

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

FAO No.253 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 22.10.2018

Hardeep Kaur

... Appellant

Versus

Surjit Singh and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE REKHA MITTAL

Present : None for the claimant.

Mr. Gopal Mittal, Advocate for the insurance company.

REKHA MITTAL, J. (Oral)

The claimant is in appeal seeking enhancement of compensation on account of death of Sukha Singh in a motor vehicular accident that took place on 22.07.2015 when the deceased along with other passengers had gone for paying obeisance at Gurudwara Shri Manikaran Sahib.

The Tribunal has awarded compensation of Rs.3,50,000/-, detailed hereunder:-

1. Annual income of the deceased	Rs.15,000/-
2. Multiplier	15
3. Loss of dependency	Rs.2,25,000/-
4. Loss of love and affection	Rs.1,00,000/-
5. Funeral expenses	Rs.25,000/-

When the case is examined in the light of judgment of this Court **Baljit Singh and another Vs. Devi Lal and others, FAO No.391 of 2003, decided on 17.01.2018**, there is no justification for enhancement of compensation. Accordingly, compensation assessed by the Tribunal is affirmed.

The appeal stands disposed of.

22.10.2018

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(REKHA MITTAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes / No

Whether reportable:

Yes / No