ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL, PRINCIPAL BENCH NEW DELHI

File No. CA 4/2014 (in PB) in OA 4/2014 (RB,Kolkata) etc.

Dated: 12th April, 2024

NOTIFICATION

In light of the order dated 15.04.2015 passed in CA 4/2014 and CA 7/2014 and considering the significance of the issues raised in CA 1/2023 and CA 2/2023, certain issues have been formulated for determination by a Larger Bench consisting of Hon'ble Ms. Justice Anu Malhotra, Member (J), Hon'ble Lt Gen C.P Mohanty, Member (A) and Hon'ble Rear Admiral Dhiren Vig, Member (A) to hear the following matters through Hybrid Mode on 19.04.2024 at 02.15 p.m:

- (1) CA 4/2014 (in PB) in OA 4/2014 (of RB, Kolkata) Lt Col Mukul Dev v. Uol and Ors
- (2) CA 7/2014 (in PB) in OA 29/2014 (of RB, Kolkata) Lt Col Mukul Dev v. Uol and Ors
- (3) CA 1/2023 with MA 4861/2023 & MA 4862/2023 in (CA 25/2023 in OA 408/2017 of RB, Chandigarh) (Suo motu AFT (RB) v. Uol and Ors
- (4) CA 2/2023 with MA 4863/2023 in (CA 40/2023 in OA 408/2017 of RB, Chandigarh) (Suo motu AFT (RB) Chandigarh v Uol and Ors)

The issues to be considered by the Larger Bench are mentioned below:

Whether a willful disobedience to or non-implementation of its order may amount to causing any interruption or disturbance in the proceedings of this Tribunal thereby attracting action for contempt, under Section 19 of the Act read with Rule 25?

To include any other question, as may be considered relevant by the Larger Bench to the issue in question, inclusive of the scope and ambit of Section 29 of the AFT Act, 2007 for effecting compliance/execution of the orders of this Tribunal.

In accordance with the order dated 02.04.2024, the Hon'ble Tribunal is pleased to grant permission to all learned counsel who wish to assist through intervention to submit compilations of judgments, rules, regulations, and enactments they seek to rely upon, both in physical and electronic form, on or before 19.04.2024. Learned counsel intending to assist the Larger Bench shall submit an application to that effect along with their names and enrollment numbers.

The Registrars/In charge are requested to disseminate this matter to the respective Bar Associations.

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Deputy Registrar (I/c) 1/6

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