



Judgment No. 2017-UNAT-732



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**JUDGE DEBORAH THOMAS-FELIX, P**

6. Our jurisprudence provides that there is “no reason to require [a party] to pursue an appeal he [or she] no longer deems necessary in the context of his [or her] case”.<sup>1</sup> Accordingly, Ms. Nielsen’s motions to withdraw her appeals are granted and the Registrar should be directed to close Case Nos. 2016-972 and 2016-973.

**Judgment**

7. The Registrar is directed to close Appeals Tribunal Case Nos. 2016-972 and 2016-973.

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<sup>1</sup> *Baracungana v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*, Order No. 243 (2015), para. 4, citing *Tefera v. Secretary-General of the United Nations*, Order No. 16 (2010).

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Dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 2017 in Nairobi, Kenya.

*(Signed)*

Judge Thomas-Felix,  
Presiding

*(Signed)*

Judge Lussick

*(Signed)*

Judge Raikos

Entered in the Register on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 2017 in New York, United States.

*(Signed)*

Weicheng Lin, Registrar