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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

(117)

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Date of Decision: - 17.02.2026

Dharamwati and others

....Appellants

Versus

Balram and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present:- Mr. Mohan Singh Rana, Advocate
for the appellants.

Mr. Sanjeev Kodan, Advocate, and
Ms. Nandini Gupta, Advocate, (Through VC).
for respondent No.3.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

1. Widow, daughter and two sons of the deceased Sunder, have filed the present appeal for enhancement of compensation. The Tribunal vide award dated 08.11.2017 had granted compensation to the tune of Rs.13,93,000/- along with interest on account of death of Sunder, which took place in a vehicular accident on 13.10.2016.

2. It has been jointly submitted before this Court that during the pendency of the case, the matter has been settled vide agreement dated 02.02.2026 before the Mediation & Conciliation Centre of this Court and as per the said agreement, an amount of Rs.4 lakhs is to be paid as additional compensation to the appellants by respondent No.3. It is further



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jointly submitted that the compromise is voluntarily and it is prayed that the appeal be disposed of in terms of the said compromise. It is further submitted that the present appeal is also for the benefit of appellant No.5 who is mother of the deceased and is now being represented through legal representatives.

3. Keeping in view the above-said facts and circumstances, the present appeal is partly allowed and the award dated 08.11.2017 is modified and the present appellants are held entitled to additional compensation of Rs.4,00,000/- as full and final settlement and respondent No.3-insurance company is directed to pay the said amount within a period of six weeks from today.

February 17, 2026
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(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No