Counsel for the Respondent:

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7. On 15 October 2018, the Tribunal issued Order No. 162 (NBI/2018) referring this matter for mediation by the Office of the Ombudsman and Mediation Services (OMS), and suspending these proceedings while the parties attempt to have this matter settled without recourse to litigation.

8. On 8 November 2018, the OMS informed the Tribunal that the parties are engaged in good faith efforts to find a mutually agreeable solution to the dispute between them. OMS moved the court to extend the suspension of proceedings through 15 February 2019.

DIRECTIONS

9. The Tribunal commends the parties for having the dispute between them resolved amicably.

10. The Tribunal makes the following **ORDERS**:

- i. The motion for extension of time is **GRANTED**;
- ii. The parties and/or OMS should advise the Tribunal on the status of mediation by **15 February 2019**;
- iii. The Registry is **DIRECTED** to serve a copy of this Order on the Office of the Ombudsman and Mediation Services (OMS);
- iv. The proceedings in the matter of *Njenga v Secretary General of the United Nations* (UNDT/NBI/2017/067) hereby remain suspended pending mediation.

Case No. UNDT/NBI/2017/067

Order No.: 179 (NBI/2018)