UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL	Case No.:	UNDT/NBI/2019/062
	Order No.:	221(NBI/2020)
	Date:	5 November 2020
	Original:	English

Before: Judge Francis Belle

Registry: Nairobi

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Registrar: Abena Kwakye-Berko

ZAHOOR

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS

ORDER ON THE RESPOND MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE MEASURES AND OBJECTION TO THE WITNESS LIST

Counsel for the Applica

Introduction

 Prior to being summarily dismissed, the Applicant served the United Nations UNICEF) as the Chief of the Field Office in Kadugli, Sudan. He held a fixed-term appointment at the P4 level.

Procedural History

2. The Applicant was separated from service of the United Nations for misconduct in violation of staff rules 1.2(a) and (b) on 22 March 2019. The disciplinary process was conducted in accordance with paragraphs 4.3 5.1 of CF/EXD/2012- easures. UNICEF also applied paragraph 22 of DHR/PROCEDURE/2018/003 on Personnel

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3. The Applicant filed his application to challenge that decision on 12 June 2019 at the United Nations Dispute Tribunal sitting in Nairobi.

4. The Respondent filed his reply to the application on 11 July 2019.

5. This case was assigned to new counsel by the Office of Staff Legal Assistance in August 2020.

6. The parties attended a case management discussion (CMD) before the Tribunal on 18 August 2020.

7. On 6 October 2020, the parties jointly submitted on the facts and issues in dispute and provided the Tribunal with their respective witness lists. The Respondent

8. On 26 October 2020, the Respondent filed a motion for protective measures to

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Considerations

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Orders

13. The Tribunal makes the following Orders:

a. The Respond

Curtis is overruled;

b. The Respondent is directed to make the two witnesses available for the hearing on the dates scheduled;

c. The Registry is directed to ensure that the recording of the testimony is kept under seal; and

d.

anonymized and/or redacted, as appropriate.