5. On 26 September 2018, the Applicant filed his application and motion for suspension of proceedings pending informal resolution, stating as follows (reference to footnotes omitted):

Upon filing his [Management Evaluation Request], Mr. Malinin has been in discussion with the Administration regarding the amicable resolution of this matter, with the assistance of the MEU. On 20 September 2018, the MEU informed high degree of 9. On 16 October 2018, the Applicant filed the motion to withdraw and discontinue proceedings stating that the parties reached a settlement agreement on