

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CIVIL APPEAL NO.12480 OF 2024

KUMUD PANDEYA ... APPELLANT(S)

VS.

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. ... RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

Heard the learned senior counsel appearing for the appellant.

We have perused the opinions of the Medical Board dated 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2002, the Review Medical Board and then the Release Medical Board. The last was the Release Medical Board in the year 2015 wherein the blood pressure readings recorded of the appellant were 130/90 mmHg. On the basis of one reading, one cannot jump to the conclusion that the appellant was suffering from Hypertension. The disability mentioned in Release Medical Board report of 2015 is obesity. Therefore, his disability was assessed at less than 20 per cent. The contention that due to service conditions, the appellant suffered from Hypertension cannot be accepted. On the basis of evidence on record, we find no error in the view taken by the Tribunal.

The appeal is accordingly dismissed.

.....J.  
(ABHAY S.OKA)

.....J.  
(UJJAL BHUYAN)

NEW DELHI;  
February 20, 2025

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Civil Appeal No(s). 12480/2024

KUMUD PANDEYA

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 20-02-2025 This appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ABHAY S. OKA  
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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

The appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed  
order.

Pending application, if any, also stands disposed  
of.

(ANITA MALHOTRA)  
AR-CUM-PS

(AVGV RAMU)  
COURT MASTER

(Signed order is placed on the file.)