

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No. 127

CR-6205-2018

Date of decision : 14.09.2018

Raghav

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

Ramandeep

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr. A. P. S. Sandhu, Advocate, for the petitioner.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

The present petition is directed against the order dated 03.07.2018, passed by the Additional District Judge, Amritsar (for short, the Trial Court), through which interim maintenance of ₹15,000/- per month and ₹15,000/- as one time litigation expenses have been awarded to the respondent-wife.

It is not disputed that the petitioner-husband is MS/MCH (Neurosurgery); is presently serving as a Neuro Surgeon in a private hospital and is earning ₹70,000/- per month. That being so, interim maintenance of ₹15,000/- per month granted by the Trial Court to the respondent-wife under Section 24 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 is found to be reasonable especially when nothing has been brought on record by the petitioner to show that she is earning any income.

Award of ₹15,000/- to the respondent-wife as one time litigation expenses is also found to be fair.

In view of the above, no merit is found in the present petition.

Dismissed.

14.09.2018
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[DEEPAK SIBAL]
JUDGE

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