



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH**

**CWP No.16573 of 2025  
Date of Decision: 14.07.2025**

Union of India and others

...Petitioners

Versus

No. 14241556Y Ex. Hav (Hony Nb Sub)  
Ramehar Singh and another

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA  
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA**

Present:- Ms. Promila Nain, Advocate, Senior Standing  
counsel for the petitioners.-UOI.

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**SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA J. (Oral)**

The challenge in this writ-petition is to the order passed by respondent No.2-Armed Forces Tribunal (for short 'the AFT') dated 22.05.2023 (Annexure P-1).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that there was no occasion to round off the disability from 40% to 50%.

3. The issue is no more *res-integra* in view of the judgment passed by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of ***Bijender Singh vs. Union of India and others, 2025 SSC OnLine SC 895***, which affirms the earlier judgment passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of ***Union of India and others vs. Ram Avtar 2014 SCC Online SC 1761*** wherein the Hon'ble Apex Court has approved the rounding off clause relating to grant of disability pension to 50% where the disability is less than 50%, 75% where the disability is from 50% to 75% and 100% where the disability is more than 75%.



4. In view thereto, the order passed by the AFT rounding of the disability pension from 40% to 50% does not call for any interference. The writ-petition is without merit and the same is dismissed. The impugned order shall now be implemented within a period of two months from today

**(SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA)**  
**JUDGE**

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**(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)**  
**JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned:*      *Yes/No*  
*Whether Reportable:*              *Yes/No*