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HIGH COURT LEGAL SERVICES COMMITTEE, CHENNAI

National Lok Adalat organised by the High Court Legal Services
Committee

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Saturday, the 13 day of December, 2025

NATIONAL LOK ADALAT AWARD

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

Presided over by

The Hon'ble Mr.JUSTICE P.B.BALAJI
and

Members

Mr.N.Balasubramanian, District Judge (Retd)

Mr.P.Kannan, Advocate

CMA.No.3819 of 2025

Appeal against the Judgment and decree dated 21.10.2024 passed
in M.C.O.P.No.6142 of 2018 on the file of the Special Sub Court I (Motor
Accidents Claims Tribunal), Small Causes Court, Chennai.

V.Palaniammal (Died)

1.V.Ayyammuthu

(Physically and Mentally Challenged)

Represented by his grand father and

natural guardian and next friend S.Ayyanar

...Appellant

Vs.

1.Karthik Travels

2.The Oriental Insurance Company Ltd,

Motor Third Party Claims Hub,

Oriental House, 2nd Floor,

No.216, Prakasam Salai, Broadway,

Chennai - 600 001.

...Respondents



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This case is taken up for settlement before the National Lok Adalat. Both the parties are present. Mr.R.Kalaiarasan, learned counsel for appellant and Mr.J.Chandran, T.Killivalavan, R.Ranganatha Naidu learned counsel for the second 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 Claimant is the appellant challenging the award of the Tribunal to the tune of Rs.11,40,000/- awarded by the Tribunal in M.C.O.P.No.6142 of 2018 dated 21.10.2024.

2. Today, 13.12.2025, the officials of the Insurance Company and the appellant/claimant along with their respective counsels are present. The appellant is not only physically challenged by also mentally challenged and he is also represented by his guardian and grand father and next friend viz., Ayyanar.

3. After negotiation, the parties have now arrived a sum of Rs.6,00,000/- over and above the lower Court awarded amount in full quit. We are satisfied that the interest of the mentally challenged appellant is sufficiently taken care of.



4. It is brought to the notice that the amount awarded by the Tribunal has already been deposited and withdrawn. The remaining amount shall be deposited within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this award.

5. On such deposit, the claimant is permitted to withdraw the enhanced amount without filing any formal petition. Award is passed accordingly.

6. The Tribunal is directed to transfer the amount through RTGS/NEFT to the parties concerned on proper identification in accordance with the terms of the award, without insisting on any formal permission petition. The Civil Miscellaneous Appeal is disposed of accordingly.

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Counsel for the Appellant

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Counsel for the 2nd 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

Member

To:
The parties/Advocate concerned

Copy to:

- 1.The Special Sub Court I (Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal), Small Causes Court, Chennai.
- 2.The Secretary, High Court Legal Services Committee, Chennai.
- 3.The Section Officer, V.R.Section, High Court, Madras.
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