



Bye bye officer

Iqbal Khan quits *Chhona hai Aasmaan*

■ Sampurn Anand

Iqbal Khan has quit *Chhona hai Aasmaan*. The actor, who plays an airforce officer in the Star One daily will be seen in uniform for the last time this week.

Just one year

Creative head for Miditech, producers of the show, Sandeep Sikand, confirms the news though he doesn't know the reason.

Khan had a one-year contract on *Chhona hai...*, but Sikand claims they were hoping that he would renew it. "You'd better ask Iqbal why he quit," he says.

Will captain Abhimanyu be bumped off a is Rajeev

Khandalwal in *Left Right Left*? Sikand says they are looking for a replacement.

Khan states that he left the soap because his contract had ended. Probe a little and the actor claims to have had issues with "someone" whom he refuses to name.

The actor who made it big with *Kaisa Yeh Pyar Hai*, adds that *Chhona...* had the best unit he has ever worked with. He gave his last shot on Saturday when the cast and crew gave him a fond farewell.

Khan is currently in talks for a new show and promises not to be out of action for too long.

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