



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

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FAO-12-2008

Date of decision : 29.08.2025

Balbir Singh**..... Appellant****versus****Satnam Singh and others****..... Respondents****CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN**

Present: Mr. Rupam K. Aggarwal, Advocate
for the appellant.

Mr. Rajiv Malhotra, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Ravinder Arora, Advocate and
Ms. Alisha Bindal, Advocate
for the respondent-Insurance Co.

PANKAJ JAIN, J. (Oral)

1. Claimant is in appeal seeking enhancement of compensation for the injuries suffered by him in a motor vehicle accident dated 12.03.2002. The claimant was sitting on the back seat of the bus. He fell down on the road and was seriously injured. He suffered multiple fractures in both the legs as well as in the wrist. He had to undergo multiple surgeries from 13.03.2002 to 02.04.2002 for 21 days. Tribunal awarded him an amount of Rs.34,750, i.e. medical expenses on actual basis and Rs.48,600/- i.e. hospitalization charges. Lump sum amount of Rs.5,000/- was awarded as attendant charges. Rs.25,000/- has been awarded for 12% permanent disability and was also awarded compensation of Rs.85,000/- under miscellaneous heads. A total compensation of Rs.1,83,600 was awarded.



2. After hearing counsel for the parties and after perusing records of the case, this court finds that the compensation needs to be enhanced and the same is tabulated as under:-

Medical expenses	34,7500 + 48,600 on actual basis
Attendant charges	10,000
Special diet	10,000
For 12% permanent disability	1,00,000
The injured was 20 years old. Hence loss of enjoyment	50,000
Loss of matrimonial prospects	1,00,000
Pain and suffering	1,00,000
Loss of amenities	50,000
Loss of earning	15,000

3. Interest awarded by the Tribunal @ 9% per annum is maintained.

4. With the aforesaid modifications in the impugned order, the present appeal is disposed off.

(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether Reportable : No