

**NATIONAL LOK ADALAT**

**516 CM-13416-CII-2017 IN/AND
FAO-4403-2017
MANTLA & ORS. V/S SURJEET KUMAR & ORS.**

Present: Mr. Saurabh Dalal, Advocate for the appellants
Mr. Pardeep Kumar, Advocate for HDFC ERGO GIC

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This is an application filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act for condonation of delay of 10 days in filing the appeal.

For the reasons stated in the application and in view of the no objection from the respondent-Insurance Company, the same is allowed and the delay of 10 days in filing the present appeal is condoned.

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As agreed, as per statements of the learned counsel for the appellants as well as counsel for Insurance Company, separately recorded, a sum of Rs.1,70,000/- over and above the amount already awarded by the Tribunal, is awarded to the appellants. Counsel further submitted that the entire enhanced amount be paid to the appellants in proportion as awarded by the learned MACT, in full & final satisfaction of the claim.

Accordingly, we dispose of this case with a direction to the Insurance Company to deposit a crossed-cheque in the sum of Rs.1,70,000/- favouring all the appellants with the Office of the Lok Adalat of the High Court within a period of six weeks from today. Failing compliance of the order, interest @ 9% per annum shall follow on this amount till payment from the date of this order. The appellants' counsel may collect the cheques/drafts from the office of the Lok Adalat. The office shall retain the photocopy of the cheques/drafts bearing signatures of the counsel for the appellant/appellants.

Appeal stands disposed of.

Copy of this order be supplied/sent to the counsel/parties and file be consigned to record.

**(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE**

**(AASHISH CHOPRA)
MEMBER**

14.09.2024