

**117 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CR No. 6840 of 2017

Date of Decision: 04.10.2017

GURDEEP SINGH

-PETITIONER

VS

KIRANDEEP KAUR

-RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Mr. Rajvir Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)

An application under Section 24 of Hindu Marriage Act has been decided by the Additional District Judge, Fatehgarh Sahib vide order dated 12.07.2017.

Admittedly, the petitioner is residing in Dubai. He is legally bound to maintain his wife and two minor daughters during pendency of litigation.

The trial Court has awarded an amount of Rs.15,000/- i.e. Rs.5000/- each in favour of wife and two minor daughters besides awarding an amount of Rs.10,000/- as litigation expenses.

In my considered opinion, the amount awarded by the trial Court is not on the higher side. The wife is entitled to get the amount of maintenance as per standard of living of the

husband though the same cannot be utilized to have a profit building mechanism to impede likely re-conciliation in future.

Seeing the composition of the dependents i.e. the wife and two minor daughters, total amount of Rs.15,000/- towards maintenance and Rs.10,000/- towards litigation expenses cannot be presumed to be on higher side.

No interference is warranted in this revision petition and the same is, accordingly dismissed.

04.10.2017
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(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No