

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRR(F)-1051-2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 12.12.2019

Jasvir Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

Amandeep Kaur and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Manav Parteek, Advocate, for the petitioner.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has approached this Court challenging order dated 9.9.2019/10.9.2019 passed by the Family Court, Ludhiana whereby while allowing a petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C., filed by the respondent, maintenance @ ₹3500/- per month has been awarded to respondent No.1(wife) and @ ₹2000/- per month to each of the two children i.e. respondents No.2 and 3.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the aforesaid amount is highly unreasonable and on the higher side given the fact that the petitioner does not own any land and is a manual labourer who is barely able to get employment @ ₹300 per day for about 15 days in a month.

I have considered the aforesaid submission. Even if the petitioner is held to be an unemployed who is earning his livelihood by

doing manual work still his income can safely be assessed as anything between ₹15-20 thousand per month given the fact that the petitioner is an able bodied person and is not stated to be suffering from any handicap.

In view of the aforesaid income, the maintenance as assessed by the Trial Court i.e. ₹3500/- per month for wife and ₹2000/- per month for each of the two children cannot be said to be on the higher side. There is no infirmity in the impugned order and the same is hereby upheld.

Finding no merit in the present revision petition, the same is hereby dismissed.

December 12, 2019

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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No