

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

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TA 789 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 20.09.2017

Rinki Gupta

..... *Applicant*

Versus

Sumit Singla

..... *Respondent*

Coram: Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Rekha Mittal

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Present: Mr. Ankur Mittal, Advocate
for the applicant

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Rekha Mittal, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this application is for transfer of petition under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 title '*Sumit Singla v Rinki Gupta*' filed by the respondent from the Court of Additional District Judge, Patiala to a Court of competent jurisdiction at SAS Nagar, Mohali.

The only inconvenience pleaded by the applicant is that there is physical distance of 70 kms between the two places and the applicant has no independent source of income.

Indisputably, distance between the two places is approximately 70 kms. The personal appearance of the applicant is not required on each and every date of hearing. Under the circumstances, it would be appropriate if the petition is allowed to proceed at the place where the same is filed. However, the applicant is at liberty to file an appropriate application before the Court below for grant of maintenance as well as travelling expenses etc.

in view of judgment of Hon'ble the Supreme Court of India in ***Krishna Veni***

Nagam vs. Harish Nagam 2017(2) RCR(Civil) 358. In case such an application is filed, the same shall be disposed of by the Court below before proceeding further in the matter.

With the aforesaid observations, the petition stands disposed of.

(Rekha Mittal)
Judge

20.09.2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No