

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

62.

**OA 2226/2022 with MA 2995/2022**

**In the matter of :**

**Lt Cdr Ashok Carrol(Retd)**

**... Applicant**

**Versus**

**Union of India & Ors.**

**... Respondents**

**For Applicant : Shri Ajai Bhalla, Advocate**

**For Respondents : Shri V.S. Mahndiyan, Advocate**

**CORAM :**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON, CHAIRPERSON**  
**HON'BLE LT GEN C.P.MOHANTY, MEMBER (A)**

**O R D E R**  
**04.01.2023**

Even though notice has been issued on 10.10.2022, respondents have not filed any counter affidavit. A perusal of the impugned order Annexure A1 dated 08.01.2019, which reads as follows:-

***“ 1. Reference your representation dated 20 Dec18.***

***2.Your request has been examined. In this connection it is intimated that a case extending the benefit of policy letter No. 14(1)/98/D(AG) dated 14 Jan 2000 to those officers who completed 20 years of service and retired after 01 Jan 96, is in progress with this HQ. It may be noted that the name of the officer is also included in the list of such retired officers. Accordingly a letter of even No. dated 16 Nov 18 has been issued to NPO to ascertain the financial implication in the matter.”***

2. However, thereafter, nothing has been communicated to the applicant and the result of the consideration of the representation is not available, respondents to either inform the Tribunal as to what action has been taken after issuance of Annexure A1 dated 08.01.2019 or file their objections within four weeks.

3. List the matter for hearing on **13<sup>th</sup> April, 2023.**

Copy of the order be given **Dasti** to counsel for both the parties.

**[JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON]**  
**CHAIRPERSON**

**[LT GEN C.P.MOHANTY]**  
**MEMBER (A)**

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