

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY**  
**CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**  
**INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 4059 OF 2023**  
**IN**  
**FIRST APPEAL (STAMP) NO. 31373 OF 2022**

Smt. Sharada Narendra Bhagwat & Anr. ...Applicants

**IN THE MATTER BETWEEN**

Secretary Maharashtra State Road  
Transport Corporation Ltd. Satara. ...Appellant

**Versus**

Smt. Sharada Narendra Bhagwat & Anr. ...Respondents

Mr. Manjeet Lotankar i/by Mr. D. D. Rananaware for the Appellant.

Mr. Manoj A. Patil for the Applicants/Respondents.

**CORAM : SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.**

**DATE : 24<sup>th</sup> APRIL, 2023.**

**P. C. :**

1. Learned Counsel for the Applicants submits that the deceased was the sole earning member of the Applicants' family. Applicants have no source of income. Applicants need amount for daily expenses. Hence, requested to allow the Application.

2. Learned Counsel for the Appellant-Insurance Company strongly objected to allow the Application on the ground that the Tribunal has considered monthly income of the deceased on higher side and on that basis exorbitant and excessive compensation is awarded.

Hence, requested to dismiss the Application.

3. I have heard both learned Counsel.

4. Deceased was sole earning member of the Applicants' family. Applicants have no source of income. Applicants need the amount for daily expenses. The issue raised by the learned Counsel for the Appellant can be considered at the time of final disposal of the Appeal. Hence, I pass following order :

#### **ORDER**

- i. Application is allowed.
- ii. The Applicants are permitted to withdraw 50% amount out of deposited amount alongwith accrued interest thereon, on furnishing an undertaking.
- iii. Application is disposed of.

**(SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.)**