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CIRCULAR

Sub: Instructions to ensure that the amount in respect of Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal Cases, deposited by the Insurance Companies are properly invested in the Nationalised Banks - Issued - Regarding.

It has been brought to the notice of the High Court that in respect of Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal Cases, the amount deposited by the Insurance Companies are not properly invested in the Nationalised Banks by the administrative staff, as per the Judicial Orders passed by the Tribunals.

It has been further brought to the notice of the High Court that on maturity, all the amounts deposited are recalled to the court deposit but they are not reinvested, causing thereby heavy losses to the claimants. On referring the complaints to the Principal District Judges, it has been reported by them that actions have been taken against the erring staff concerned, who are ultimately awarded minor punishments but the end result is that the claimants are denied of their due share.

All the Judicial Officers dealing with Motors Accident Claims are directed to see that there are no lapses on the part of investment or re-investment of the amounts awarded. While investing the amount in respect of minors, it should be invested in such a way that it gets matured only at the time of the minor becomes major under re-investment schemes, so that no time gap is there in earning the interest on the invested amount.

Any lapse on the part of investing the amount in to the bank on deposit by the Insurance Company will be viewed seriously. Presiding Officers should see that the amounts are invested properly and if there are any lapses on the part of Ministerial staff then the amount of loss should be recovered from the staff concerned and the claimants must be made good, instead of issuing warning or censure to the staff by the act of which the claimant is going to be benefitted.

All the Motors Accidents Claims Tribunal Judicial Officers are hereby directed to bestow their personal attention in the matter

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to bring the circular to the notice of the staff of Motor Accidents Claims Tribunal and direct the staff members working under their control to follow the above said instructions scrupulously. All the Head Ministerial Staff should take up the responsibility of verifying the day to day deposit and investment of the deposit amounts.

The receipt of this circular is required to be acknowledged at once.

HIGH COURT, MADRAS

DATED: 14.06.2007

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REGISTRAR GENERAL.

No. 5159/07/A1 dated 18.06.2007

Copy communicated to all the Judicial Officers in Thanjavur district for information and guidance and for circulation among the staff members for strict adherence.

Sd/.M.Mohammed Zafarullah Khan
Principal District Judge,
Thanjavur.

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P.A. to Principal District Judge
Thanjavur.

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