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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ **W.P.(C) 13774/2023**

RAM CHANDER JAIN

..... Petitioner

Through: Petitioner in person

versus

UOI AND ANR

..... Respondents

Through: Mr. Rahul Sharma, SPC with Mr.
Vinod Tiwari, G.P. for respondent
no.1/UOI

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V. KAMESWAR RAO

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAURABH BANERJEE

ORDER

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24.01.2024

1. This petition has been filed by the petitioner with following prayers:-

On the basis and in the light of above stated facts of Merits and Grounds I, humbly pray that The Hon'ble Court graciously be pleased to pass Directions or orders of Directions to Respondents for-

1. To consider the matter now of 'Not Considering of my of Promotion so far to the rank of Lt. (Sd.) and,

2. To consider delivering Parchment now of 'Not Delivering of Parchment Commission' to me and,

3. That if any delay by The Hon'ble Court be seen to Approach the Hon'ble Court may kindly be condoned in the interest of justice.



4. Any other Direction or order of relief passed deemed fit under and in the circumstances of the Case.

2. Though, on the last date of hearing, notice was issued on the petition, but we find that the jurisdiction insofar as the subject matter of the petition, i.e., service related matters with respect to promotion, shall lie before the Armed Forces Tribunal ('AFT', for short).

3. We accordingly deem it appropriate to close these proceedings by granting liberty to the petitioner to approach the AFT for the prayers as made in this petition. The period during which the petitioner has pursued the present petition shall be excluded for the purpose of computing the limitation in filing the petition before AFT.

V. KAMESWAR RAO, J

SAURABH BANERJEE, J

JANUARY 24, 2024/akr