

CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL
MUMBAI BENCH MUMBAI

ORIGINAL APPLICATION NO: 545/95

DATE OF DECISION: 26.10.1999

The Indian Navy Civilian Applicant.
Staff Association and others.

Advocate for
Applicant.

Versus

~~Union of India and others~~ Respondents.

Shri V.S.Masurkar. Advocate for
Respondent(s)

CORAM

Hon'ble Shri Justice R.G.Vaidyanatha, Vice Chairman
Hon'ble Shri D.S. Baweja, Member (A)

(1) To be referred to the Reporter or not?

(2) Whether it needs to be circulated to
other Benches of the Tribunal?

(3) Library. - *yes*

R.G. Vaidyanatha
(R.G. Vaidyanatha)
Vice Chairman

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TUESDAY the 26th day of OCTOBER 1999

CORAM: Hon'ble Shri Justice R.G.Vaidyanatha, Vice Chairman

Hon'ble Shri D.S.Baweja, Member(A)

1. The Indian Navy Civilian
Staff Association, 27-B
Bharucha Marg., Fort
Bombay.
2. R.D'Silva
C/o Western Naval Command
Shahid Bhagaatsingh Road,
Bombay.
3. T.V. Pankajkishan
E/5, N.C.H. Colony
Kanjur Marg., (West)
Bombay.

...Applicant

V/s

1. Union of India through
The Flag Officer,
Commanding-in-Chief
Western Naval Command
Shahid Bhagatsingh Road,
Bombay.
2. The Flag Officer
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Western Naval Command
Shahid Bhagatsingh Road,
Bombay.

...Respondents.

By Advocate Shri V.S.Masurkar.

ORDER (ORAL)

(Per Shri Justice R.G.Vaidyanatha, Vice Chairman)

In this application the applicants are challenging the policy decision of the Government regarding the ceiling limit of Bonus to certain officers with particular pay scale. The respondents have filed reply opposing the application.

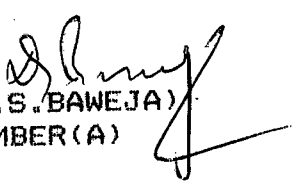
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2. The case called out for final hearing. None appeared on behalf of the applicant. We have heard counsel for the respondents.

3. In this case the dispute raised is regarding the question of fixation of ceiling limit. This is a policy matter. The respondents have brought to our notice the judgement of Ernakulam Bench of this Tribunal in OA 733/96, wherein the Tribunal has held that in policy matters the Court or Tribunal should not interfere.

We are in agreement with this decision of the Ernakulam Bench.

4. In view of the above said judgement the applicants' prayer cannot be granted. OA is disposed of accordingly. No order as to costs.


(D.S. BAWEJA)
MEMBER (A)


(R.G. VAIDYANATHA)
VICE CHAIRMAN

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