

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

**CRR (F) No. 242 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of decision: 14.07.2017**

Manju Rani

....Petitioner

Versus

Kartar Singh

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Sudhanshu Makkar, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. J.P. Sharma, Advocate, for the respondent.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

Present revision petition has been directed against the judgment dated 04.08.2015, passed by the District Judge, Family Court, Hisar and for enhancing the amount of maintenance from Rs.1500 per month to Rs.15,000/- per month.

It is contended that initially an amount of Rs.1100/- per month was awarded to the petitioner towards maintenance. Subsequently, the same was enhanced to Rs.1500/- per month. It is further contended that the petitioner does not have any other source of income except amount of maintenance, whereas the respondent has been running a grocery shop and is earning more than Rs.25,000/- per month.

On behalf of the respondent it is stated that the respondent is running small grocery shop in a village and saddled with the

responsibility of maintaining the three minor children and old age parents. The petitioner left the matrimonial house when the youngest child was only about 6 months.

It is to be noticed that the order for enhancing the amount was passed in the year 2011 and keeping in view the inflation prevailing, this Court deems it appropriate to enhance the amount of maintenance from Rs.1500/- per month to Rs.2500/- per month. The arrears, if any, shall also be paid within a period of six months.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

July 14, 2017

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes No
Whether Reportable: Yes No