

CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL
PRINCIPAL BENCH

OA-1209 of 1997
MA-2089 of 1997

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New Delhi, this the 17th day of September, 1997.

Hon'ble Mr. N. Sahu, Member(A)

Sunder Dass
S/o Sh. Daulat Ram,
Retd. Deiver DSL Shed,
Shakurbasti, Delhi and
R/o C/o J-57,
Hari Nagar,
New Delhi

...Applicant

(By Advocate : Sh.U. Srivastava)

Versus

Union of India : Through

The General Manager,
Northern Railway,
Baroda House,
New Delhi

...Respondents

ORDER (Oral)

By Mr. N. Sahu, Member(A) -

Heard Shri U. Srivastava, counsel for the applicant. He says that he has not filed the power of attorney and promises to file the same in the course of the day. He shall do so.

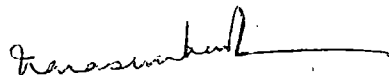
2. The only point in this case is the applicant's claim of interest on the GPF amount of Rs.768/- from 1962 to 31.01.1987 claimed to be withheld by the Railway department (the sum of Rs.768/- was paid in 1992). The applicant had filed a representation in this regard to the General Manager who is impleaded as Respondent in this case (Annexure A-3 to the OA). This representation is dated 16.05.1996. This is a simple matter and the grievance focussed is only on one point. This OA can be

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disposed of by issuing a suitable direction to Respondent. Respondent is directed to examine the representation relating to non-payment of interest on a sum of Rs. 768/- from 1960 to 1963 and from 1963 to January, 1987 at simple interest rates and from January, 1987 to till the date of retirement, interest claimed at compound rates within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Respondent shall dispose of this representation and in order to avoid further protraction of litigation on this very simple issue for which an earlier petition (OA-690/89) including Contempt Petition (CP No.118/95) had been filed, Respondent shall hear the applicant in person before disposing of the same.

3. OA is disposed of. The concerned MA-2089/97 has become academic and superfluous and accordingly dismissed.


(N. Sahu)
Member(A)

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