

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

TRANSFER PETITION (CIVIL) NO.1855 OF 2019

GURPREET KAUR

Petitioner

VERSUS

RAJINDERPAL SINGH

Respondent

O R D E R

This transfer petition has been filed by the petitioner (wife) for transfer of the respondent's Restitution Case No.118 of 2019 from the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court, District Court, Hapur, U.P. to the Competent Family Court at Ludhiana, Punjab.

Heard Mr. Ferry Sofat, learned counsel for the petitioner and Ms.Vaisal Dathan, learned counsel for the respondent (husband).

The petitioner is staying with her two minor sons in her parental home at Ludhiana. Besides, she applied for Maintenance and also filed a Police case under the Domestic Violence Act.

Learned counsel for the respondent submits that the respondent is responsible for his aged parents and being an employee of a Mill, he will have difficulty in pursuing the case in Ludhiana Court.

Having considered the circumstances in this case and the fact that two other proceedings are pending at Ludhiana, this Court

deems it appropriate to transfer case No.118 of 2019 titled "Rajinderpal Singh vs. Gurpreet Kaur" from the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court, District Court, Hapur, U.P. to the Competent Family Court at Ludhiana, Punjab.

However, as prayed for by the respondent's counsel, if the respondent prays for a common date for all the cases, the same should be considered appropriately by the Courts at Ludhiana.

With the above order, the Transfer Petition is, accordingly, allowed.

....., J.
(Hrishikesh Roy)

New Delhi;
June 11, 2020.

