

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

TA No. 694 of 2017(O&M)

Date of decision: 22.8.2017

Poonam Rani

....Applicant

VERSUS

Bishamber Dass and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE REKHA MITTAL

Present: Mr. Rahul Bhargava, Advocate for the applicant.

REKHA MITTAL, J.(Oral)

The applicant prays for transfer of petition filed under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 titled **Bishamber Dass Vs. Poonam Rani and another** by the respondent-husband from the Court of District Judge, Amritsar to a Court of competent jurisdiction at Jalandhar.

The only inconvenience pleaded by the applicant is that besides physical distance between the two places the applicant has the responsibility to look after minor daughter, born out of the wedlock. In addition, it is argued that the respondent-husband is residing in Italy and he has filed the petition for divorce through an Attorney.

The physical distance between the two places is about 80 KMs. Under the circumstances, it is appropriate that the petition is allowed to continue at the place where the same is filed. However, applicant is at liberty to file an appropriate application for issuance of directions in the light of judgment of Hon'ble the Supreme Court in **Krishna Veni Nagam Vs. Harish Nagam, 2017 (2) RCR (Civil) 358**. In

case such an application is filed by the applicant, the same shall be disposed of by the Court below before proceeding further with the matter.

With the aforesaid observations, the petition stands disposed of.

AUGUST 22, 2017

‘D. Gulati’

(REKHA MITTAL)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

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yes/no

Whether reportable

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yes/no