

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU
[RELIANCE GENERAL INS.CO.LTD., VS. SRI SRINIVASAMURTHY
AND OTHERS]

09.06.2026
(VIDEO CONFERENCING / PHYSICAL HEARING)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVASHANKAR AMARANNAVAR

ORAL ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the appellant.

Learned counsel for the appellant submits that, the plea of contributing negligence has not been considered by the Tribunal. The compensation awarded under Conventional Heads is on higher side.

Considering the same and pending consideration of I.A.No.1/2026 for condonation of delay, the following:

ORDER

- a) I.A.No.2/2026 is allowed.
- b) The execution of the award dated 09.01.2026 passed in MVC No.6814/2024 by XVIII Additional Judge and ACJM, Court of Small Causes, SCCH-4, Bengaluru, is stayed subject to following conditions:

- i) The appellant shall deposit 50% of the award amount within six weeks from this day before the Tribunal.
- ii) Learned counsel for appellant submits that, 50% of the amount deposited by the appellant may be released in favour of the claimants. Hence, the Tribunal is directed to release the amount deposited by the appellant to the claimants as per award.

List this matter on 11.08.2026.

(SHIVASHANKAR AMARANNAVAR)
JUDGE

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