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

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### OA 3494/2023 with MA 5357/2023

Col Sunil Kumar ..... Applicant

Versus

Union of India & Ors. .... Respondents

For Applicant

Mr. Ajit Kakkar, Advocate

For Respondents : Mr. Neeraj Sr CGSC

**CORAM** 

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

#### ORDER 24.01.2024

#### MA 5357/2023

This is an application filed by the applicant for closing the right of the respondents to file counter affidavit. However, in view of the order passed in the OA no orders are called for on this application.

MA is disposed of accordingly.

## OA 3494/2023

As a short issue involved in the matter with regard to consideration made by SB~2 after directions of this Tribunal on 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2023, we, therefore, direct the respondents to file their short counter affidavit if any on or before 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 and the matter be listed for final hearing on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2024. In the meanwhile, all action taken including retirement of the applicant shall be subject to final decision of this petition.



Records be kept present at the time of final hearing.

A copy of this order be provided DASTI to learned counsel

for both the parties.

[JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON] CHAIRPERSON

> [LT GEN C.P. MOMANTY] MEMBER (A)

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