

FAO No. 7352 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 16.9.2019

Sarabjit and others

---Appellants

versus

Union of India and others

---Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Rekha Mittal

**Present: Mr. Upender Prasher, Advocate
for the appellants**

Rekha Mittal, J.

CM No. 24452-CII of 2017

Prayer in this application is for condoning delay of 344 days in filing the appeal.

In view of averments made in the application and arguments advanced by counsel for the applicants, application is allowed and delay of 344 days in filing the appeal stands condoned.

Disposed of accordingly.

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The present appeal has been directed against award dated 5.9.2016 passed by the Railway Claims Tribunal, Chandigarh Bench, Chandigarh (in short “the Tribunal”), whereby one third of compensation awarded by the Tribunal to major claimant namely Sarbjit was paid and the rest was ordered to be deposited in fixed deposit.

The precise question involved in this case is whether the

Tribunal has rightly ordered for investing of compensation allowed to adult claimant in fixed deposit or otherwise.

The controversy raised in the present appeal is squarely covered by judgment of this court in **Amarjeet Singh and another vs. Union of India through General Manager FAO No. 2037 of 2019 and connected cases decided on 4.9.2019.**

Disposed of in the same terms.

(Rekha Mittal)
Judge

16.9.2019

PARAMJIT

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No