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NAFR**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****MAC No. 1643 of 2019**

1 - Smt. Leela Bai W/o Late Birbal Ram Aged About 45 Years R/o Village Sugapara, Joradol Tildega, At Present Chidora, Tahsil Kansabel, District Jashpur Chhattisgarh., District : Jashpur, Chhattisgarh

2 - Minor Nilesh S/o Late Birbal Ram Aged About 16 Years Minor Through Next Friend Appellant No. 1, R/o Village Sugapara, Joradol Tildega, At Present Chidora, Tahsil Kansabel, District Jashpur Chhattisgarh., District : Jashpur, Chhattisgarh

3 - Minor Lailash S/o Late Birbal Ram Aged About 14 Years Minor Through Next Friend Appellant No. 1, R/o Village Sugapara, Joradol Tildega, At Present Chidora, Tahsil Kansabel, District Jashpur Chhattisgarh. (Claimants), District : Jashpur, Chhattisgarh

... Appellant**Versus**

1 - Premier Transport Limited Shivshakti Complex Gorkha, Raigarh Chhattisgarh, Address Mentioned In The Insurance Policy Power House Road, Opposite Nirmal Market, Rouarkela District Sundargarh Orissa. (Owner), District : Sundargarh, Orissa

2 - Subhash Chandra S/o Pratap Singh @ Rampratap Aged About 33 Years Occupation - Driver, R/o Village - Naari, Police Station Chidawa, District Jhunjunu (Rajasthan) Through Premier Transport Limited Shivshakti Complex, Gorkha, Raigarh Chhattisgarh. (Driver), District : Raigarh, Chhattisgarh

3 - Icici Lombard General Insurance Company Limited Grond Floor, Commercial Bhawan, Devendra Nagar, Raipur, District Raipur Chhattisgarh. (Insurer), District : Raipur, Chhattisgarh

... Respondents*[Cause-title taken from Case Information System (CIS)]*

For Appellant	:	Mr. Shrikant Kaushik, Advocate
For Respondents1-2	:	Ms. Sakshi Chhabra, Advocate
For Respondent-3	:	Mr. Animesh Pathak, Advocates on behalf of Mr. Amrito Das, Advocate



Single Bench: Hon'ble Shri Justice Sanjay K. Agrawal
(Order on Board)

30.03.2026

1. At the very outset, learned counsel for the appellants submits that in addition to the amount of compensation awarded by the Claims Tribunal, the appellant No.01/claimant is further entitled for an amount of Rs.40,000/- on head of loss of consortium.
2. The aforesaid submission has not been disputed by the learned counsel appearing for the respondents.
3. Accordingly, the amount of compensation of Rs.12,39,600/- awarded by the Claims Tribunal is enhanced to Rs.12,79,600/-. Hence, after deducting the amount of Rs.12,39,600 /-, the claimant No.1 is held entitled for an additional amount of **Rs.40,000/-**. The concerned respondent No.3 is directed to deposit the amount of compensation as enhanced by this Court within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of copy of this order. The additional amount of compensation shall carry interest @ 6% *per annum* from the date of filing of claim application before the Tribunal till its realization. Rest of the conditions of the impugned award shall remain intact.
4. With aforesaid modification in the impugned award, this appeal stands **partly allowed** to the extend indicated herein above.

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(Sanjay K. Agrawal)
Judge