

Upper Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber)

THE IMMIGRATION ACTS

No hearing 24th September 2018

Decision sent out on 10th October 2018

Appeal Number: HU/22925/2016

Before

MR C M G OCKELTON, VICE PRESIDENT

Between

SARADO ELMI SHARIF

<u>Appellant</u>

and

THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME DEPARTMENT

Respondent

DECISION AND REMITTAL

- In this case permission was granted partly on the basis that Judge Fox in the First-tier Tribunal said that there were "no new documents before me" whereas the appellant's representative, a solicitor, had produced a 223page bundle at the hearing, with a considerable number of important postdecision documents.
- 2. Following the grant of permission, Stefan Kotas on behalf of the Secretary of State has indicated his view that if that is so the failure to have regard to it was "arguably procedurally unfair, albeit through no fault of the judge". I agree with the first element of that opinion, but not with the second.
- 3. Mr Kotas invites the Upper Tribunal to consider whether it is satisfied that the material was before Judge Fox and, if so, to remit the appeal. I am so satisfied. I <u>set aside</u> Judge Fox's decision for error of law. I <u>remit</u> the appeal for fresh determination by the First-tier Tribunal.

C. M. G. OCKELTON VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UPPER TRIBUNAL IMMIGRATION AND ASYLUM CHAMBER Date: 24 September 2018.