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HIGH COURT LEGAL SERVICES COMMITTEE, CHENNAI
National Lok Adalat organised by the High Court Legal Services
Committee

Saturday, the 8th June 2024

LOK ADALAT AWARD

(Chapter VI and u/s 21 of Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987)
Presided over by

The Hon'ble Mr.JUSTICE N.SENTHILKUMAR
and

Members

1. Mr.K.Ramakrishnan
District Judge (Retd.)
2. Mrs.S.S.Jothivani
Senior Advocate

C.M.A.No.1695 of 2023

(Appeal against the judgment and decree passed on 11.01.2023
made in M.C.O.P.No.7852 of 2016 on the file of the Motor Accident
Claims Tribunal in the V – Court of Small Causes, Chennai.

Rathinamala

... Appellant/ Petitioner

Vs

1. V.R.Sankar (Exparte)
2. Cholamandalam MS General Insurance
Company Limited,
Thambu Chetty Street,
Chennai – 600 002.
3. M/s. Future General India Insurance
Company Limited,
No.55, Vijaya Raghava road, T. Nagar,
Chennai – 600 017.

... Respondents/ Respondents

This case is taken up for settlement before the National Lok
Adalat. Both the parties are present. Mr.R.Mohan Babu, learned counsel
for the Appellant and Mr.M.B.Ragavan, learned counsel for the third
respondent are present. After mutual discussion, negotiation, mediation



and conciliation between both parties, they arrived at a compromise to settle the matter as follows:

TERMS OF SETTLEMENT

The Tribunal has awarded a sum of Rs.2,00,000/-, with interest at 7.5% per annum, from the date of petition i.e.,23.12.2016 till the date of realisation. Aggrieved by the award of the Tribunal, the appellant / claimant had preferred the present appeal.

2. After due deliberation and consultation, both the parties have agreed to enhance the award to a sum of Rs.2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Only) in full quit as compensation.

3. The third respondent - Insurance Company is directed to deposit the amount of compensation now arrived at today within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, to the credit of M.C.O.P.No.7852 of 2016, on the file of the Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, V-Court of Small Causes, Chennai. On such deposit being made, the appellant / claimant is permitted to withdraw the amount on filing proper applications.

4. The Tribunal is directed to transfer the above said award amount to the Bank account of the appellant / claimant by way of NEFT / RTGS, on proper identification, in accordance with the terms of the award,



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5. The Civil Miscellaneous Appeal is disposed of accordingly.

No costs. Consequently, connected civil miscellaneous petition is closed.

Counsel for the Appellant

Counsel for the respondent

This Lok Adalat award is passed in terms of the above settlement.

The full Court fee paid shall be refunded to the appellant in the manner provided under Section 69-A of the Tamil Nadu Court-Fees and Suits Valuation Act, 1955 and the Court Fees Act, 1870 as provided for under sub Sec.1 of Section 21 r/w 25 of LSA Act 1987 as amended in 1994.

Judge

Member

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N.SENTHILKUMAR, J.

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To: The parties/Advocate concerned

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