EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS
COUR EUROPÉENNE DES DROITS DE L'HOMME

FIRST SECTION

DECISION

Application no. 32728/02
Sara FEDRIGON and Others against Italy
and 43 other applications
(see list appended)

The European Court of Human Rights (First Section), sitting on 3 November 2016 as a Committee composed of:

Robert Spano, *President,*
Pauliine Koskelo,
Tim Eicke, *judges,*

and Hasan Bakırcı, *Deputy Section Registrar,*

Having regard to the above applications lodged on the dates indicated in the appended table,

Having deliberated, decides as follows:

FACTS AND PROCEDURE

A list of the applicants is set out in the appendix.

The applicants' complaints under Article 6 § 1 of the Convention concerning the excessive length of civil proceedings were communicated to the Italian Government ("the Government"), who submitted observations on the admissibility and merits. The observations were forwarded to the applicants, who were invited to submit their own observations.

By a letter sent to the applicants on 4 May 2016, the Registry requested an update on the status of the respective domestic proceedings.

No reply was received to the Registry's letters.

By a second letter sent to the applicants by registered post on 29 June 2016, the Registry indicated that no reply had been received to the letter of 4 May 2016 and requested the applicants to provide the updates referred to in its previous letter. The applicants' attention was drawn to

Article 37 § 1 (a) of the Convention and to the fact that, in case of no reply, the Court might assume that the applicants do not intend to pursue the application before the Court and strike their case out of its list of cases. The applicants received this letter on different dates. However, no answer has been received.

THE LAW

Having regard to the similar subject matter of the applications, the Court finds it appropriate to examine them jointly in a single decision.

In the light of the foregoing, the Court concludes that the applicants may be regarded as no longer wishing to pursue the application (Article 37 § 1 (a) of the Convention). Furthermore, in accordance with Article 37 § 1 *in fine*, the Court finds no special circumstances regarding respect for human rights as defined in the Convention and the Protocols thereto which require the continued examination of the applications.

Accordingly, the cases should be struck out of the list.

For these reasons, the Court, unanimously,

Decides to join the applications;

Decides to strike the applications out of its list of cases.

Done in English and notified in writing on 24 November 2016.

Hasan Bakırcı	Robert Spano
Deputy Registrar	President

APPENDIX

No	Application No	Lodged on	Applicant Date of birth Place of residence	Represented by
1.	32728/02	11/07/1998	**Sara FEDRIGON** 03/08/1924 Imola **Lucia FEDRIGON** 22/11/1928 Vado-Monzuno **Giuseppe FEDRIGON** 28/10/1930 Vado-Monzuno **Stefano FEDRIGON** 07/09/1938 Vado-Monzuno **Paolo FEDRIGON** 16/09/1944 Monzuno	Nicoletta MACCAFERRI
2.	5492/03	20/10/1999	**Luigia DI GIUSEPPE** 02/06/1913 Santa Croce del Sannio	Sebastiano DE NIGRIS DE MARIA
3.	12180/03	07/03/2003	**Renato TRENTO** 23/01/1947 Pescara	Gabriello VIGLIOTTI
4.	17696/03	26/05/2003	**Giampiero LOTTINI** 13/03/1934 Livorno	Tullio CONTU
5.	25289/03	22/07/2000	**Rocco MOCCIA** 09/04/1956 Cimitile **Fabrizio MOCCIA** 03/04/1971 Nola **Anna Maria MOCCIA** 03/10/1957 Nola **Carmela LUCREZIO** 10/06/1936 Nola	Pietrantonio CICCONE
6.	25896/03	23/07/2003	**Renato BONIARDI** 25/02/1951 Milan	Salvatore BOTTARI

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7.	26042/03	25/07/2003	**EVEREST DI BORCHI OLIMPIA E C. S.A.S.** Carmignano	
8.	30833/03	11/09/2003	**Giulio RUBINO** 07/02/1967 Telese Terme (Benevento)	Giulio DI GIOIA
9.	38759/03	22/11/2003	**Antonio CAMPANILE** 14/01/1942 Grumo Nevano	Gennaro MALINCONICO
10.	38808/03	18/11/2003	**Luigi IZZO** 24/06/1923 Sessa Aurunca	Claudio STRONATI
11.	39235/03	31/03/2000	**Maria VISCIONE** 09/02/1921 Roccabascerana	Fabrizio GIORDANO
12.	39253/03	03/01/2001	**Giuseppe GIANGRANDE** 09/11/1920 S. Arcangelo Trimonte	Fabrizio GIORDANO
13.	39300/03	17/04/2000	**Alfredo PALMA** 25/09/1941 Benevento	Fabrizio GIORDANO
14.	39302/03	31/03/2000	**Mennato FORGIONE** 12/05/1959 Benevento	Fabrizio GIORDANO
15.	39311/03	25/11/1998	**Vincenza VANNETIELLO** 13/10/1948 Avellino	Fabrizio GIORDANO
16.	88/04	01/12/2003	**Maria Luigia MANCINO** 24/11/1958 Melizzano	Giulio DI GIOIA
17.	89/04	01/12/2003	**Maria Luigia MANCINO** 24/11/1958 Melizzano (Benevento)	Giulio DI GIOIA
18.	93/04	15/12/2003	**Giuseppina RENZI** 02/12/1933 Melizzano	Giulio DI GIOIA

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19.	4531/04	05/12/2003	**Carmela DE LUCIA** 26/09/1967 Durazzano	Giulio DI GIOIA
20.	4535/04	05/12/2003	**Maria Grazia BUFFOLINO** 12/02/1968 Sant'Agata dei Goti	Giulio DI GIOIA
21.	4540/04	05/12/2003	**Lucia Gerarda MONTEFORTE** 01/10/1969 Sant'Agata dei Goti	Giulio DI GIOIA
22.	4584/04	07/01/2004	**Giuseppe DE CICCO** 12/01/1952 Melizzano	Giulio DI GIOIA
23.	4735/04	29/12/2003	**Filomena GRASSO** 22/06/1928	Giulio DI GIOIA
24.	5783/04	20/01/2004	**Eufemia SALERNO** 30/10/1933 Sant'Angelo a Cupulo	Giulio DI GIOIA
25.	11049/04	13/03/2004	**Maria MAZZANTI** 03/04/1943 Carnea di Follo	
26.	13347/04	20/01/2004	**Vincenzo VALORE** 18/09/1925 Palazzo Adriano **Antonio VALORE** 16/02/1923 Palazzo Adriano	Antonio PETRONIO
27.	13407/04	22/03/2004	**Anna Maria FOTI** 29/12/1928 Rome	Nicola SANITATE
28.	14816/04	05/04/2004	**Lea PERAZZITTI** 03/11/1942 Pescara **Manuela RAPATTONI** 04/08/1973 Pescara **Alessandro RAPATTONI** 19/02/1976 Pescara	Raffaella DE VICO

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29.	18267/04	05/04/2004	**Lea PERAZZITTI** 03/11/1942 Pescara **Manuela RAPATTONI** 04/08/1973 Pescara **Alessandro RAPATTONI** 19/02/1976 Pescara	Raffaella DE VICO
30.	20612/04	14/05/2004	**Sergio MAIRA** 22/01/1970 San Giovanni Gemini **Salvatore MAIRA** 30/03/1935 San Giovanni Gemini	Salvatore MANGIAPANE
31.	21881/04	04/06/2004	**Francesco ABENAVOLI** 25/09/1938 Reggio Calabria	
32.	22101/04	04/06/2004	**Domenico TRIPEPI** 02/05/1931 Reggio Calabria	Francesco ABENAVOLI
33.	24313/04	22/06/2004	**Flora BECAGLI** 14/09/1941 Scandicci	Francesco ATZENI
34.	25010/04	29/06/2004	**TECNOCLIMA S.P.A.** Pergine Valsugana	Gabriele TADDEI
35.	26642/04	21/07/2004	**Giulia SCIALLA** 26/07/1947 Solopaca	Giulio DI GIOIA
36.	26648/04	21/07/2004	**Gloria SCIALLA** 06/02/1940 Solopaca	Giulio DI GIOIA
37.	26679/04	20/07/2004	**Marianna IANNUCCI** 26/11/1968 Limatola	Giulio DI GIOIA
38.	35227/04	14/09/2004	**Erminia DI GIOIA** 06/12/1953 Telese Terme	Giulio DI GIOIA

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39.	43322/04	10/11/1999	**Emilio BIONDI** 20/03/1933 Faicchio	Giulio DI GIOIA
40.	44659/04	29/10/2001	**Domizia DI CROCCO** 11/11/1966 Itri	
41.	1162/05	19/04/2001	**Luciana D'ANGELIS** 30/01/1954 Paduli	Fabrizio GIORDANO
42.	3762/05	01/12/2003	**Maria Luigia MANCINO** 24/11/1958 Melizzano	Giulio DI GIOIA
43.	10380/05	01/03/2005	**Giuseppina RENZI** 02/12/1933 Melizzano	Giulio DI GIOIA
44.	40985/06	05/10/2006	**Paolo VITELLO** 03/09/1964 Riesi	Pierluigi ZODA