

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

**FAO No. 5627 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision: 30.09.2019**

Manjit Singh

...Appellant

V/s.

Veena Rani and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI.

Present: Mr. Gulzar Mohd., Advocate for the appellant.

RITU BAHRI, J. (Oral).

The appellant who is owner and driver of the offending vehicle, has come up in appeal against the award of the tribunal dated 04.05.2018 whereby he was held liable to pay the amount of compensation to the claimants keeping in view that the offending vehicle was not insured. He is challenging the findings of the tribunal on issues No. 1 and 2 and *inter alia* contends that merely registration of FIR, finding cannot be given in favour of the claimants that accident took place on account of his rash and negligent driving.

A perusal of the award shows that there is no delay in registration of FIR (Ex.P1) and after registration of FIR, investigation had been carried out and there was sufficient evidence to show that vehicle was involved in the accident as the driver was facing trial.

Hence, no ground for interference in the findings on issues No. 1 and 2 is made out.

Dismissed.

Pending applications also stand dismissed.

30.09.2019

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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No