

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

TA-6979-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 16.07.2019

Varunica

...Applicant

Versus

Gautam Dhiman and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Mr. Ameet Awasthi, Advocate for the applicant.

Mr. Tarun Singla, Advocate for respondent No.1.

Mr. Rakesh Gupta, Advocate for respondent No.2.

H.S. MADAAN, J. (Oral)

Applicant Varunica, wife of respondent No.1 Gautam Dhiman, presently residing at Chandigarh, has filed the instant application for transfer of civil suit, filed by her husband Gautam Dhiman, against her and another, having title 'Gautam Dhiman Vs. Ravinder Singh and another' pending in the Court of Addl. Civil Judge (Sr. Divn.-2), Patiala to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Chandigarh.

In the application, the applicant has levelled allegations of demand of dowry from her by respondent No.1 and his family members on account of her inability to meet those demands. The latter treating her with cruelty, forcing her to leave the matrimonial home.

The details of the litigation pending between the parties are also given.

According to the applicant, respondent No.1 has filed the civil suit in question against her as a tool of harassment and in order to trouble her only. It is difficult for the applicant to travel from Chandigarh to Patiala to attend the dates of hearing in the Court there. Therefore, the present application be accepted.

Notice of the application was given to the respondents, who put in appearance. Respondent No.1 has filed written reply, vehemently opposing the application, praying for its dismissal.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties besides going through the record.

The nature of the proceedings, sought to be got transferred is that of civil suit, where personal appearance of the parties is not necessary. The parties can appear in those proceedings through authorized agents or Advocates. As such, no inconvenience can possibly be caused to the applicant in taking up the travelling. I do not find any merit in the application and the same stands dismissed.

16.07.2019

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(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No