

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

**FAO- 6235 of 2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 4.10.2019**

Malti Devi and others

---Appellants

versus

Union of India and others

---Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Rekha Mittal

**Present: Mr. Narender Kaajla, Advocate
for the appellants**

Rekha Mittal, J.

CM No. 20877-CII of 2019

Prayer in this application is for condoning delay of 301 days in filing the appeal.

Heard.

Allowed as prayed for. Delay of 301 days in filing the appeal stands condoned.

Disposed of accordingly.

Main case

The present appeal has been directed against award dated 31.8.2018 passed by the Railway Claims Tribunal, Chandigarh Bench, Chandigarh (in short “the Tribunal”), whereby Rs.50,000/-each were ordered to be paid to major claimants namely Malti Devi, Sachin Yadav and mother of deceased namely Kamla Devi (appellant No. 3 herein) and remaining amount was ordered to be deposited in the fixed deposit for a period of

three years.

The precise question involved in this case is, whether the Tribunal has rightly ordered for investing of compensation allowed to adult claimant(s) 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

4.10.2019

PARAMJIT

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No