



**The Upper Tribunal
(Immigration and Asylum Chamber)
number: IA/27411/2013**

Appeal

THE IMMIGRATION ACTS

**Decision and Reasons Promulgated
On 5th November 2015**

Between

GABRIELLE HALLIDAY (KOUSSA)

Appellant

and

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME DEPARTMENT

Respondent

**DECISION ON WITHDRAWAL PURSUANT TO RULE 17 OF THE TRIBUNAL
PROCEDURE (UPPER TRIBUNAL) RULES 2008**

1. This appeal came before me following a grant of permission to appeal against a decision of First-tier Tribunal Judge Farrelly who dismissed an appeal against a decision by the respondent to refuse to issue a residence card.
2. At the hearing before me the appellant sought to withdraw the appeal. Rule 17 of the Tribunal Procedure (Upper Tribunal) Rules 2008 provides that a party may give notice of the withdrawal of its case or part of it, subject to the consent of the Upper Tribunal. There is no provision for a party to withdraw the appeal before the Upper Tribunal. Having accepted that the purported withdrawal of the appellant's appeal is in effect a withdrawal of the appellant's case before the Upper Tribunal, I consented to that withdrawal.
3. The effect therefore, is that the decision of the First-tier Tribunal is to stand.

Upper Tribunal Judge Kopieczek

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