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FAO No.1704 of 2020 (O&M)

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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1. CM-16180-CII-2024 in/and
FAO No.68 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: **January 12th, 2026**
Sukhandeep SinghAppellant

Versus

Vipul Nagpal and anotherRespondents

2. FAO No.1704 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: **January 12th, 2026**
Vipul NagpalAppellant

Versus

Harinder Singh and anotherRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Mr. Jaideep Verma, Advocate
for the appellant in FAO-68-2024
for respondent No.2 in FAO-1704-2020.

Mr. Gurneet Singh Budhiraja, Advocate
for the appellant in FAO-1704-2020
for applicant-respondent No.1.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

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This is an application filed under Order 22 Rule 4 read with
Section 151 CPC for bringing on record the legal heir of respondent No.1

For the reasons stated in the application which is supported by an
affidavit, the present application is allowed and legal representative of
respondent No.1-Vipul Nagpal is ordered to be impleaded as party subject to



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just exceptions and solely for the purpose of pursuing the main appeal and the same would not be construed as an adjudication on the entitlement of the estate of respondent No.1.

Amended memo of parties is taken on record.

CM-68-CII-2020 in FAO-68-2020

Present application has been filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act for condonation of delay of 740 days in filing the present appeal.

For the reasons mentioned in the application, which is duly supported by an affidavit, present application is allowed and the delay of 740 days in filing the present appeal is hereby condoned.

CM-70-CII-2020 in FAO-68-2020

This is an application filed under Order 1 Rule 10 read with Section 151 CPC to implead Sahibzada Ajit Singh Academy, Rupnagar, as respondent.

Learned counsel for the appellant submits that he does not press the present application.

Dismissed as not pressed.

CM-5174-CII-2020 in FAO-1704-2020

Present application has been filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act for condonation of delay of 798 days in filing the present appeal.

For the reasons mentioned in the application, which is duly supported by an affidavit, present application is allowed and the delay of 798



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days in filing the present appeal is hereby condoned.

Main cases

1. The present order would dispose of two appeals. The first is FAO-68-2020 which has been filed by Sukhandeep Singh, who is the driver of the offending vehicle. The second appeal is FAO-1704-2020 which has been filed by claimant-Vipul Nagpal. In the present cases, admittedly the vehicle in question was not insured.
2. Learned counsel for the appellants as well as respondents in both the cases have pointed out that during the pendency of the present appeals, the matter has been compromised vide compromise deed dated 27.11.2025, a copy of which has been handed over to the Court which is taken on record as Mark ‘A’. It is submitted that as per the compromise, a total amount of compensation which was agreed to be paid by the driver as well as the owner of the vehicle in question was ₹15 lakh and the said amount has already been paid in the execution proceedings. It has been jointly submitted that in view of the said compromise, the present appeals have rendered infructuous and be disposed of as such.
3. In view of the above, the present appeals are disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.
4. Pending application, if any, stands disposed of.
5. Photocopy of this order be placed on the file of connected case.

January 12th, 2026
Puneet

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No