

1. Mr. Richard Kerby, a former staff member of the Department for Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), who had served as the Inter-Regional Adviser (IRA) at the Division for Public Administration and Development Management (DPADM), has appealed against Judgment on Receivability No. UNDT/2020/008 of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (UNDT or Dispute Tribunal), which found the application contesting the non-renewal of his fixed-term appointment (FTA) not receivable.
2. On appeal, the United Nations Appeals Tribunal (Appeals Tribunal) dismisses the appeal and affirms the UNDT decision.
3. In 2010, Mr. Richard Kerby was selected as the IRA with DPADM within the Department for Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) on an FTA, at the P-5 level. His function was to provide support on e-government and public administration services. His FTA was renewed on a yearly basis, until 1 January 2016, when his FTA was extended for shorter periods.
4. On 6 February 2017, a job opening for the position of

13. Mr. Kerby requests that the Appeals Tribunal vacate the UNDT Judgment and remand the case back to the UNDT for consideration of its merits. According to Mr. Kerby, the UNDT erred in fi

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41. The appeal is dismissed and Judgment No. UNDT/2020/008 is affirmed.

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Judge Halfeld, Presiding
Juiz de Fora, Brazil

Judge Colgan
Auckland, New Zealand

Judge Neven
Brussels, Belgium

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Weicheng Lin, Registrar

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