

**IN THE NATIONAL LOK ADALAT, PUNJAB AND HARYANA
HIGH COURT AT CHANDIGARH**

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FAO-4955-2018

RAJINDER KAUR AND ORS.

APPELLANTS

VERSUS

HARBIR SINGH SANDHU AND ANR.

RESPONDENTS

Present: Mr. H.S. Dhindsa, Advocate
for the appellants.

Mr. P.K.Kalra, Deputy Manager
for the respondent No.2-Oriental Insurance Company Ltd.

(The case has been taken up in National Lok Adalat through video conferencing on account of Covid-19 Pandemic).

The matter has been amicably settled between the parties.

Respondent No.2-Insurance Company has made an offer to settle the matter at Rs. 3,00,000/- over and above the amount awarded by the learned Motor Accident Claims Tribunal in full and final settlement of the claim in this appeal and the same has been accepted by learned counsel for the appellant.

As per the settlement effected between the parties, respondent No.2-Insurance Company shall pay a sum of Rs. 3,00,000/- over and above the amount which has already been awarded by the learned MACT. The amount shall be deposited within a period of four weeks before the learned MACT failing which respondent No.2-Insurance Company shall be liable to pay the enhanced amount of compensation with interest @ 9% per annum from the date of settlement before the Lok Adalat i.e. today. The enhanced amount of compensation shall be apportioned equally among the claimants.

The share of minor appellant Nos.3 to 5 in the enhanced amount of compensation shall be deposited in a fixed deposit in a nationalized bank to be payable to them at attaining the age of majority and no financial liability shall be

permissible on the aforesaid FDRs.

Disposed of accordingly.

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

(VIVEK PURI)
PRESIDENT

10.07.2021
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(NARESH S. SHEKHAWAT)
MEMBER