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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.219

TA-1513-2023
Date of Decision: 04.09.2024

URMILA

....Applicant

Versus

SAHIL

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ARCHANA PURI

Present:- Ms. Pooja Jaglan, Advocate
for the applicant.

None for the respondent.

ARCHANA PURI, J. (Oral)

The applicant/wife has filed the present application for seeking transfer of the petition, under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act, titled “*Sahil v/s Urmila*”, filed at the instance of the respondent/husband, from Family Court Panipat, to the court of competent jurisdiction at Jind.

Despite service, none has made appearance on behalf of the respondent. As such, respondent is proceeded against *ex parte*.

Learned counsel for the applicant heard.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the applicant that the applicant has no independent source of income and is totally dependent upon her aged parents. It is further submitted that due to matrimonial discord, the applicant was turned out of the matrimonial house on 13.02.2022. Even, no child was born from the wedlock of the parties to the lis. In the given circumstances, it is



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submitted that it is difficult for the applicant to defend the divorce petition, filed at the instance of the respondent/husband, from a distance of about 80 kms from her place of her residence.

Considering the submissions made by learned counsel for the applicant and the various circumstances, as spelt out, the application, as such, is hereby accepted and the petition under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act, titled “*Sahil v/s Urmila*”, filed at the instance of respondent-husband, stands transferred from the Family Court, Panipat to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Jind. The requisite record of the aforesaid divorce petition shall be transferred by the Family Court, Panipat to District and Sessions Judge, Jind.

Learned District and Sessions Judge, Jind, shall assign the said petition to the Family Court, Jind. Even, the parties are directed to appear before the Family Court, Jind, within a period of one month from today onwards.

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(ARCHANA PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No