



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA

KALABURAGI BENCH

DATED THIS THE 23RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE E.S.INDIRESH

MISCL. FIRST APPEAL NO. 201007 OF 2018 (MV-I)

BETWEEN:

THE MANAGER,
RELIANCE GENERAL INS.CO.LTD.
NEAR KALABURAGI COMPLEX,
3RD FLOOR, DESHPANDE NAGAR, HUBLI,
(NOW REPRESENTED BY AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY,
HUBLI).

...APPELLANT

(BY SMT. PREETI PATIL MELKUNDI, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. MUDUKAPPA S/O HANUMANTRAYA
AGE: 25 YEARS, OCC: AGRIL,
R/O. BETTADUR, TQ. MANVI,
NOW R/O. NIJALINGAPPA COLONY,
RAICHUR-584101.
2. SYED BABA S/O SYED MAHABOOB ALI,
AGE: 29 YEAR, OCC: DRIVER OF LORRY
NO.KA-25/B-4643,
R/O.H.NO.2-8-1/3, SIYA TALAB,
RAICHUR-584101.
3. SYED HUSSAIN S/O MAHABOOB ALI,
MAJOR, OCC: OWNER OF LORRY BEARING NO.





KA-25/H-4643,
R/O. H.NO.12-8-59,
SIYA TALAB,
RAICHUR - 584101.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI VEERANAGOUDA MALIPATIL, ADVOCATE
FOR R2 & R3;
V/O DTD.29.04.2025 NOTICE TO R1 IS HELD SUFFICIENT)

THIS MFA IS FILED UNDER SECTION 173(1) OF THE
MOTOR VEHICLES ACT, PRAYING TO ALLOW THE ABOVE
APPEAL BY SETTING ASIDE THE IMPUGND JUDGMENT AND
AWARD DATED 06.02.2018 IN MVC NO.213/2016 PASSED BY
THE II ADDL.DIST.AND SESSIONS JUDGE AND ADDL.MACT AT
RAICHUR.

THIS APPEAL, COMING ON FOR FINAL HEARING, THIS
DAY, JUDGMENT WAS DELIVERED THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE E.S.INDIRESH

ORAL JUDGMENT

This appeal is directed against the judgment and
award dated 06.02.2018 in MVC No. 213 of 2016 passed
by the II Additional District and Sessions Judge and
Additional MACT, Raichur (for short, 'the Tribunal'),
awarding compensation to the claimant.



2. For the sake of convenience, the parties in this appeal shall be referred to according to their status and ranking before the Tribunal.

3. I have heard Smt. Preeti Patil Melkundi, learned counsel appearing for the appellant-Insurance company, and Sri.Veeranagouda malipatilk, learned counsel appearing for the respondent Nos. 2 and 3. I have perused the records.

4. In the light of the arguments advanced by the learned counsel appearing for the parties, there is no dispute with regard to the occurrence of the road traffic accident on 17.10.2015. As a result of the said accident, the claimant sustained grievous injuries.

5. The Tribunal after considering material on record, has awarded a global compensation of Rs. 25,000/- with interest at 6% per annum from the date of petition till realization.



6. The learned counsel appearing for the Insurance Company contended that the Tribunal ought not to have saddled the liability on the Insurance Company. In this regard, I have considered the oral and documentary evidence placed on record by the parties, as well as the judgment of this Court in MFA No. 200777/2017 dated 22.07.2021.

7. Upon such consideration, I am of the opinion that no interference is called for in this appeal. Accordingly, the appeal is ***dismissed*** as devoid of merits.

8. The amount in deposit, if any, shall be transmitted to the Tribunal forthwith.

Sd/-
(E.S.INDIRESH)
JUDGE

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