

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

FAO No. 4600 of 2015

Date of decision:- 14.05.2018

Gruviner Singh

---Appellant.

Versus

Bhaga Ram and others

---Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE Mr. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present:- Mr. Sandeep Goyat, Advocate,
for appellant.

Ms. Alka Joshi, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

AVNEESH JHINGAN J. (Oral)

The present appeal arises from the award dated 13.03.2015 passed by Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Hisar (for short 'the Tribunal').

On 26.12.2010, a motor vehicular accident took place. Gurvinder Singh, aged 34 years, suffered grievous injuries. Offending vehicle in the said accident was a Canter bearing registration No.PB-05R-9530. FIR No. 1082 dated 17.12.2010 was registered at Police Station Sadar, Hisar.

A claim petition under Section 166 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (in short 'Act') was filed by the appellant. The Tribunal awarded a sum of Rs.8,64,206/- to the claimant.

The present appeal has been filed by the appellant for enhancement of compensation.

Learned counsel for the appellant has only argued that amount awarded under the heads of special diet, pain and suffering, attendant charges, transportation and loss of income is on the lower side. He further contends that the appellant was remained hospitalized for seven days. He

suffered 70% permanent disability qua the limb. He was operated upon. No other issue raised by him.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, it would be appropriate that the amount awarded by the Tribunal is enhanced by ₹50,000/-. The appellants/claimants would be entitled to interest at the rate of 6% per annum on the enhanced amount from the date of filing of the claim petition till realization of the amount.

Accordingly, the present appeal is partly allowed to the above extent.

14.05.2018

Riya Grover

(AVNEESH JHINGAN)

JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>