

ITEM NO.271

COURT NO.10

SECTION IV-C

BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT SPECIAL LOK ADALAT, 2026

(SAMADHAN SAMAROH)

PROCEEDINGS OF

PETITION(S) FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL (C) NO(S). 29609/2025

SUKLI BAI & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

SHANTILAL & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 23-08-2026

PRESENT :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.V. VISWANATHAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI
DR. ADITYA SONDHI, SENIOR ADVOCATE
MS. N.S. NAPPINAI, SENIOR ADVOCATE
MS. SHRIYA MAINI, ADVOCATE-ON-RECORD

For Petitioner(s) Ms. Ishita M.Puranik, Adv.
Ms. Aniya, Adv.
Ms. Jigisha Agarwal, Adv.
Mr. Praveen Swarup, AOR

For Respondent(s) Ms. Hetu Arora Sethi, AOR
Ms. Kanak Bathwal, Adv.
Mr. Sanidhya Kumar, Adv.

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1. Heard Ms. Ishita M.Puranik, learned counsel for the petitioners/claimants and Ms. Hetu Arora Sethi, learned

counsel for the insurance company, instructed by Mr. Jeet Singh Khurana representing National Insurance Company Limited.

2. We have also interacted with the Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Barwani, Madhya Pradesh, where petitioners/claimants are present, through video conferencing.

3. Learned counsel for the Insurance Company, on instructions, stated that a further consolidated amount of Rs.10,00,000/-, over and above the amount, awarded by the High Court, will be paid to the petitioners/claimants.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners/claimants, on instruction from his client, is also agreeable to receive the said amount.

5. The said consolidated amount be paid by the Insurance Company within 30 days from today to the petitioners/claimants.

6. On payment of such amount, the petitioners/claimants will have no further claim against the Insurance Company.

7. Learned counsel for the petitioners/claimants may furnish the bank accounts details of the petitioners/claimants to the learned counsel for the Insurance Company. Subject to verification and identity, the amount be paid to the petitioners/claimants, directly.

8. We record our appreciation to the fair stand taken by Ms.Ishita M.Puranik, learned counsel for the petitioners/claimants and Ms. Hetu Arora Sethi, learned counsel for the insurance company as also Mr. Jeet Singh Khurana representing Insurance Company for the positive

response displayed by them to end the dispute amicably.

9. The matter stands disposed of as having been settled.

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SHRIYA MAINI, AOR

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[N.S. NAPPINAI, SR.ADVOCATE]

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