

TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY SESSION

***In re* FARRELL-NATALIZIA**

Judgment No. 184

THE ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL,

Considering the complaint against the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) drawn up by Mrs. Margaret Farrell-Natalizia on 28 August 1970, brought into conformity with the Rules of Court on 9 November 1970, and the reply of the Organization dated 17 February 1971;

A. Considering that in her complaint Mrs. Farrell-Natalizia seeks the re-establishment of her status as a non-local official with its attendant benefits;

B. Considering that the Organization submits that the complaint should be dismissed and requests the Tribunal to declare that the Organization acted in full conformity with the applicable Staff Regulations, Staff Rules and Manual provisions when it ceased to grant the aforementioned benefits to the complainant as of the date of her marriage;

C. Considering that, by a letter dated 15 April 1971 addressed to the Registry of the Tribunals the complainant informed the Tribunal that her status as non-local staff member had been re-established as a result of the revocation by the Director-General of the FAO on the recommendation of a Special Committee on Management/Staff Relations, of the Rule under which certain non-local staff members lost their non-local status upon marriage to Italian citizens, and that she accordingly wished to withdraw her complaint;

D. Considering that by a communication dated 31 May 1971 the Organization informed the Tribunal that it had no observations to make in regard to the withdrawal of suit by Mrs. Farrell-Natalizia and had no objection to the case being removed from the Tribunal's list;

E. Considering that Mrs. Farrell-Natalizia has made an unqualified withdrawal of suit,

DECISION:

The withdrawal of suit by Mrs. Farrell-Natalizia is hereby recorded.

In witness of this judgment by Mr. Maxime Letourneur, President, Mr. André Grisel, Vice-President, and the Right Honourable Lord Devlin, P.C., Judge, the aforementioned have hereunto subscribed their signatures as well as myself, Bernard Spy, Registrar of the Tribunal.

Delivered in public sitting in Geneva on 8 November 1971.

(Signed)

M. Letourneur
André Grisel
Devlin

Bernard Spy