



**Council for the Respondent:**  
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## **Introduction**

1. The Applicant is a former Heavy Vehicle Operator at the G-4 level working with the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID) in Sudan.<sup>1</sup>
2. By an application filed on 10 October 2019, he contests UNAMID's decision to place him on special leave without pay (SLWOP) from 24 August 2017.<sup>2</sup>
3. The Respondent filed a reply on 18 November 2019.

## **Facts**

4. On 28 May 2017, the Applicant was arrested by the National Intelligence Security Service (NISS) of the Government of Sudan.<sup>3</sup> On 24 August 2017, the Applicant was found



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