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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
NATIONAL LOK ADALAT

+ **FAO 225/2016**

RELIANCE GENERAL INSURANCE CO LTD

.....Appellant

Through: Mr. A.K. Soni and Mr. Pavan
Kumar, Advs. with Mr. Sahil
Gupta, Legal Manager.

versus

ARJUN KUMAR & ANR

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. R.K. Nain and Mr.
Chandan Prajapati, Advs. for R-
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CORAM: NATIONAL LOK ADALAT

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DHARMESH SHARMA

MR. K. VENKATRAMAN, ADVOCATE (CO-MEMBER)

ORDER

% **14.12.2024**

The appellant/Insurance Company has filed the instant appeal for reduction of the award dated 04.03.2016 passed by learned Commissioner under the Employees' Compensation Act, 1923 awarding the compensation of Rs. 9,98,304/- along with interest @ 12% per annum from the date of claim petition.

On appeal being admitted for hearing, the Insurance Company has deposited the entire award amount of compensation with accrued interest before the Commissioner under the Employees' Compensation Act, 1923 and 40% of the deposited amount has already been released to the appellant/claimant.

It is noted that the awarded amount along with accrued interest amounted to Rs. 11,64,574/- which stood deposited by the appellant



on 04.04.2016 before the Commissioner under Employees' Compensation, District North.

It is agreed between the parties that out of the deposited amount along with accrued interest, a lump sum amount of Rs. 50,000/- shall be refunded to the Insurance Company and the balance deposited amount along with accrued interest shall be released to the respondent No. 1/claimant.

In view of the above the concerned Commissioner under the Employees' Compensation is directed to refund the lump sum amount of Rs. 50,000/- to the Insurance Company and release the balance amount along with accrued interest lying deposited with the concerned Commissioner under Employees' Compensation to the respondent No. 1, subject to fulfillment of all the requisite formalities.

The present appeal alongwith the pending application(s), if any, is disposed of in terms of the foregoing settlement.

(DHARMESH SHARMA)
PRESIDING OFFICER

K. VENKATRAMAN
CO-MEMBER

DECEMBER 14, 2024/gunn