

MHBU010003732023.



Regular Civil Appeal No. 15/2023.

Vishal Rustamrao Deshmukh.

-Vrs.-

Sau. Mandakini Vishal Deshmukh.

ORDER BELOW EXHIBIT 17.

{Passed on 29.07.2025}

01. This is the application, filed by the respondent (wife) U/s. 24 of the Hindu Marriage Act, for grant of maintenance 'pendent-lite'. By this application, she contended that she is poor and had no source of income. She is needed to incur the expenses to engage an Advocate in this matter and to attend this appeal by traveling distance of 40 km. from her village. Moreover, the appellant did not pay any amount for her maintenance in view of the Order of the Trial Court. Being so, she prayed for the interim alimony of Rs.10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand) per month from the date of her appearance and an amount of Rs. 60,000/ (Rs. Sixty thousand) towards expenses for this proceeding. Objecting this application as per his say (Exhibit 20), the appellant contended that he had a very good case on merit and he paid substantial amount towards her maintenance. Heard both the sides.

02. Considering their submissions, at the outset, it is worth to be noted that this application for maintenance "pendent-lite" was filed on 25.08.2023 and on 13.10.2023 itself, the appellant placed his say. However, it reveals that thenceforth, the respondent did not press the same and hence, for a considerable time, this application was pending for hearing. Thereafter, on 05.04.2025, the appellant filed his written submissions (Exhibit 23) on merits and the matter was posted for final submissions of the respondent. It is also the matter of record that after seeking time for the said cause, again, she pressed for this application. Needless to say that she has appropriate remedies to recover arrears

of maintenance, if any, due against this appellant and for the said cause, this appeal can not be delayed. Specially when, it can be finally decided in near future. On this background, her prayer for interim maintenance also does not survive for consideration. Hence, in the light of changed scenario, this application stands filed, requesting the parties to proceed with the appeal expeditiously.

Buldhana.
Dated : 29.07.2025.

{A.G. Santani}
District Judge-3,
Buldhana.

Certificate

“I affirm that the contents of this P.D.F file Order are same word for word as per original Order.

Name of the Steno	C. N. Mahale (Grade-I)
Name of the Court	District Judge-3, Buldana
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