

FAO-M-22-2018 (O&M)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

**FAO-M-22-2018 (O&M).
Decided on: September 21, 2018.**

Tapveer Singh

.. Appellant

VERSUS

Prabhjot Kaur

.. Respondent

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**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.S.BEDI
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL**

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**PRESENT Mr.Rajesh Bhateja, Advocate,
for the appellant.**

**Ms.Nupur Chaudhary, Advocate,
for the respondent.**

M.M.S. BEDI, J. (ORAL)

Counsel for the appellant submits that as per his instructions, the appellant who is staying in Italy is not interested in pursuing the present appeal.

It is not out of place to observe here that a sum of Rs.25,000/- ordered to be paid by the appellant to the respondent towards interim litigation expenses has also not been paid. The appeal deserves to be dismissed solely on that ground also.

In view of above circumstances, this appeal is dismissed.

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The order dated 14.12.2017, which has been passed in favour of the respondent-wife granting divorce by striking off the defence of the appellant on account of non-payment of the maintenance pendente lite is hereby affirmed. The interim order dated 5.2.2018, is hereby vacated.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE

September 21, 2018.
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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No