

**COURT No.2, ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL  
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI**

**1.**  
**OA 1081/2017 with MA 812/2017**

**Nk Hoshiar Singh (Retd.)** ..... **Applicant**  
**Vs**  
**UOI & Ors.** ..... **Respondents**

**For Applicant:** Mr. Jagmohan Sharma, Advocate  
**For Respondents:** Mr. Avdhesh Kumar Singh, Advocate

**CORAM:**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V.K.SHALI, MEMBER (J)**  
**HON'BLE VICE ADMIRAL A. G. THAPLIYAL, MEMBER (A)**

**ORDER**  
**30.01.2018**

By virtue of the present OA, the applicant is claiming that he has not been paid arrears of pension for the periods 1996-1998 and 2001-2002 on account of the fact that certain formalities with regard to payment of pension were not allegedly completed by the applicant. It is stated by learned counsel for the applicant that the applicant, after retirement from military service, was employed with some private concern in Saudi Arabia and he has come back to India in the year 2003 and the respondents have continued to pay him pension thereafter. It is also contended that in case, the applicant is alive as on date, obviously, he would have been alive for the period for which the pension arrears have not been paid on account of alleged non furnishing of certificate as required by the respondents. Prima facie, the matter needs consideration as the arrears allegedly being time barred, have not been paid by the respondents.

2. Issue notice. Notice is accepted by learned counsel for the respondents. Let reply be filed within six weeks' from today with an advance copy to the applicant. Rejoinder, if any, may be filed within two weeks thereafter.

3. List on **20.04.2018**.

**(JUSTICE V.K.SHALI)**  
**MEMBER (J)**

**(VICE ADMIRAL A G THAPLIYAL)**  
**MEMBER (A)**

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