

**COURT No.1, ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL  
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI**

15.

**OA 615/2017 with MA 537/2017**

**Col Dharmendra Singh (Retd) ..... Applicant**  
**Versus**  
**Union of India & Ors. .... Respondents**

**For applicant : Mr. R.K. Tripathi, Advocate**  
**For respondents : Ms. Barkha Babbar, Advocate**

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIRENDER SINGH, CHAIRPERSON**  
**HON'BLE LT. GEN. SANJIV LANGER, MEMBER (A)**

**ORDER**  
**09.05.2017**

Learned counsel for the applicant vehemently contends that the composite disability assessed as 60% for the two disabilities (Primary Hypertension @ 30% and CAD, LMCA + TVD LV Dysfunction Post CABG @ 90%) appears to be incorrect on the face of it and contrary to the Guide to Medical Officers, the relevant policy in vogue.

2. Admit. Issue notice. Ms. Barkha Babbar, Advocate accepts notice for the respondents. Service is thus complete.

3. Let the respondents file a detailed reply, making their stand clear on the aforesaid contention raised at the Bar by learned counsel for the applicant. We also make it clear that the policy, on the strength of which the composite disability has been assessed, shall also be placed on record for the perusal of the Court, for arriving at the just conclusion vis-à-vis disability pension and thereafter broad banding.

4. List again on **05.09.2017**.

**(VIRENDER SINGH)**  
**CHAIRPERSON**

**(SANJIV LANGER)**  
**MEMBER (A)**