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HIGH COURT LEGAL SERVICES COMMITTEE, MADURAI
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai - 625023

Saturday the 13th day of December 2025
NATIONAL LOK ADALAT AWARD
(Chapter VI and u/s 21 of Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987)

Presided Over by
The Honourable Mr Justice G. CHOCKALINGAM (Rtd.,)
and
Members
Mr.K.R.Mathura Sekaran Rtd., District Judge and
Advocate Mr.P.Ganapathy Subramanian

CMA(MD) No.1165 of 2025
(Appeal against the judgment and decree passed on 02/04/2025 in
MCOP.87/2021 on the file of the Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal,
Additional District Court(FTC), Tenkasi)

The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation Ltd, Trivandrum Road,
Tirunelveli.

...Appellant/s

Versus

1.Meeran Mohaideen

2.Minor Sharook Fathima

(second respondent /minor rep., through her father natural guardian/first
respondent)

3.Arumugasamy

(3rd respondent is set *ex-parte* in lower court. Hence notice may dispense
with)

...Respondent/s

This case came up for settlement before the Lok Adalat. Both the parties
present. The counsel for the appellant/s Mr.S.Micheal Heldon Kumar and
the counsel for the respondents 1 and 2 Mr.L.Siva are present. After
mutual discussion, negotiation, mediation and conciliation between both
parties and with the assistance of the Bench, both sides consented for



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settlement.

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AWARD

The Transport Corporation has filed the above appeal challenging the award passed by the Tribunal. Now, the parties have arrived at a settlement for a sum of **Rs.18,00,000/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs only)** as full quit. The same is recorded.

2.The appellant / Transport Corporation is directed to deposit the said amount within a period of eight weeks from today, less the amount already deposited, if any. If the amount is not deposited within that period, the award amount will carry interest at the rate of 9% per annum from the date of petition till the date of deposit. The first claimant is entitled to withdraw the award amount of Rs.6,00,000/- by filing a formal application before the Tribunal. A memo filed today i.e., on 13.12.2025 along with birth certificate as well as Aadhar Card to the effect that the second claimant attained majority. Hence, the second claimant is permitted to withdraw the award amount of Rs.12,00,000/- by filing a formal application before the Tribunal.

The Managing Director
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Tirunelveli.

Counsel for the Appellant/s

1.Meeran Mohaideen



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2.Sharook Fathima

Counsel for the Respondent/s

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 Tamilnadu 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.

The Original of the award shall be place in the court record and copy of the award, kept with High Court Legal Services Committee and one copy each is furnished to both parties free of cost.

In agreement of the above, both parties and their counsel have affixed their signatures/ thumb impressions in presence of the Lok Adalat Bench admitting the terms and today conditions and accordingly, the award is passed.

JUDGE

MEMBER

MEMBER

To: The Parties/Advocate concerned
Copy To

1. Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal, Additional District Court(FTC), Tenkasi
2. The Officer-in-Charge, High Court Legal Services Committee, Madurai.
3. The Section Officer, V.R. Section, Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.



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