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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR W.P.(227) No. 910 of 2019

Arun Kumar Manjhi, S/o. Shivkaran Manjhi, Aged About 28 Years, R/o. I 306, R. D. A. Colony, Diprapara, Police Station D.D. Nagar, Raipur, District - Raipur Chhattisgarh.

---- Petitioner

Versus

Smt. Sweety Manjhi, W/o. Arun Kumar Manjhi, Aged About 27 Years, R/o. House No. 01, New Hospital Colony, C.H.C. Gidam, Police Station Gidam, District - South Bastar, District - Dantewada Chhattisgarh.

----Respondent

For Petitioner

: Ms. Laxmeen Kashyap, Advocate

Hon'ble Shri Justice Rajendra Chandra Singh Samant Order On Board

29/11/2019

- This petition has been brought praying for issuance of direction for speedy disposal of the case No.368 of 2019, pending before the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court, Raipur (C.G.).
- 2. The petitioner and the respondent have jointly filed an application for grant of decree of divorce under Section 13 (b) of the Hindu Marriage Act on 15.03.2019. According to the copies of the order sheets filed along with the petition, the learned Family Court has mentioned in the last order sheet dated 29.08.2019 that the waiting period is still not expired.
- As there is specific provision of cooling period of six months to be given before deciding the application under Section 13 (b) of the Hindu

Marriage Act, therefore, this provision can not be ignored or jumped for deciding such application. However, the petition is disposed off and the learned Family Court is directed to decide the application of the parties as soon as possible because now the cooling period has expired.

4. Accordingly, the petition is disposed off.

Sd/-(Rajendra Chandra Singh Samant) Judge

Balram