

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

TRANSFER PETITION(CIVIL) NO. 997 OF 2020

**RICHA BHANDARI**

**Petitioner(s)**

**VERSUS**

**ABHISHEK BHANDARI**

**Respondent(s)**

**O R D E R**

Petitioner- wife is seeking transfer of the Divorce Petition HMA No. 443/2020 titled as "Abhishek Bhandari Vs. Richa Bhandari" pending before the Learned Family Court, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh filed by the respondent-husband from the Court of Gautam Buddha Nagar to the Court in Nainital.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the respondent. Learned counsel for the respondent points out that there can be no difficulty for the petitioner-wife to contest the proceedings at Gautam Buddha nagar.

After hearing the learned counsel for the petitioner, we see no reason why we should not allow the petition seeking transfer in terms of the prayer. Accordingly, the petition seeking transfer will stand allowed. HMA No. 443/2020 titled as "*Abhishek Bhandari Vs. Richa Bhandari*" pending before the Learned Family Court, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh is hereby transferred to the Competent Court in Nainital, Uttarakhand.

The Registry will communicate the copy of the order to the transferor Court for effecting compliance. The transferee Court

will make an endeavor to dispose of the case as early as possible. This will be without prejudice to its duty to bring about reconciliation if possible.

Petition seeking transfer is allowed.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.  
(K.M. JOSEPH)

.....J.  
(HRISHIKESH ROY)

New Delhi  
8<sup>th</sup> September, 2022

ITEM NO.24

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SECTION XVI-A

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Transfer Petition(Civil) No(s). 997/2020

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(IA No.90055/2020-GRANT OF INTERIM RELIEF)

Date : 08-09-2022 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.M. JOSEPH  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HRISHIKESH ROY

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Vardhman Kaushik , AOR

For Respondent(s) Mr. Tushar Gupta, Adv.  
Mr. A. Abhiraj Roy, Adv.  
Mr. Krishna Kumar Singh, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

Transfer Petition is allowed in terms of the signed order.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(SNEHA)  
SENIOR PERSONAL ASSISTANT

(RENU KAPOOR)  
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

(Signed order is placed on the file.)