



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

Sr. No.113

TA-248-2025

Date of Decision: 12.09.2025

BABY**....Applicant****Versus****GAURAV VERMA****.....Respondent****CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ARCHANA PURI**

Present:- Mr. Varun Mittal and Mr. Anshul Sharma, Advocates
for the applicant.

None for the respondent.

ARCHANA PURI, J. (Oral)

As per the observations made in the order dated 07.08.2025, despite service, the respondent did not make appearance on that date. Even on subsequent dates, he had not made appearance. Today also he has not made appearance. As such, the respondent is proceeded against *ex parte*.

Counsel for the applicant heard.

The applicant-wife has filed the present application for seeking transfer of the petition under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act i.e. HMA/197/2024, titled '*Gaurav Verma Vs. Baby*', filed by the respondent-husband, pending in the Family Court, Jalandhar and she seeks transfer of the same to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Khanna, District Ludhiana.

At the very outset, it is submitted by the counsel for the applicant that the marriage between the parties to the lis, had taken place on 11.12.2017. From the said wedlock, one son was born on 21.12.2019 and



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presently, he is in the care and custody of the applicant. On account of the matrimonial dispute, the parties are residing separate. The applicant is not doing any job and as such, has no source of earning. She along with her son, is dependent upon her parental family. Even, she has filed the petition under Section 125 Cr.P.C., which is pending in the Courts at Khanna and the respondent is making appearance in the same. The distance between the two places is stated to be 100 kilometres.

In view of the submissions aforesaid and more particularly, considering the fact of the applicant taking care of the minor son born from the said wedlock, while herself having no source of earning and above all, considering the fact of the respondent having not come forward to resist the application, the transfer application is allowed and the petition under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act i.e. HMA/197/2024, titled '*Gaurav Verma Vs. Baby*', filed by the respondent-husband, stands transferred from the Family Court, Jalandhar, to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Khanna, District Ludhiana. The requisite record of the aforesaid case be sent by the Family Court, Jalandhar, to the District and Sessions Judge, Ludhiana.

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

12.09.2025
Himanshu Vats

(ARCHANA PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No