

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

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OA 3830/2024

Ms Avni Banari (Minor) & 3 Ors thru
Dr Nisha Bali (Divorced Mother) Applicant
VERSUS
Union of India and Ors. Respondents

For Applicant : Mr. Veerendra Mohan, Advocate
For Respondents : Ms. Shivani Kumari, proxy for
Mr. Rajeev Kumar for R 1-3, Advocate

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**HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE ANU MALHOTRA, MEMBER (J)
HON'BLE REAR ADMIRAL DHIREN VIG, MEMBER (A)**

**ORDER
23.01.2025**

Counsel Mr. Tarun Gulia, submits that he puts in appearance on behalf of the Respondent no. 4. The memorandum of appearance of the counsel be submitted during the course of day. In view of the presence of the counsel for the Respondent no. 4 presently, we do not consider appropriate to grant the prayer that the Respondent No. 4 has sought to pursue the present matter through video conferencing alone.

2. It would be open however to the Respondent No. 4 to join the proceeding virtually on the next date of hearing. However, the counsel for the Respondent No. 4 shall be present physically. Counter affidavit of the Respondent Nos. 1-3 and 4 be filed within a period of four weeks without default

3. On behalf of the applicant is submitted the certified copy of the decree of divorce in CNR No. HRGR01-016073-2022 in HMA Case No. 783 dated 14.11.2022 between the mother of the applicant and the Respondent No 4 which is taken on record.

4. The matter be re-notified on **24.04.2025** for consideration of the prayer made by the applicant seeking grant of interim maintenance.

(JUSTICE ANU MALHOTRA)
MEMBER (J)

(REAR ADMIRAL DHIREN VIG)
MEMBER (A)

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