



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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FAO-280-1995**Date of decision : 12.11.2024****Nafe Singh****..... Appellant****versus****Sawaran Singh and others****..... Respondents****CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN**

Present: Mr. Maneet Kaushik, Advocate for
Mr. Ashit Malik, Advocate
for the appellant.

Mr. Pardeep Goyal, Advocate
for respondent No.5-NIA.

PANKAJ JAIN, J.

1. Claimant is in appeal seeking enhancement of compensation awarded by MACT, Karnal in MACT case No.51 of 1992.
2. Appellant was one of the occupants of three wheeler that met with an accident on 05.12.1991 after a high speed car collided with the same. Appellant claimed that he was 20 year old man, earning Rs.1,800/- per month and working as a Labourer. He received multiple grievous injuries including fracture in his nasal bone, fracture of ribs, lacerated wound and abrasions on his legs. He was first taken to Arpana Hospital, Madhuban from where he was referred to General Hospital, Karnal and thereafter to Gandhi Orthopedic Nursing Home, Panipat. He had to undergo a prolonged treatment on which he spent more than Rs.12,000/- till the filing of the petition.



3. Tribunal assessed the compensation and awarded the claimant, an amount of Rs.35,000/-.
4. In the considered opinion of this Court, the aforesaid findings recorded by the Tribunal need to be modified. It has been proved on record that the claimant remained under treatment for two months and suffered permanent disability to the extent of 15% on account of nasal deviation and disfigurement of face.
5. Keeping in view the aforesaid factors, the compensation awarded is being tabulated as under:-

Medical expenses	Rs.12,000/-
Future medical expenses	Rs.10,000/-
Attendant charges	Rs.5,000/-
Special diet	Rs.5,000/-
Transportation	Rs.5,000/-
Loss of marriage prospects	Rs.50,000/-
Pain and suffering	Rs.50,000/-
Disability (930+40%x12x18x15%)	Rs.42,184/-
Loss of amenities of life	Rs.25,000/-

5. With the aforesaid modification on issue No.2, the present appeal is disposed off.

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(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No