

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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2024:PHHC:051509
C.R. No.2215 of 2024
Date of decision: 16.04.2024

Surender Singh

...Petitioner

Vs.

Jagbir Kaur

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURBIR SINGH

Present: Mr. G.S. Jagpal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

GURBIR SINGH, J.(ORAL)

Prayer in the present revision petition filed under Article 227 of the Constitution of India is for issuance of directions to learned Principal Judge Family Court, Patiala to decide the divorce petition filed by petitioner under Section 13 of Hindu Marriage Act for the dissolution of marriage by decree of divorce bearing No. DMC/1063/2023 titled as “Maj. Surender Singh vs. Smt. Jagbir Kaur” as mandated by Section 21-B of Hindu Marriage Act, 1955.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* submits that application under Section 21-B of Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 was moved in the pending divorce petition before the Principal Judge, Family Courts, Patiala. The said application was neither accepted by the Filing Branch nor entertained by the Principal Judge, Family Court, Patiala. He further submits that he would be satisfied, if the direction is given to the concerned Court receive application under Section 21-B of Hindu Marriage Act and to

Without commenting anything on the merits of the case, present revision petition is disposed of with a direction to the petitioner to file an application under Section 21-B of Hindu Marriage Act in the concerned Court within a week and on doing so, said application shall be decided within a period of one month in accordance with law by passing a speaking order by the concerned Court.

April 16, 2024
Poonam Sharma

(GURBIR SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No