


MHKO010000572020 	Order passed below Exh.24 in M.A.C.P No.15/2020
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The applicants are seeking to amend the claim petition contending that, the original claimant died on 08/12/2021 due to the injuries sustained by him in the motor accident in question and prior to that he was under continuous medical treatment. The applicants want to incorporate necessary pleadings for changing the cause tile from 'claim for injury' to 'claim for death' and also to bring on record the particulars such as loss of dependency, medical expenses, loss of estate, etc.

2. The application is resisted by the opponent on the grounds that, the nature of the original petition will be changed because of the proposed amendment. Besides, the applicants have not placed on record relevant documents regarding the medical treatment.

3. I have heard the Ld. Advocates for the parties.

4. The claim was initially filed by one Jaypal Bandu Bhojkar for compensation in respect of the injuries caused to him in the motor accident dated 01/11/2019 involving the

ST Bus No.MH-14/BT-1116. It is a matter of record that, after his death on 08/12/2021, the present applicants have been brought on record. It is the contention of the applicants that, prior to his death the applicant was under continuous medical treatment and his death occurred because of the accidental injuries. In such circumstances, it would be in the larger interest of justice to allow the applicants to amend the claim petition as prayed. No prejudice will be caused to the opponents. The amendment would not change the nature of the claim and it will be for the applicants to establish by adducing evidence that the death of the original claimant was result of the accidental injuries. In the circumstances, the application is required to be allowed. Hence, following order :-

ORDER

- 1) Application is allowed.
- 2) The applicants shall carry out the amendment as prayed expeditiously and place on record the copy of the amended petition.

Kolhapur..
Date:04/04/2026.

(R.V. Utpat)
Member, M.A.C.T., Kolhapur.

I affirm that the contents of this P.D.F. file order are same, word to word, as per the original order.

Name of the Stenographer	Mr. R. R. Patil
Name of Court	Mr. R. V. Utpat, Member, MACT, Kolhapur.
Date of Dictation	04/04/2026.
Order signed by the P.O. on	05/04/2026.
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