

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.

FAO-3041 of 2017(O&M)
Date of Decision: February 27, 2018.

Karamjit Kaur and another
.....APPELLANT(s).

VERSUS

Balbir Singh and another
.....RESPONDENT(s).

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURINDER GUPTA

Present: Mr. Vivek Suri, Advocate
for the appellants (s).

SURINDER GUPTA, J.

Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Patiala (hereinafter referred to as 'the tribunal') vide award dated 31.01.2017 allowed compensation of ₹11,57,880/- for death of Kirpal Singh, husband of appellant No.1, father of appellant No.2, in a motor vehicle accident with Mahindra Pick Up bearing registration No. PB-11-AT-9827.

As the only issue involved in this appeal relates to quantum of compensation as awarded by Tribunal, detailed facts of the case are being skipped for the sake of brevity.

The Tribunal has allowed the compensation of ₹11,57,880/- which was computed as follows:-

SI No.	Heads	Calculation
i.	Name of the deceased	Kirpal Singh
ii.	Age of the deceased	48 years
Iii.	Income assessed	₹6,900 per month
iv.	Addition of 30%	₹6900+2070=8970

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v.	1/3rd of (ii) deducted as personal expenses of the deceased=	₹8970-₹2990=₹5980 per month
vi.	Compensation after multiplier of 13 is applied=	₹5980x12x13= ₹9,32,880/-
vii.	Loss of love and affection for claimants No. 1 & 2	₹1,00,000/- each
viii.	Funeral expenses	₹25,000/-
ix.	Total (iii) to (v)	₹9,32,880+ ₹ 2,00,000+ ₹25,000= 11,57,880/-

Learned counsel for the appellants during the course of the arguments admits that as per the law laid down by Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of *National Insurance Company Limited Vs. Pranay Sethi and others, 2017 (4) R.C.R.(Civil) 1009* no addition is required in the amount of compensation already awarded.

Consequently, this appeal has no merits.

Dismissed.

February 27, 2018.
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(SURINDER GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No