

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

Civil Appeal Nos. 24100-24101/2017
(arising out of SLP (C) Nos. 2195-2196/2017)

DASARATHA MAHANTA & ORS.

Appellants

VERSUS

DIVISIONAL MANAGER, ORIENTAL
INSURANCE COMPANY & ORS.

Respondents

O R D E R

Leave granted.

In the course of hearing, a suggestion was given to Ms. N. Annapoorani, learned counsel appearing for the appellants whether the enhancement of the amount by Rs.5,50,000/- (Rupees five lacs fifty thousand only) will satisfy the claim put forth in the appeals. Learned counsel accepted the same. Mr. Rajesh K. Gupta, learned counsel appearing for the respondents, left it to the discretion of the Court.

In view of the aforesaid, the amount awarded is enhanced by aggregate Rs.5,50,000/- (Rupees five lacs fifty thousand only) with the stipulation that the same shall be deposited within twelve weeks hence before the Tribunal failing which it shall carry interest at the rate of 9% per annum from the date of application before the Tribunal. The amount deposited shall be disbursed in favour of the appellants on proper identification .

With the aforesaid modification in the award passed by the tribunal, which has been further modified by the High Court, the appeals stand disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

.....CJI.
[Dipak Misra]

.....J.
[Navin Sinha]

New Delhi;
December 26, 2017.

ITEM NO.15

COURT NO.1

SECTION XI-A

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No. 2195-2196/2017

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 16-04-2014 in MACA Nos. 1074/2012 and 1008/2012 passed by the High Court Of Orissa At Cuttack)

DASARATHA MAHANTA & ORS.

Petitioners

VERSUS

DIVISIONAL MANAGER, ORIENTAL
INSURANCE COMPANY & ORS.

Respondents

Date : 26-12-2017 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAVIN SINHA

For Petitioner(s)

Ms. N. Annapoorani, AOR

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Rajesh Kumar Gupta, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appeals are disposed of in terms of the signed order.

Pending interlocutory applications, if any, also stand disposed of.

(Deepak Guglani)
Court Master

(Jagdish Chander)
Court Master

(Signed order is placed on the file)