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

+ **W.P.(C) 9392/2025**

UNION OF INDIA AND ORSPetitioners

Through: Mr. Sushil Kumar Pandey, SPC
with Major Anish Muralidhar

versus

NK DSC RAMESH KUMARRespondent

Through: Mr. U.S. Maurya, Adv.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE C. HARI SHANKAR

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY DIGPAUL

ORDER

% **09.07.2025**

WP(C) 9392/2025 and CM APPL. 39665/2025 (additional documents)

1. The issue in controversy in this petition is whether the respondent is entitled to second service pension for the services rendered by him in the DSC.

2. The petitioners have placed on record a judgment rendered by a Coordinate Bench in a similar matter on 4 September 2004 in WP(C) 2986/2024, *UOI v Ex/NK Chinna Vedyappan*, which stands stayed by the Supreme Court on 2 December 2024 in SLP(C) 27725/2024.

3. In these circumstances, issue notice to show cause as to why rule *nisi* be not issued.



4. Notice is accepted on behalf of the respondent by Mr. Maurya.
5. Counter affidavit be filed within four weeks with an advance copy to learned Counsel for the petitioners who may file rejoinder thereto, if any, within four weeks thereof.
6. Renotify on 15 September 2025.

CM APPL. 39664/2025 (stay) in WP(C) 9392/2025

7. Issue notice.
8. Notice is accepted on behalf of the respondent by Mr. Maurya.
9. Reply be filed within four weeks with an advance copy to learned counsel for the petitioner who may file rejoinder thereto, if any, within four weeks thereof.
10. Renotify on 15 September 2025.
11. Till the next date of hearing, there shall be a stay of operation of the impugned judgment passed by the Tribunal in this matter.

C. HARI SHANKAR, J.

AJAY DIGPAUL, J.

JULY 9, 2025/gs