

SAKILA AND OTHERS V/S PANKAJ AND OTHERS

Present: Mr.Rajesh Goyal, Advocate for the appellants.

Mr.Nigam Bhardwaj, Advocate, with
Mr.Rohan Thakur, Manager,
SBI Gen. Ins. Co. Ltd. - respondent No.3.

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Vide order dated 28.02.2023, on behalf of the appellants, proposal was made to enhance compensation by ₹4,90,000/- over and above the amount awarded by the MACT in full and final settlement of the claim in this appeal and the matter was adjourned for concurrence of the respondent-Insurance Company.

Today, learned counsel and representative of the Insurance Company state that Company is agreeable to pay only an amount of ₹2,80,000/- and not ₹4,90,000/- over and above the amount awarded by the MACT. This counter-offer of ₹2,80,000/- has been accepted by learned counsel for the appellants, who has signed the statement.

Thus, 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 ₹2,80,000/- (₹ Two Lakh Eighty 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 – Sakila widow of Ilyas.

Accordingly, we dispose of this case with a direction to the Insurance Company to deposit a crossed-cheque for ₹2,80,000/- in the name

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of appellant No.1-Sakila widow of Ilyas with the office of the Lok Adalat of the High Court on or before 11.07.2023, in compliance of this order, failing which, interest @ 9% per annum shall follow on this amount from the date of this order till payment. 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 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.

(Ram Chand Gupta)
President

(Raj Rahul Garg)
Member

09.05.2023
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