

**Form No. 4**  
**{See rule 11(1)}**  
**ORDER SHEET**  
**ARMED FORCES TRIBUNAL, REGIONAL BENCH, LUCKNOW**

**O.A. No. 204 of 2023**

**Nk Akhil George**

By Legal Practitioner for the Applicant

**Applicant**

**Versus**

**Union of India & Others**

By Legal Practitioner for Respondents

**Respondents**

<b>Notes of the Registry</b>	<b>Orders of the Tribunal</b>
	<p><b><u>10.10.2023.</u></b> <b><u>Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ravindra Nath Kakkar, Member (J)</u></b> <b><u>Hon'ble Vice Admiral Atul Kumar Jain, Member (A)</u></b></p> <p>1. We have heard Shri Manoj Kumar Awasthi, learned counsel for the applicant and Shri Amit Jaiswal, learned counsel for the respondents.</p> <p>2. Briefly stated facts of the case are that the applicant was enrolled in Army on 23.08.2009. In October 2020 applicant filed an application for grant of premature discharge from service due to family problems. His prayer was declined by the respondents vide Signal dated 04.04.2021 stating that there is a dearth of Physiotherapy Assistant (PTA) in the Corps. The applicant filed O.A. No 401 of 2022 before this Tribunal which was disposed of vide order dated 12.10.2022 with direction to the respondents to reconsider the applicant's case for premature retirement on compassionate grounds within a period of three months from the date of receipt of order. This original Application has been filed by the applicant with the prayer to issue direction to respondents to grant discharge from service.</p> <p>3. Learned counsel for the respondents submitted that in compliance of order dated 12.10.2022 passed by this Tribunal in O.A. No 401 of 2022, prayer of the applicant for grant of premature retirement has been considered and competent authority has approved discharge of the applicant vide order dated 27.04.2023 to discharge the applicant from service on 31.05.2023.</p> <p>4. We have perused the discharge order dated 27.04.2023 and it has been informed that the applicant has been discharged from service on 31.05.2023.</p> <p>5. Since the applicant has been discharged from service on 31.05.2023, this O.A. has become infructuous.</p> <p>6. Accordingly, O.A. is <b>disposed of</b> being infructuous.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>(Vice Admiral Atul Kumar Jain) (Justice Ravindra Nath Kakkar)</b> <b>Member (A) Member (J)</b></p> <p>Ukt/-</p>