

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

CRM No.M-14205 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of decision: 24.01.2017

Rakesh Kumar Verma

....Petitioner

Versus

Sunita Verma

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE REKHA MITTAL

Present: Rakesh Kumar Verma – Petitioner in person
with Mr. Mukul Aggarwal, Advocate.

Sunita Verma – Respondent in person
with Mr. Manpreet S. Sawhney, Advocate.

REKHA MITTAL J. (Oral)

Counsel for the petitioner has handed over a bankers cheque of an amount of Rs.1,00,500/- to counsel for the respondent in the Court. Another amount of Rs.8,500/- in cash has been handed over to counsel for the respondent.

Counsel for the respondent has fairly informed that on account of payment made by counsel for the petitioner today in the Court, entire liability of the petitioner with regard to interim maintenance assessed by the Court below and litigation expenses of Rs.11,000/- besides Rs.25,000/- towards litigation expenses assessed by this Court stands discharged.

Counsel for the parties are ad idem that the petition may be disposed of, impugned orders dated 09.01.2015 may be set-aside and the parties may be remitted to the trial Court for decision of the petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C. afresh.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed, the order

dated 09.01.2015 passed by the District Judge (Family Court), Faridabad are set-aside and the matter is remitted to the trial Court for decision of the petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C. after allowing the parties to adduce evidence afresh. The parties through their counsel are directed to appear before the trial Court on 06.02.2017.

The trial Court shall put its best efforts to dispose of the petition expeditiously preferably within a period of 08 months from the parties putting their appearance. It is clarified that the interim maintenance assessed by the trial Court shall continue to be payable by the petitioner – husband till disposal of the petition.

(REKHA MITTAL)
JUDGE

24.01.2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No