

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

141.

OA 2634/2023

Col Vedvrat Vaidya	Applicant
Versus		
Union of India & Ors.	Respondents

For Applicant	:	Mr. Piyush Thakran, Advocate
For Respondents	:	Mr. K K Tyagi for R-1 to R-4, Mr. Mohan Kumar, Advocate for R-5

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

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09.10.2025

Arguments heard. Order reserved.

2. The respondents are directed to keep available the following documents:

- a) Proceedings of Selection Board No. 3 wherein the case of the applicant was considered.
- b) Proceedings of Selection Board No. 2.
- c) Details regarding the disbandment of the TA Railway Battalion.
- d) Information regarding the vacancy available in the rank of Brigadier in the TA Railways at the time of the applicant's alleged abandonment.
- e) Details of the action taken in respect of the said vacancy and the current status of that vacancy as on date.

3. The above-mentioned information and documents shall be submitted within two weeks from today.
4. We are also informed that the applicant is due to retire on **31.10.2025**. However, as the matter has been heard and is reserved for judgment, the retirement of the applicant shall be subject to the final decision that will be taken at the time of passing of the order.
5. A copy of this order be given ***DASTI*** to both parties.

[JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON]
CHAIRPERSON

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

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