

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

Date of decision: 25.09.2019

FAO No.5478 of 2016 (O&M)

Vinod Devi

... Appellant

Versus

Ravi Saini and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE REKHA MITTAL

Present : Mr. Dalel S. Nain, Advocate for the claimant.

Mr. Ramesh Goyat, Advocate for driver and owner.

Mr. Sanjiv Pabbi, Advocate for the insurance company.

REKHA MITTAL, J. (Oral)

CM No.18865-CII of 2016

Prayer in this application is for condonation of delay of 154 days in filing the appeal.

In view of averments made in the application supported by an affidavit of the appellant coupled with that provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 providing for compensation are benevolent social legislation, application is allowed and delay of 154 days in filing the appeal is condoned subject to the condition that the claimant shall forgo interest for the period of delay, in case compensation is enhanced.

Main Case

For order, see detailed order of even date passed in connected appeal i.e. FAO No.1288 of 2016 titled 'The Oriental Insurance Co. Ltd. Vs. Vinod Devi and ors.'

25.09.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned:

Whether reportable:

(REKHA MITTAL)

JUDGE

Yes / No

Yes / No