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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
CIVIL FIRST APPEAL (ST) NO. 13400 OF 2024
ALONGWITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 8631 OF 2024
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INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 8630 OF 2024**

Cholamandalam Ms General Insurance
Co. Ltd. ...Appellant
vs.

Ruksar Jamil Ahmad Shaikh And Ors. ...Respondents

**ALONGWITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11209 OF 2024
IN
CIVIL FIRST APPEAL (ST) NO. 13400 OF 2024**

Ruksar Jamil Ahmad Shaikh And Ors. ...Applicants
vs.

Cholamandalam Ms General Insurance
Co. Ltd. ...Respondents

Mr. Akshay R. Kulkarni i/by Sarhak S. Diwan	Advocate for Appellant/ Applicants
Adv. Salim Mohammad Shaikh	Advocate for the Applicants in IA 11209 of 2024

CORAM : S. M. MODAK, J.

DATE : 02nd SEPTEMBER 2024

P. C. :-

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 8630 OF 2024

1. Heard learned Advocate for the Applicant-Insurance Company

and learned Advocate for the Claimants/Respondent Nos. 1 to 5.

Respondent No. 6 is owner. Service report of the notice is awaited.

There is delay in filing an appeal. It is opposed. The owner was ex-parte before the Tribunal. Delay is condoned.

2. Interim application No. 8630 of 2024 is disposed of.

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3. Stay is granted to the execution of the award subject to deposit awarded amount alongwith interest within four weeks.

4. Interim application No. 8631 of 2024 is disposed of.

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5. Learned Advocate for the Respondent Nos. 1 to 5 waives notice of an appeal. Copy be given to him.

6. Issue notice before admission to the Respondent No. 6 returnable on 14th October 2024.

7. Record and proceeding is called.

8. Compilation be filed.

9. Matter be kept on **14th October 2024.**

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10. Heard learned Advocate for the Claimants and learned Advocate for the Insurance Company.

11. The amount deposited before the Tribunal is **01,10,49,319/-** (One Crore Ten lakhs Forty Nine thousand three hundred and nineteen rupees, that is mentioned in para no. 8 of this application.

12. Applicant No. 1 is wife of the deceased. Whereas Applicant Nos. 4 and 5 are the parents of the deceased. Applicant Nos. 2 and 3 are minor children of the deceased. As per impugned award apportionment made is as follows:-

- a) Claimant No. 1 to get 30%.
- b) Claimant Nos. 2 and 3 will get 25% each, but it is to be deposited till attain the age of majority.
- c) Claimants Nos. 4 and 5 will get 10% each.

13. So from the deposited amount 50% i.e. **Rs.55,24,659/-** is to be invested in the Fixed deposit in the name of minors Claimant Nos.2 and 3. The amount which remains is **Rs.55,24,659/-**¹. It is true that the children are the depending upon their mother. This needs to be considered. So also age of the Parents needs to be considered.

14. Hence following order is passed:-

ORDER

- (i) Applicant No. 1 – Ruksar Jamil Ahmad Shaikh is permitted to withdraw **Rs.25,00,000/-** in lump sum.
- (ii) Applicant No. 4-Mr. Mehmood Ahmed Noor Mohammed

¹ Modified

Shaikh and Applicant No.5-Mrs. Husna Bano Mehmood Ahmed Shaikh are permitted to withdraw **Rs.7,50,000/- each** in lump sum on furnishing usual undertaking.

- (iii) Applicant No. 1-Ruksar is permitted to apply before the tribunal for withdrawal of the interest that will accrue on fixed deposit of **Rs.55,24,659/-** invested in the name of the two minor children i.e. Applicant Nos. 2 and 3².
- (iv) Remaining amount after above disbursal be kept in deposit as per the Rules.

15. Interim Application No. 11209 of 2024 is disposed of.

[S. M. MODAK, J.]

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