

Balkar Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

Surjit Kaur

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr. Gagandeep Singh, Advocate for
Mr. A.S. Manaise, Advocate
for the petitioner.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

The present petition is directed against the order dated 23.08.2018, passed by the Additional District Judge, Gurdaspur (for short, the Trial Court), through which on an application filed by the respondent-wife under Section 24 of Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, the petitioner/husband has been directed to pay interim maintenance @ ₹15,000/- per month. The respondent-wife has also been awarded one time litigation expenses @ ₹10,000/-.

It is not disputed that the petitioner is serving as a Head Constable in Central Reserve Police Force; his gross monthly salary is about ₹42,000/- and that he also jointly owns and possesses 6 acres of agricultural land.

In view of the above admitted facts, no error is found in the order of the Trial Court directing the petitioner to pay monthly interim maintenance to the respondent @ ₹15,000/-. Award of one time litigation expenses of ₹10,000/- to the respondent are also found to be fair.

Dismissed.

(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE**24.09.2018***sandeep*

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No