

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-21868 of 2023

Date of Decision: 02.05.2023

Lakshmi Saggar @ Guria and another

---Petitioners

versus

Sumit Saggar

---Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Mr. Akhilesh Vyas, Advocate
for the petitioners

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner through the instant petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is seeking direction to trial court to expedite the proceedings arising out of petition bearing No. MNT-125/124/2020 dated 5.6.2020 under Section 125 Cr.P.C.

Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia contends that petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C. was filed on 5.6.2020 and almost three years have passed, however, till date neither main petition nor interim maintenance application has been adjudicated. The petitioner No. 1 is staying with her son who is 09 years old and she is in need of financial assistance. The object of interim maintenance would be defeated if her application is not decided expeditiously.

This Court is not oblivious of the fact that the Family Courts are over-burdened, however, keeping in mind the fact that petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C. was filed in 2020 and till date,

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neither final nor interim maintenance has been granted, the trial Court is requested to expedite disposal of petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C. seeking interim maintenance and preferably adjudicate within three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

02.05.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No