

**COURT No.3  
ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL  
PRINCIPAL BENCH: NEW DELHI**

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MA 3772/2022 in OA 990/2022

Nk/DSC Ashok Kumar (Retd) ..... Applicant

VERSUS

Union of India and Ors. .... Respondents

For Applicant : Mr. U S Maurya, Advocate

For Respondents : Mr. Prabodh Kumar, Advocate

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HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE ANU MALHOTRA, MEMBER (J)

HON'BLE REAR ADMIRAL DHIREN VIG, MEMBER (A)

**ORDER**  
**15.03.2023**

It is informed on behalf of the respondents that the Government sanction has been received. The same submission was made on 17.01.2023. The respondents are directed to comply with directions dated 17.05.2022, passed in OA 990/2022 for issuance of the requisite PPO.

The PPO be issued within a period of two weeks failing which the Court notice would be issued to the Secretary, Ministry of Defence.

Re-list on 21.04.2023.

A copy of this order be given Dasti to the learned counsel for the respondents.

**(JUSTICE ANU MALHOTRA)**  
**MEMBER (J)**

**(REAR ADMIRAL DHIREN VIG)**  
**MEMBER (A)**