

United Nations DisputeTribunal

Case No.: UNDT/NY/2020/039

Judgment No.UNDT/2021/033

Date:

29 March 2021

Original:

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Before: JudgeJoelle Adda

Registry: New York

Registrar: Nerea Suero Fontecha

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JUDGMENT

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- 8. On 16 August 2019, UNVMC forwarded to the Appolant the advice received from OPPFB.
- 9. Following these exchanges, the Applicant reached out directly to the ColombianMinistry of Foreign Affairs inquiring about possible ways to obtain a VAT refund.

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- 16. As grounds for contesting the administrative decision, the Applicant refers to her request for management evaluation.
- 17. In the 20 April 2020 request for management evaluation, the Applicant defines the contested administrative decision as "[tdecision of the administration that Tax Refund of staff member would not be taken on the Mission's bank account". She further identifies the decision as the 20 February 2020 email from the Chief Finance Analytics and Reporting Section.
- 18. The Dispute Tribunal recalls the well-established jurisprudence of the Appeals

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Conclusion

28. In light of the foregoing, the application is rejected.

(Signed)

JudgeJoelle Adda

Dated this 2th day of March2021

Entered in the Regist on this 29 day of March 2021

(Signed)

Nerea Suero Fontecha, Registrar, New York