

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

19.

OA 1977/2025

KT Murugan Formely Sub KT Murugan	.....	Applicant
Versus		
Union of India & Ors.	.....	Respondents

For Applicant	:	Mr. Sonu Sharma for Mr. Anand Kumar, Advocate
For Respondents	:	Maj. Arvind Subramaniam, OIC, legal cell

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJENDRA MENON, CHAIRPERSON  
HON'BLE REAR ADMIRAL DHIREN VIG, MEMBER (A)

ORDER  
09.07.2025

Invoking the jurisdiction of this Tribunal under Section 14 of the Armed Force Tribunal Act 2007, the relief is claimed for by the applicant in para 8 is to direct the respondent No.2 to decide the petition filed by him vide Annexure A-1 dated 29.08.2024. The petition has been filed under Section 164(2) of the Army Act read with Section 165.

2. Without going into the merits of the case and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the averments made in the OA, we direct the competent authority to decide the petition as detailed hereinabove vide Annexure A-1 within a period of 45 days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3. Needless to emphasize that if the applicant is still aggrieved by the decision taken by the competent authority, he shall invoke the jurisdiction of the appropriate court or forum.

4. With the above directions, the OA is disposed off. No order as to costs.

[Justice Rajendra Menon]  
Chairperson

[Rear Admiral Dhiren Vig]  
Member(A)

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