

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

210

TA-664-2021

Date of Order: 13.10.2021

GEETA ARORA

..Petitioner

Versus

SAMEER ARORA

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Ajay Kumar, Advocate
for Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

The hearing of the case was held through video conferencing as prayed by the learned counsel.

On 25.08.2021, the following order was passed:-

“The hearing of the case was held through video conferencing on account of restricted functioning of the Courts.

This petition has been filed by the wife seeking the transfer of the petition filed under Section 13(1-a) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, pending in the Court of Family Court, Gurdaspur, Camp Court at Batala to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Amritsar.

The petitioner claims that she got married to the respondent on 21.01.2015 and they have been blessed with two children. She claims that presently, she is residing with her parents at Amritsar and the distance between Batala and Amritsar is 41 Kms. The petitioner further claims that she cannot properly defend the petition at Batala.

The learned counsel representing the petitioner places reliance on the following litigations pending in District Courts, Amritsar:-

- (i) Under Section 125 Cr.P.C.*
- (ii) Under Section 12 of the Domestic Violence Act, 2005.*

The learned counsel contends that it will be very difficult for the petitioner to travel on each date of hearing.

Notice of motion for 16.09.2021.

The liberty is granted to the petitioner to serve the respondent through his counsels Sh. Rajiv Kaura and Sh. N.S.Kahlon, at Camp Courts, Batala.

Dasti also.”

As per the office report, notice issued to the respondent has been received back served, however, he remains unrepresented.

The facts noticed in the order dated 25.08.2021, remain uncontroverted.

Hence, the application is allowed.

The petition under Section 13(1-a) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955, pending in the Court of Family Court, Gurdaspur, Camp Court at Batala, is ordered to be transferred to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Amritsar.

The transferor Court is requested to remit the case file to the transferee Court forthwith.

The parties through their counsel are directed to appear before the transferee Court on 08.11.2021.

All the pending miscellaneous applications, if any, are also disposed of.

October 13, 2021

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**(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No