



TA-1417-2025

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

Sr. No.246

TA-1417-2025

Date of Decision: 12.02.2026

NISHA

....Applicant

Versus

BITTU

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ARCHANA PURI

Present:- Mr. Jugraj Waraich, Advocate
for the applicant.

Respondent proceeded against *ex parte*
vide order dated 05.02.2026.

ARCHANA PURI, J. (Oral)

The applicant-wife has filed the present application for seeking transfer of the petition under Section 32 of the Indian Divorce Act i.e. DMC/429/2025, titled '*Bittu Vs. Nisha*', filed by the respondent-husband, pending in the Family Court, Ferozepur and she seeks transfer of the same to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Patiala.

In pursuance of notice issued, the respondent did not make appearance, despite service and as such, was proceeded against *ex parte*.

Counsel for the applicant heard.

It is submitted by the counsel for the applicant that the marriage between the parties to the lis, had taken place on 03.06.2016. One daughter born from the said wedlock, is in the care and custody of the applicant. On



account of the matrimonial dispute, the parties are residing separate. The applicant is not having any source of earning and as such, is dependent upon her aged parents. Even, she has filed the petition under Section 144 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, which is pending in the Courts at Patiala and the same is at service stage.

In view of the aforesaid fact situation, more particularly, considering the fact about the applicant taking care of the growing daughter, who is aged about 8 years, while herself having no source of earning and above it, considering the fact about the respondent having not come forward to resist the application, the transfer application is allowed and the petition under Section 32 of the Indian Divorce Act i.e. DMC/429/2025, titled '*Bittu Vs. Nisha*', filed by the respondent-husband, stands transferred from the Family Court, Ferozepur, to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Patiala. The requisite record of the aforesaid case be sent by the Family Court, Ferozepur, to the District and Sessions Judge, Patiala.

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

12.02.2026
Himanshu Vats

(ARCHANA PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No