

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

TA No.329 of 2018
Date of decision: 10.10.2018

Hardeep Kaur .. Petitioner

vs.

Harjeet Singh .. Respondent

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harinder Singh Sidhu

Present:- Mr. Neeraj Khanna, Advocate
for the petitioner.

None for the respondent.

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Harinder Singh Sidhu, J.

The petitioner-wife has filed this petition under Section 24 of the Code of Civil Procedure for transferring the petition under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 titled as “Harjeet Singh Verma Vs. Hardeep Kaur”, filed by the respondent-husband, which is pending in the Court of Ld. Civil Judge, (Sr. Division), Jalandhar to a Court of competent jurisdiction at Rupnagar.

The marriage of the petitioner was solemnized with the respondent on 18.01.2015. A male child, namely, Gaurav Verma was born to them, who is aged about 2 years.

It is stated that soon after the marriage, the petitioner was harassed and humiliated by the respondent and his family members on account of dowry. In the month of April, 2015, she was thrown out of her matrimonial home without any reason. In July, 2015, she went back to the matrimonial home on the assurance of the respondent that she would not be harassed and humiliated. Despite that, she was again thrown out of the matrimonial home and she is presently residing with her parents at Village

Manemajra, Tehsil Chamkaur Sahib, District Rupnagar.

The petitioner has filed a petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C. for maintenance, which is pending before the Judicial Magistrate, Ist Class, Rupnagar. The respondent filed the petition under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 at Jalandhar.

It is stated that the petitioner has no independent source of income and she is wholly dependent on her parents. It is difficult for her to attend the Court proceedings at Jalandhar, which is at a distance of about 100 Kms from Rupnagar.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances, this petition is allowed.

The petition under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 titled as “Harjeet Singh Verma Vs. Hardeep Kaur”, filed by the respondent-husband, which is pending in the Court of Ld. Civil Judge, (Sr. Division), Jalandhar is withdrawn from that Court and transferred to Rupnagar. The District Judge, Rupnagar may assign it to any competent Court.

10.10.2018
Atul

(Harinder Singh Sidhu)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No