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AKHTARI & ORS V/S WAHEED & ORS**

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Present:      Mr. Ashish Gupta, Advocate for the appellants.

Mr. Satpal Dhamija, Advocate  
for the respondent-Insurance Company with  
Mrs. Pushpa Bhardwaj, Manager, Mr. Vishal Malhotra, Assistant  
Manager.

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Taken up through video conferencing in the National Lok  
Adalat.

As agreed, as per statements of learned counsel for the  
appellants, learned counsel and representative of the respondent-Insurance  
Company (separately recorded), a sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakh  
only ) over and above the amount awarded by the Tribunal is allowed to the  
appellants in full and final settlement of the claim in this appeal.

Accordingly, we dispose off this case with a direction to the  
Insurance Company to deposit a crossed-cheque for Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees  
five lakh only) in the name of the appellants with the office of the Lok Adalat  
of the High Court within a period of four weeks from today, failing which,  
interest @ 9% per annum shall follow on this amount till payment from the  
date of this order. The enhanced amount of compensation shall also be  
disbursed amongst the legal representatives of the deceased in the same  
proportion as directed by the Tribunal. The concerned Officer of the Lok  
Adalat Branch/Office shall issue proper receipt after receiving the cheque to  
learned counsel/representative of the respondent-Insurance Company. The  
appellants' counsel/appellants may collect the cheque from the office of the  
Lok Adalat.

Copy of the order be supplied/sent to the counsel/parties and file  
be returned to the Hon'ble High Court.

**( ALKA SARIN )  
PRESIDENT**

**10<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**  
Yogesh Sharma

**( PAWAN K. MUTNEJA )  
MEMBER**