BEFORE NATIONAL LOK ADALAT (PHYSICAL)
DATED 12.09.2026
(Held at JHARKHAND HIGH COURT)

(Organized by High Court Legal Services Committee under Section 19, Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (Central Act).

M.A. No. 125 of 2021

Petitioner(s)/ Appellant(s):-

M/s National Insurance Company Ltd, represented through Divisional Manager, Sheela Sadan, City Centre, Sector IV, B.S. City Bokaro, PO- B.S. City, PS-Sector-IV, Dist-Bokaro.

Presently the appellant is duly represented through its Assistant Manager, National Insurance Company Limited, Jharkhand Legal Cell, Kutchery Road, Post Office-GPO., Police Station, Kotwali, Dist-Ranchi. (Insurer of Tanker Bearing No. JH02E9606)

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Respondent/O.P.(s):

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2. Manoj Kumar Singh, S/o Late Futukachand Singh,
   Both residents of Sector 9 “D”, Street, 37j, Qr. No.913j, PO & PS-Harla, Dist-Bokaro.
3. Angad Kumar Upadhyay, S/o Prakash Chandra Upadhyay, Resident of Gopidih, PO & PS-Korane, Dist-Jamui, Bihar.
   At present resident of Dhansar Ashok Vihar, PO & PS-Dhansar, Dist-Dhanbad, Jharkhand. (Owner of Tanker bearing registration no. JH-02E-9606)

4. Vinod Mandal, S/o Khiru Mandal, resident of Nurango, PO-Nayetand Samarakho, P.S.-Dumri, Dist-Giridih, (Driver of Tanker bearing registration no. JH02E9606).

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Present:-

Name of the Hon’ble Judge:- **SRI ANANDA SEN, J.**
Name of Advocate: Mr. Sunil Singh, Advocate

AWARD

This matter is taken up in National Lok Adalat.

2. The parties are present.

3. The Pre-National Lok Adalat Conciliation Agreement by forwarding letter dated 11.9.2026 Jharkhand High Court Legal Services Committee is on record.

4. The parties have submitted that they have agreed to terms and conditions of settlement as per Pre- National Lok Adalat Conciliation Agreement.

5. Accordingly, the matters are settled in terms of Pre-National Lok Adalat Conciliation Agreement dated 11.09.2026.

6. The Pre-National Lok Adalat Conciliation Agreement is directed to form part of this Award and at the time of issuance of certified copy of this Award, a copy of the Pre-National Lok Adalat Conciliation Agreement be also furnished by the office along with the certified copy of the order.

7. The Tribunal has awarded Rs.7.1 Lakh, which is under challenge. The parties have settled the matter at Rs.6 Lakh. Out of Rs.6 Lakh, Rs.5 Lakh has been deposited before the High Court which needs to be transmitted to the Tribunal, who will disburse the same immediately to the claimants. Out of balance of Rs.1 lakh, Rs.50,000/- has already been paid to the claimant at the very initial stage under Section 140 of the Motor Vehicle Act. The balance amount of Rs.50,000/- should be deposited with the Tribunal within 10 days from today which will also be paid to the claimants. Rest of the terms of the settlement which has been arrived at between the parties will remain the same.

8. The statutory amount, so deposited, if any, will be refunded to the Insurance Company.

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Sign. of Hon’ble Judge Sign. of Advocate Member

(Seal of HCLSC)