

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA

AT CHANDIGARH

FAO No.2677 of 1999 (O&M)

Date of decision: 06.12.2016

Chand Bibi and others

.....Appellants

versus

Union of India

.....Respondent

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr.Justice Kuldeep Singh

Present: Mr.Vivek Suri, Advocate for the appellants
Mr.Karminder Singh, Advocate for the respondent

- 1. Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment ?*
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not ?*
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Kuldeep Singh, J. (Oral)

Appellants are aggrieved by the judgment dated 16.4.1999, passed by the Railway Claims Tribunal, Chandigarh Bench, Chandigarh (in short, 'the Tribunal'), vide which, on account of death of Waheed Shabir, in an untoward incident involving railway, Rs.four lakhs compensation was awarded.

The short ground pressed at the time of argument is that on account of love and affection and mental agony to the appellant, more compensation should be awarded.

I am of the view that under the Railway Claim Tribunal Act, 1987 and Railway Accidents and Untoward Incident (Compensation) Rules, 1990, in case of death, a fixed sum of Rs.four lakhs is allowed. No compensation under other heads is to be allowed. There are no merits in the

present appeal.

Resultantly, the appeal stands dismissed.

06.12.2016
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(Kuldip Singh)
Judge

Whether speaking/ reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

Yes
No