

COURT NO. 1
ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI

46.

MA 4825/2023 in OA 2863/2022

Nk Vinod Kumar Singh (Retd) Applicant
Versus
Union of India & Ors. Respondents

For Applicant : Mr. US Maurya, Advocate
For Respondents : Mr. S S Sinha, Advocate

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON, CHAIRPERSON
HON'BLE MS. RASIKA CHAUBE, MEMBER (A)

ORDER
19.02.2025

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Seeking execution of an order passed by this Tribunal on 14.12.2022 in OA 2863/2022, applicant has filed this application. The OA was allowed on the very first day without notice to the respondents keeping in view the law laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal No.2471 of 2023 decided on 11.04.2023 titled as Director (Admn. And HR) KPTCL and Others Vs. C.P. Muddinamani and Others [(2023) SCC Online SC 401] and respondents were directed to grant benefit of notional increment to the applicant else respondents had a liberty to pass a speaking order in case on verification they are of the opinion that applicant is not entitled to the benefits.

2. On instructions, officer who appeared on behalf of the respondents submits that on verification it is found that the applicant had not completed one year after drawal of his earlier increment and therefore he is not entitled to the benefits of notional increment.

3. Keeping in view the aforesaid, we direct the respondents to pass a speaking order indicating all these facts and communicate the same to the applicant on or before the next date.

4. List the matter again on 12th March, 2025.

**[JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON]
CHAIRPERSON**

**[RASIKA CHAUBE]
MEMBER (A)**

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