

FAO-1672 of 2002

DATE OF DECISION: 08.07.2017.

Bhajan Singh

...Appellant.

Versus

Balkar Singh and others

...Respondents.

Present: Mr. Bhajan Singh, appellant in person.

Mr. Rajesh Kumar Sharma, Advocate with
Mr. S.K. Takyar, Regional Manager of
United India Assurance Company.

SHEKHER DHAWAN, J.

This is an appeal brought by Bhajan Singh, the claimant for enhancement of compensation awarded to them in a sum of Rs.1,41,750/- vide award dated 08.11.2001 passed by the Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal, Patiala.

2. Today, the matter was taken up in the National Lok Adalat and the parties have arrived at an amicable settlement. Mr. Rajesh Kumar Sharma, Advocate with Mr. S.K. Takyar, Regional Manager of United India Assurance Company in his statement recorded today stated as under:-

“We agree to settle the matter and to pay additional sum of Rs.2,25,000/- (Rupees two lakhs twenty five thousands only) to the appellant within 45 days.”

3. Bhajan Singh, appellant, who is present in person has agreed to the said offer and has stated in his statement as under:-

“I agree with the above statement of the respondent-insurance company petitioner and accept the same and agree to receive additional sum of Rs.2,25,000/- (Rupees two lakhs twenty five thousands only) and withdraw the present appeal.”

4. In this view of the matter, the present appeal stands disposed of as settled. The respondent-Insurance Company shall deposit a demand draft/ crossed-cheque for Rs.2,25,000/- in favour of appellant-Bhajan Singh with the office of Lok Adalat of this Court within 45 days from today failing which, interest @ 9% per annum shall follow on this amount till payment from the date of the order. The concerned officer of the Lok Adalat Branch/ Office shall issue proper receipt after receiving the cheque/draft to learned counsel/ representative of the respondent-Insurance Company. On receipt of cheque/draft, the office shall inform the appellant who may collect the same from the office of Lok Adalat.

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
President

(AMAN DHIR)
Member

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	YES/NO
Whether reportable	:	YES/NO