## COURT No.3, ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI

10. OA 450/2019

Brig ST Rangarajan (Retd)

... Applicant

**Versus** 

Union of India & Ors.

...Respondents

For Applicant : Mr. Balaji Subramanian &

Mr. Ishant Banerjee, Advocates

For Respondents : Mr. KS Bhati, Sr.CGSC &

Mr. Harshdev Bhidasra

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE SUNITA GUPTA, MEMBER (J) HON'BLE LT. GEN. GAUTAM MOORTHY, MEMBER (A)

> ORDER 01.04.2019

By way of the present OA, the applicant claims military pension with full benefits along with arrears.

- 2. At the outset, learned counsel for the respondents raised objection to the territorial jurisdiction of this Tribunal on the ground that as per the memo of parties the applicant is a resident of Pune. Impugned orders were passed at Allahabad. As such, no cause of action arises at Delhi.
- 3. This factual position is not disputed by the counsel for the applicant. However, it is stated that there is no functional Bench at Mumbai/Pune. Even if that is so, counsel for the applicant to move

appropriate applicant before Hon'ble Chairperson. Learned counsel for the applicant seeks time for the same.

4. Re-list on 13.08.2019.

(JUSTICE SUNITA GUPTA)
MEMBER (J)

(LT. GEN. GAUTAM MOORTHY) MEMBER (A)

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