

Daily Lok Adalat

Bench No.4

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FAO-6657-2018 (O&M)

JOGA SINGH ALIAS JOGINDER V/S SANJAY KUMAR AND ORS

Present:- Mr. Naveen Daryal, Advocate
for the appellant.

Mr. A.S. Sidhu, Advocate
for respondent No.3-IFFCO TOKIO General Insurance Company Ltd.

AWARD OF LOK ADALAT BENCH NO.4

CM-23138-CII-2018

In the backdrop of settlement between the parties, the Insurance Company has not opposed the condonation of delay of 387 days in filing the present appeal at any juncture and as such, in view of the settlement that has been arrived between the parties, the delay in filing the appeal is condoned.

Main case

On 24.01.2024, following order was passed:-

Learned counsel for the appellant states that in case an amount of Rs.2,00,000/- is paid, over and above the amount already paid to the appellant then this appeal can be settled.

Learned counsel for respondent No.3-Insurance Company seeks an adjournment to get instructions from the Insurance company.

On his request, adjourned to 31.01.2024.

Today, learned counsel for the Insurance Company has stated that the Insurance Company has agreed to enhance the compensation only by Rs.1,90,000/- and not by Rs. 2,00,000/- and has signed to that effect. Learned counsel for the appellant has agreed to this counter offer of the respondent-Insurance Company. Statements of learned counsel for the appellant as well as counsel for the Insurance Company, separately recorded.

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Accordingly, we dispose of this case with a direction to the Insurance Company to deposit cheque for Rs.1,90,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Ninety Thousand Only) favouring appellant-Joga Singh with the office of the Lok Adalat of the High Court on or before 30.03.2024. Failing compliance of the order, interest @ 9% per annum shall follow on this amount till payment from the date of this order. The appellant's counsel may collect the cheque from the office of the Lok Adalat after retaining the photocopy of the cheque/draft bearing signatures of the Counsel.

Appeal stands disposed of.

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

(JASBIR SINGH)
PRESIDENT

(B.C. GUPTA)
MEMBER

02.02.2024
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