

CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL  
PRINCIPAL BENCH

OA 1437/2000

New Delhi, this the 18th day of January, 2002

Hon'ble Shri Govindan S.Tampi, Member (A)

Brijesh Kumar Singh  
S/o Shri Nand Kishore Singh  
R/o Khaura Colony  
Sector-57, NOIDA.

...Applicant

(By Advocate Mrs. Rani Chhabra through  
proxy counsel Ms.Meenakashi Singh)

V E R S U S

UNION OF INDIA : THROUGH

1. Secretary  
Ministry of Communication  
Deptt. of Telecommunication  
Sanchar Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Chief General Manager  
Telecom West  
Deptt. of Telecommunications  
Dehradun.
3. General Manager  
Telegraph  
Deptt. of Telecommunications  
NOIDA.
4. Sub-Divisional Officer  
Telegraph Office  
Sector 19A-714  
NOIDA.
5. Officer in charge  
Telegraph office  
Sector 11 L-93  
Shop No.24, Noida.

...Respondents

(By Advocate Shri K.R.Sachdeva)

O R D E R (ORAL)

By Hon'ble Shri Govindan S.Tampi, Member (A)

In this case, Ms. Meenakashi Singh, learned proxy counsel for the applicant states that the applicant has been working for more than 240 days continuously, and as such entitled for grant of temporary status.

2. Respondents, on the other hand, through Shri K.R.Sachdeva, points out that the applicant has

not exhausted the remedies as required under Section 20 of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985, and, therefore, cannot have any case.

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3. I have considered the matter and I am convinced that the objection raised by the respondents is a valid one. Still in the interest of justice, I am inclined to give a chance to both the parties. The OA is, therefore, disposed of with the direction to the respondents to examine the veracity of the claim made by the applicant and to take a decision in accordance with law. This OA may also be taken as part of representation for the purpose. The respondents' decision should be communicated by a reasoned and speaking order within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

(GOVINDAN S. TAMPI)  
MEMBER (A)

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