



UNITED NATIONS DISPUTE TRIBUNAL

Case No.: UNDT/NY/2009/133

Judgment No.: UNDT/2009/064

Date: 29 October 2009

Original: English

Before: Judge Michael Adams

Registry: New York

Registrar: Hafida Lahiouel

BUCKLEY

v.

SECRETARY-GENERAL
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

JUDGMENT ON SUSPENSION OF
ACTION

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course. Although he alleges the denial of procedural fairness, I do not see that the
USG was under any obligation to inform him that she was considering the impugned
decision and give him an opportunity to re

Note

15. Counsel for the respondent, Mr. Martić, has undertaken on the respondent's behalf that the applicant will be given seven day's notice of the formal decision to abandon the appointment process (I understand that this is done by cancellation of the vacancy announcement), and that the applicant will be informed of the reasons for the cancellation, including the reasons for re-advertising the post. Provision of the above information to the applicant and, indeed, candidates for the position, is necessary to ensure adequate transparency; at all events, what common courtesy requires.

(Signed