

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

TA No.477 of 2022

Date of decision: 13th May, 2022

Renu

... Applicant

Versus

Ram Mehar

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Deepak Vashishth, Advocate for the applicant.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J.

The applicant petitioner wife Renu has through this prayer under Section 24 CPC sought transfer of petition under Section 13(1)(ia)&(ib) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 for dissolution of marriage (Annexure P1) from the Court of learned Principal Judge, Family Court, Kaithal to a Court of competent jurisdiction at Jind. Reasons for this transfer are on account of distance between the two places and her inability to contest the litigation on that score.

Upon hearing Mr. Deepak Vashishth, Advocate for the applicant and perusing the records of the case.

Admittedly, the distance between Kaithal and Jind is only 50 kms and both towns are connected by a well laid metalled road where all types of facilities of conveyance are available. More so, being a civil litigation, presence of the applicant on each and every date of hearing is not at all necessitated and can instruct her counsel accordingly. Mere distance is not exceptional circumstance for transferring the matter,

especially when even the husband has to tread from Gurugram where he is working to Kaithal where the case is pending and thus, not much of inconvenience to the wife as both are evenly placed on that count. The application is hopelessly without any merit and stands dismissed in limine.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

May 13, 2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No