



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

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**FAO-4699-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision : 08.10.2025**

Babita and others**..... Appellants**

versus

Dharmender and others**..... Respondents****CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN**

Present: Mr. Vijay Sangwan, Advocate
for the appellants.

PANKAJ JAIN, J. (Oral)**CM-17454-CII-2024**

This is an application for condonation of delay of 130 days in filing the appeal.

For the reasons mentioned in the application, the same is allowed. Delay of 130 days in filing the appeal stands condoned.

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1. Claimants are in appeal aggrieved of award dated 18.01.2024 passed by MACT, Narnaul.
2. Tribunal while ascertaining the compensation payable to the claimants, has taken the income of the deceased as Rs.11,000/- per month, which is as per the evidence brought on record in shape of Ex.P3/A. Keeping in view the age of the deceased, 25% of future prospects have been rightly granted in terms of ratio of law laid down in '*National Insurance Company Limited vs. Pranay Sethi and others*', (2017) 16 SCC 680. Multiplier of 14 has been rightly applied in light of



‘Smt. Sarla Verma & others vs. Delhi Transport Corporation & another’ (2009) 6 SCC 121. Loss of consortium of Rs.40,000/- has been ordered to be entitlement of each of the claimants. Likewise, under the conventional heads also, the award has been appropriately passed.

3. In view thereof, finding no scope to interfere, the present appeal is ordered to be dismissed.

(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

08.10.2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether Reportable : No