

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

Civil Revision No.5067 of 2015

Date of decision: 11.08.2015

Karam Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

Balwant Singh and others

.....Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Spehia, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Ritu Bahri, J.

Challenge in this petition is to the order dated 15.07.2015 (Annexure P-4) passed by the Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Hoshiarpur, whereby evidence of the claimants-petitioners has been closed by order.

Learned counsel for the petitioners, *inter alia*, contends that while closing the evidence of claimants-petitioners, the Tribunal has observed that four effective opportunities were given to conclude their evidence, but they have failed to produce any evidence.

As per zimni orders dated 05.01.2015 and 26.03.2015, the trial was not taken up for hearing, therefore, no effective opportunity was provided to the petitioners to lead their evidence on those dates.

In view of the above, the impugned order dated 15.07.2015 (Annexure P-4) is set aside and two effective opportunities are granted to the petitioners to conclude their evidence, subject to costs of Rs.3,000/- to be deposited with the Punjab State Legal Service Authority.

Allowed accordingly.

Copy of this order be given to learned counsel for the petitioners under the signatures of Special Secretary of the Bench.

11.08.2015
ajp

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE