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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

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MAC.APP. 213/2019

UNITED INDIA INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED Appellant

Through: Mr. Manoj Aggarwal, Ms. Mehak
Dogra and Mr. Abhinandan Jain, Advs.

versus

SUNAINA DEVI & ORS

..... Respondent

Through: Mr. Pallavi

Awasthi

with

Mr. R.P. Pandey, Advs.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE REKHA PALLI

ORDER

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12.12.2022

CM APPL. 51795/2022 -Release of amount.

1. This is an application filed by the respondents seeking release of the awarded amount deposited by the appellant.
2. Though no reply to the present application has been filed by the petitioner, keeping in view that the appellant is primarily assailing the quantum of compensation awarded by the learned MACT by alleging that there was contributory negligence, the respondent nos. 1-4 are justified in praying that atleast 50% of the amount be released in their favour.
3. Since the appellant has already deposited the awarded amount with the Registrar General of this Court, it would be in the interest of justice to direct release of 50% of the awarded amount in favour of the respondents.
4. The application is, accordingly, allowed by directing the Registry to forthwith release 50% of the amount deposited by the appellant along



with upto date interest accrued thereon in favour of the respondent
nos.1 to 4.

MAC.APP. 213/2019 & CM APPL. 5986/2019 -Stay.

5. List on 23.05.2023.

REKHA PALLI, J

DECEMBER 12, 2022

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