

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****TPC No. 52 of 2026****SMT. PRITI SINHA *versus* MITHLESH SINHA****Order Sheet**

27/03/2026	<p>Shri Syed Afaque Hussain Rizvi, learned counsel for the petitioner.</p> <p>Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the present transfer petition has been filed seeking transfer of HM Case No. 46/2026 pending before the learned Family Court, Dhamtari, District Dhamtari (C.G.) to the Court of learned Family Court, Raipur, District Raipur (C.G.).</p> <p>It is submitted that the petitioner is the wife of the respondent and their marriage was solemnized on 17.05.2013 and is residing at Raipur along with her minor school-going child. It is further submitted that multiple proceedings between the parties,</p>

including a case under Section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act, proceedings under the Domestic Violence Act and proceedings for maintenance, are already pending before the competent courts at Raipur, wherein the respondent is appearing.

Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner has already filed an application under Section 25 of the Hindu Marriage Act before the Family Court, Dhamtari in compliance with the liberty granted by this Court, however, it is extremely difficult for her to travel from Raipur to Dhamtari to attend the proceedings, particularly in view of her responsibility towards the minor child and lack of independent means. It is contended that no prejudice would be caused to the respondent if the case is transferred to Raipur, whereas grave inconvenience is being caused to the petitioner.

Considering the submissions made and the facts and circumstances of the case, particularly the inconvenience faced by the petitioner and the pendency of connected matters at Raipur, this Court finds it appropriate to grant interim protection.

Accordingly, it is directed that further proceedings of HM Case No. 46/2026 pending before the learned Family Court, Dhamtari, District Dhamtari (C.G.) shall remain stayed till the next date of hearing.

Issue notice to the respondent on payment of process fee within ten days.

List the case after service of notice.

Sd/-

(BIBHU DATTA GURU)
Judge