

IN THE ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL, PRINCIPAL BENCH AT NEW DELHI

1.
AT 1/2016 in OA 127/2014 (RB, Mumbai)

Flt Lt Abhimanyu Singh(29752K)Petitioner
Versus
UIO & Ors.Respondents

For petitioner : Mr Prevendra Kumar Advocate
For respondents : Mr Dinesh Kumar Bhati, Advocate

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRAKASH TATIA, CHAIRPERSON.

ORDER
08.01.2016

This application under section 27 of the Armed Forces Tribunal Act, 2007 has been filed seeking transfer of the OA 127/2014 which is pending before the Armed Forces Tribunal, Regional Bench, Mumbai.

2. The petitioner's contention is that petitioner has challenged the General Court Martial proceedings and in the OA pleadings are complete. Since the Regional Bench of Mumbai is not functional since long except few weeks in some months, therefore, petitioner's OA cannot be heard by the Mumbai Bench of the Tribunal. It is also submitted that petitioner is suffering unnecessary financial burden because of the reason that his advocate has to travel Delhi to Mumbai.

3. The respondents have no objections if the OA 127/2014 is transferred from Armed Forces Tribunal, Regional Bench, Mumbai to the Principal Bench of the Tribunal.

4. The AT is allowed. The OA 127/2014 pending before the Armed Forces Tribunal, Regional Bench, Mumbai is hereby withdrawn and is transferred to the Principal Bench of the Tribunal for deciding in accordance with law.

5. Copy of the order be sent to the Mumbai Bench of the Tribunal for compliance.

Dated: 08.01.2016/vkv

(PRAKASH TATIA)
CHAIRPERSON