

Sr. No.213

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

**TA No.963 of 2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 20.01.2020**

Ranju Puria

... Applicant

Versus

Mohinder Singh

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

Present:- Mr. K.S.Dadwal, Advocate,
for the applicant.

Mr. J.S.Johal, Advocate,
for the respondent.

ARUN MONGA, J.(ORAL)

1. Applicant-wife seeks transfer of petition filed by the respondent-husband under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act bearing HMA No.356 of 2019 titled as “Mohinder Singh Vs. Ranju Puria” pending in the Court of District Judge, (Family Court) Pathankot to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Hoshiarpur.

2. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that petitioner is working as Science Mistress in Govt. High School, Village Bala Kullian, Tehsil Dasuya, District Hoshiarpur. The distance between Pathankot and Hoshiarpur is about 107 kms. and it is difficult for her to go to Pathankot on each date of hearing. On the other hand, respondent is also posted in District Hoshiarpur itself as Assistant District Attorney at Dasuya and would thus be put to no inconvenience.

3. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have gone through the record of the case.

4. The case pending between the parties is aftermath of matrimonial discord.

5. Learned counsel for the applicant also relies upon judgment of Hon'ble Apex Court in case titled ***Sumita Singh Vs. Kumar Sanjay and another, AIR 2002 SC 396***, wherein it is held that transfer of matrimonial proceedings initiated by the husband against wife, convenience of the wife ought to be looked into.

6. In the premise, present application is allowed. The petition in question pending before the Court of District Judge, (Family Court), Pathankot is ordered to be withdrawn from that Court and is transferred to the District Judge, Hoshiarpur for its disposal in accordance with law by the Court concerned.

20.01.2020

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**(ARUN MONGA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No