

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

97.

OA 391/2020 WITH MA 3517/2022

Hav Dhanamjayulu M ... Applicant
Versus ... Respondents
Union of India & Ors.

For Applicant : Mr. Ajit Kakkar, Advocate
For Respondents : Mr. S.R. Swain, Advocate

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON, CHAIRPERSON
HON'BLE LT GEN P. M. HARIZ, MEMBER (A)

O R D E R
20.11.2023

The matter is listed today for final hearing. However, by an order passed on 30.01.2023, the right to file the counter affidavit was closed. Today when the matter is taken up, learned counsel for the respondents wants to file a counter affidavit.

2. We have gone through the records and we find that the matter pertains to grant of promotion to the applicant and, therefore, even if the counter affidavit is not filed at least the records will have to be perused by us for taking a decision in the matter. That being so, the case has to be adjourned for the production of records by the respondents, in case the respondents want they may file the counter affidavit within four weeks from today along with depositing a cost of Rs.5,000/- to the AFT, Principal Bench, Bar Association.

3. List the matter on **05.01.2024** and even if the counter affidavit is not filed, the respondents should keep the records present for the perusal of this Tribunal for deciding the matter.

[RAJENDRA MENON]
CHAIRPERSON

[P. M. HARIZ]
MEMBER (A)

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