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SANTOSH DEVI AND ORS V/S BALJINDER SINGH AND ORS

Present: Mr.Virender Mandhan, Advocate for the appellants.

Mr.Nitin Gupta, Advocate, and
Mr.Harsh Aggarwal, Advocate, with
Mr.Rakesh Kumar, Manager, and
Mr.Manoj Kumar, Deputy Manager,
United India Insurance Company Limited.

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Power of Attorney on behalf of the Insurance Company has been filed today by Mr.Nitin Gupta, Advocate, which is placed on the record.

As agreed, as per statements of learned counsel for the appellants, learned counsel and representatives of the respondent – Insurance Company (separately recorded), a sum of ₹3,50,000/- (₹ Three Lac Fifty Thousand 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. As per the statement of learned counsel for the appellants, the enhanced amount be paid to appellant No.1 – Santosh Devi wife of late Ram Kumar.

Accordingly, we dispose of this case with a direction to the Insurance Company to deposit a crossed-cheque for ₹3,50,000/- in the name of appellant No.1 – Santosh Devi wife of late Ram Kumar with the office of the Lok Adalat of the High Court on or before 02.06.2022, in compliance of this order, failing which, interest @ 9% per annum shall follow on this amount till payment from the date of this order. 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

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Company. The appellant(s)' counsel/appellant(s) 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.

(R.K.Nehru)
President

(Ram Chand Gupta)
Member

19.04.2022
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