



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

264-I

FAO No.2632 of 2022 (O & M)**Date of decision :-25.03.2025****Sanjiv Singh****.....Appellant****Versus****Sukhwinder Singh and others****.....Respondents****CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA**

Present:- None for the appellant.

NIDHI GUPTA J. (Oral)

The appellant has filed the present appeal for enhancement of the compensation awarded by the learned Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Chandigarh.

The matter pertains to the year 2022 and notice in the same has not yet been issued. On the last date of hearing i.e. 02.12.2022, this Court has passed the following order :-

“Even on second round, nobody has put in appearance on behalf of appellant(s).

In the interest of justice, adjourned to 12.9.2023.

Registry to inform learned counsel for the appellant(s) about the next date of hearing.

A photocopy of this order be placed in the file(s) of connected matter(s).”

Even today there is no representation on behalf of appellant.



A bare reading of the above facts shows that the appellant has exhibited an utterly casual attitude in the pursuit of the present litigation. It is to be appreciated that very valuable public time of the Court has been expended in affording opportunities to the appellant in the interest of justice. On the other hand, the appellant has adopted an utterly casual and careless approach. It is clear that neither the applicant-appellant nor its counsel are seriously interested in pursuing the present matter. Thus, this Court is left with no other option except to **dismiss** the same for non-prosecution.

Ordered accordingly.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stands disposed of.

March 25, 2025

Vijay Asija

(**NIDHI GUPTA**)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No