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\* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**  
+ W.P.(C) 8850/2024, CM APPL. 35927/2024  
UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners  
Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK MARTANDAPPA .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 16269/2024, CM APPLs. 68484/2024 & 68485/2024  
UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners  
Through: Ms. Radhika Bishwajit Dubey  
CGSC with Ms. Gurleen Kaur Waraich, Ms.  
Aprajita Verma, Mr. Vivek Sharma, Advs.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

HAV DSC VEERAPALLI MUTHU GOUNDER  
KRISHNAN RETD .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S  
Maurya, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 16759/2024, CM APPLs. 70935/2024 & 70936/2024  
UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners  
Through: Mr. Siddhartha Sinha, SPC and  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

HAV/DSC BAHABUT GARI SHAIK MASTANVALI  
(RETD) (NO 1344637Y) .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S  
Maurya, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 16783/2024, CM APPLs. 71025/2024 & 71026/2024



UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX HAV (DSC GD) SATYAWAN  
S/O NIHALA

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Abhishek Khanna, Ms.  
Shruti Dyodia, Advs.

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W.P.(C) 16840/2024, CM APPLs. 71291/2024 & 71292/2024

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Siddhartha Sinha, SPC  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX SUB MAJ (DSC) BALWANT SINGH ....Respondent

Through: Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S  
Maurya, Advs.

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W.P.(C) 10449/2025, CM APPLs. 43383/2025 & 43384/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Abhishek Gupta, CGSC  
with Mr. Dhananjay Singh, Mr. Shaswat  
Kumar Pandey & Mr. Kumar Kartikeya,  
Advs.

Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DSC RAMVIR SINGH RETD ....Respondent

Through: Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S  
Maurya, Advs.

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W.P.(C) 4301/2025, CM APPLs. 19959/2025 & 19960/2025

UNION OF INDIA THROUGH THE SECRETARY



MINISTRY OF DEFENCE & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK SUBHASH CHAND TIWARI ....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 4344/2025, CM APPLs. 20074/2025 & 20075/2025

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX HAV HARPAL SINGH DSC ....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 4584/2025, CM APPLs. 21232/2025 & 21233/2025

UNION OF INDIA THROUGH THE SECRETARY  
& ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

SMT LACHHMI DEVI ....Respondent

Through: Mr. Devendra Kumar and Mr.  
Brajesh Kumar, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 4652/2025, CM APPLs. 21523/2025 & 21524/2025

UNION OF INDIA THROUGH THE SECRETARY  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX LNK BIJALI MAHARAJ ....Respondent

Through:



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+ W.P.(C) 9392/2025, CM APPLs. 39664/2025 & 39665/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Sushil Kr. Pandey, SPC  
with Ms. Varsha Bhadauriya, Adv.  
Mr. Rudra Paliwal, GP and Mrs. Bharti  
Raju, Adv.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK DSC RAMESH KUMAR .....Respondent

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

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+ W.P.(C) 16715/2024, CM APPLs. 70709/2024 & 70710/2024

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DSC RAJENDRA SINGH .....Respondent

Through: Mr. Virender Pratap Singh  
Charak and Ms. Shubhra Parashar, Adv.

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+ W.P.(C) 16903/2024, CM APPLs. 71608/2024 & 71609/2024

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Ms. Pratima N Lakra, CGSC  
with Mr. Shailendra Kumar Mishra, Mr  
Chanakya Kene, Adv.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK DSC MADAN LAL RETD .....Respondent

Through: Mr. Manoj Kr. Gupta, Sr. Adv.



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+ W.P.(C) 1971/2025, CM APPLs. 9260/2025 & 9261/2025

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Shrey Sharawat, SPC with  
Mr. Yash Chaturvedi, Ms. Akanksha Mehta  
Adv.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK MOHAN SINGH ....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 2155/2025, CM APPLs. 10143/2025 & 10144/2025

UNION OF INDIA THROUGH THE SECRETARY,  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Shrey Sharawat, SPC with  
Mr. Yash Chaturvedi, Ms. Akanksha Mehta  
Adv.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK (DSC GD) KARLIN R ....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 2391/2025, CM APPLs. 11283/2025 & 11284/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Jagdish Chandra Solanki,  
CGSC with Mr. Sujeet Choudhary and Mr.  
Siddharth Bajaj, Adv.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DSC PARGAT SINGH ....Respondent



Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 3599/2025, CM APPLs. 16846/2025, 16847/2025 & 16848/2025

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK/ DSC ANAND PRAKASH KUSHWAHA  
(RETD) ....Respondent

Through: Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S Maurya, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 12870/2025, CM APPLs. 52571/2025 & 52572/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX SUB DSC TEK BAHADUR  
GURUNG ....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 13712/2025, CM APPLs. 56317/2025 & 56318/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. P S Singh, CGSC, Ms. Minakshi Singh, Mr. Ashutosh Bharti, Advocates and Mr. Chetanya Puri, SPC  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

LINK DSC SAKHA RAM RETD ....Respondent

Through: Mr. Manoj Kr. Gupta, Sr. Adv.

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+ W.P.(C) 13963/2025, CM APPLs. 57160/2025 & 57161/2025  
UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX HAV SAHADEV SAHU .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. Bikrama Sah and Ms.  
Mamta Pannikar, Adv.

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+ W.P.(C) 10072/2025, CM APPLs. 41830/2025 & 41831/2025  
UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Sushil Kumar Pandey, SPC  
and Ms. Varsha Bhadauriya, Adv.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK SUSHIL KUMAR .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 10812/2025, CM APPLs. 44727/2025 & 44728/2025  
UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Abhishek Gupta, CGSC  
with Mr. Dhananjay Singh, Mr. Shaswat  
Kumar Pandey & Mr. Kumar Kartikeya  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK TALAB SINGH RETD .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 11451/2025, CM APPLs. 47028/2025 & 47029/2025  
UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. P S Singh, CGSC, Mr.  
Ashutosh Bharti, Ms. Minakshi Singh,



Advocates  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX SEP VINOD SINGH .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. Ajit Kakkar and Mr. Tejas  
Bhonge, Advocates

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+ W.P.(C) 11546/2025, CM APPLs. 47200/2025 & 47201/2025

UOI & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Ms. Uma Prasuna Bachu, SPC  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DEEPAK KUMAR .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 11404/2025, CM APPLs. 46701/2025 & 46702/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. P S Singh, CGSC with Ms.  
Minakshi Singh, Mr. Ashutosh Bharti,  
Advocates  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DSC AJEET KUMAR .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. P S Singh, Ms. Annu  
Singh, Ms. Shivangi Sharma, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 13662/2025, CM APPLs. 56051/2025 & 56052/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. P S Singh, CGSC with Ms.  
Minakshi Singh, Mr. Ashutosh Bharti,  
Advocates  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army



versus

EX NK SIRLA MOHAN RAO .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. Devendra Kumar and Mr.  
Brajesh Kumar, Advs.  
Mr. P S Singh, Ms. Annu Singh, Ms.  
Shivangi Sharma, Advs.

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W.P.(C) 12146/2025, CM APPLs. 49551/2025 & 49552/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Chetanya Puri, SPC  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EN NK (DSC) GABAR SINGH NEGI .....Respondent  
Through:

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W.P.(C) 12442/2025, CM APPLs. 50678/2025 & 50679/2025

UNION OF INDIA THROUGH THE SECRETARY,  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Bhagwan Swarup Shukla  
CGSC with Mr. Ashutosh Pathak, Mr. Yash  
Baraliya, Mr. Praveen Gupta and Mr. Tushar  
Gahlot, Ms. Khushi Gupta, Advocates  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DILIP FAKIRA SURYAVANSHI .....Respondent  
Through:

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W.P.(C) 12728/2025, CM APPLs. 51984/2025 & 51985/2025

UNION OF INDIA THROUGH SECRETARY, MINISTRY  
OF DEFENCE & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Piyush Beriwal, SPC with  
Ms. Ruchita Srivastava Adv.



Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK/ DSC KHAMLIAN MANG (RETD.) .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 13218/2025, CM APPLs. 54153/2025 & 54154/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Chetanya Puri, SPC  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DSC HARBANSH SINGH .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 12527/2025, CM APPLs. 51112/2025 & 51113/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. P S Singh, CGSC with Ms.  
Minakshi Singh, Mr. Ashutosh Bharti,  
Advocates  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

RAJAMMAL W D/O EX L/NK GOVINDAN .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. Devendra Kumar and Mr.  
Brajesh Kumar, Advs.  
Mr. P.S Singh, Ms. Annu Singh Ms.  
Shivangi Sharma, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 14136/2025, CM APPLs. 58033/2025 & 58034/2025

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus



EX HAV RANJITH M (15370671-M) .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. Devendra Kumar and Mr.  
Brajesh Kumar, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 14246/2025, CM APPLs. 58419/2025 & 58420/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Vivek Sharma, SPC  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

SRIMATI PRADHAN W D O NK PRADEEP  
PRADHAN .....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 14163/2025, CM APPLs. 58102/2025 & 58103/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Siddhartha Shankar Ray,  
CGSC with Mr. Atishay Jain, Advocate  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK LAL SINGH .....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 14851/2025, CM APPLs. 61115/2025 & 61116/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Siddhartha Shankar Ray,  
CGSC with Mr. Atishay Jain, Advocate  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK/DSC NEMI CHAND (RETD) .....Respondent

Through: Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S  
Maurya, Advs.



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+ W.P.(C) 15154/2025, CM APPLs. 62195/2025 & 62196/2025  
UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK C GANESAN (NO. 1384878 F) .....Respondent  
Through: Mr. Devendra Kumar and Mr.  
Brajesh Kumar, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 15160/2025, CM APPLs. 62215/2025 & 62216/2025  
UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK KASHMIR SINGH (NO 4466950-F) .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 15751/2025, CM APPLs. 64470/2025, 64471/2025 &  
64472/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Abhishek Gupta, CGSC  
with Mr. Dhananjay Singh, Mr. Shaswat  
Kumar Pandey & Mr. Kumar Kartikeya  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX HAV DSC RAM PRAKASH .....Respondent  
Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 16752/2025, CM APPLs. 68756/2025 & 68757/2025  
UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Ashish K Dixit, CGSC with  
Mr. Umar Hashmi, Ms. Iqra Sheikh, Advs.



Major Anish Muralidhar, Army  
versus

EK NK DSC RAJMAL .....Respondent  
Through:

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W.P.(C) 17024/2025, CM APPLs. 70017/2025 & 70018/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Varun Vats, SPC and  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK (DSC) VIR SINGH .....Respondent  
Through:

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W.P.(C) 17202/2025, CM APPLs. 70758/2025 & 70759/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Varun Vats, SPC and  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK (DSC) KHUSHAL SINGH .....Respondent  
Through:

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W.P.(C) 17356/2025, CM APPLs. 71410/2025 & 71411/2025

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ....Petitioners

Through: Ms. Pratima N Lakra, CGSC  
Mr. Shailendra Kumar Mishra, Mr.  
Chanakya Kene  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK RISHIPAL SINGH DSC .....Respondent  
Through:

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W.P.(C) 17390/2025, CM APPLs. 71790/2025 & 71791/2025



UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Varun Vats, SPC and  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK/DSC G SUNDARA RAJ (RETD) .....Respondent

Through: Mr. Tushar Mahajan, Mr.  
Bhaavan Mahajan and Mr. Tanmay S  
Surana, Advs.

Mr. U S Maurya & Mr. S S Maurya, Advs.

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+ W.P.(C) 17398/2025, CM APPLs. 71812/2025 & 71813/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Varun Vats, SPC and  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

NK MANGE LAL (RETD) .....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 18194/2025, CM APPL. 75268/2025 & CM APPL.  
75269/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Ashish K Dixit, CGSC with  
Mr. Umar Hashmi, Ms. Iqra Shiekh, Advs.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army

versus

EX NK DSC VILAS RAO .....Respondent

Through:

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+ W.P.(C) 18248/2025, CM APPL. 75494/2025 & CM APPL.  
75495/2025

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS .....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Ashish K Dixit, CGSC with  
Mr. Umar Hashmi, Ms. Iqra Shiekh, Advs.  
Major Anish Muralidhar, Army



versus

EX NK BHASKAR SINGH

.....Respondent

Through:

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE C. HARI SHANKAR**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE OM PRAKASH SHUKLA**

**ORDER**

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**03.12.2025**

As the petitions before the Supreme Court dealing with second service pensions have now been adjourned to second week of January 2026, re-notify on 12 March 2026.

**C.HARI SHANKAR, J**

**OM PRAKASH SHUKLA, J**

**DECEMBER 3, 2025/rjd**