

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

3.

MA 3780/2023 in OA 818/2020

Col Arun Kumar (Retd) Applicant
VERSUS
Union of India and Ors. Respondents

For Applicant : None
For Respondents : Mr. Neeraj, Sr CGSC with
Mr. Rudra Paliwal
Maj A.R. Subramaniam, OIC Legal Cell

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**HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE ANU MALHOTRA, MEMBER (J)
HON'BLE LT GEN P.M. HARIZ, MEMBER (A)**

**ORDER
11.07.2024**

There has been no compliance of directions dated 09.05.2024 by the respondents. A submission was made on behalf of the respondents on 09.05.2024 that they intend to assail the order dated 03.03.2023 in OA 818/2020 by filing a writ petition which has till date not been filed.

2. A submission is now made on behalf of the respondents seeking four weeks time for compliance of directions dated 13.03.2024 in OA 818/2020.

3. The records of the OA 818/2020 indicate that vide a separate order dated 03.03.2023, the prayer made by the respondents seeking grant of leave to appeal against the said order was expressly declined in terms of Section 31 (1) of the AFT Act, 2007. In view of the submissions made on behalf of the respondents, in addition to the costs as imposed vide order

dated 09.05.2024 of sum of Rs. 50,000/- to be paid by the respondents vide a demand draft in favour of the applicant, the respondents are further directed to pay the additional costs now imposed on them of sum of Rs. 50,000/- in the name of the applicant which be so handed over to the applicant on the next date of hearing.

4. The matter be re-notified for hearing on **22.08.2024**.

Copy of this order be given '*DASTI*' as prayed.

(JUSTICE ANU MALHOTRA)
MEMBER (J)

(LT GEN P.M. HARIZ)
MEMBER (A)

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