

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

TRANSFER PETITION (CIVIL) NO. 1365 OF 2020

NIDHI NIKHIL MATHUR ..... PETITIONER

VERSUS

NIKHIL MATHUR ..... RESPONDENT

O R D E R

Learned counsel for the respondent, on instructions, states that notwithstanding the assertions made in the counter affidavit, the respondent would like to bring quietus to the matter and therefore agrees to the prayer for transfer.

We take the statement on record but clarify that the respondent has not admitted any of the allegations or assertions made against him in the transfer petition.

In view of the statement made, and in the interest of justice, we allow the transfer petition.

Accordingly, Petition No. D-84 of 2020 titled as "*Nikhil Mathur vs. Nidhi Nikhil Mathur*" pending in the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court at Bandra, Mumbai, Maharashtra, is directed to be transferred to the Court of the Presiding Officer, Family Court at South District, Saket Courts, New Delhi, who may hear the case himself or assign it to a court of competent jurisdiction.

Records of the case would be immediately transferred to the transferee court.

To cut short delay, parties are directed to appear in person, through an authorized representative or through video-conferencing

if the said facility is available, before the transferee court on 05.01.2023. However, in case there is non-appearance, court notice would be issued to the defaulting party.

The parties may explore possibility of settlement through mediation. The transferee court would obtain the desire and wishes of the parties and proceed accordingly in this regard.

The transferee court would decide the matter expeditiously.

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

.....J.  
(SANJIV KHANNA)

.....J.  
(M.M. SUNDRESH)

NEW DELHI;  
DECEMBER 06, 2022.  
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ITEM NO.4

COURT NO.8

SECTION XVI-A

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Transfer Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 1365/2020

NIDHI NIKHIL MATHUR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

NIKHIL MATHUR

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.123841/2020-EX-PARTE STAY and IA No.123842/2020-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.\* OFFICE REPORT ON DEFAULT TO BE LISTED BEFORE HON'BLE JUDGE IN CHAMBER. )

Date : 06-12-2022 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV KHANNA  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Raj Kamal, AOR  
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Ms. Nupur Kaushik, Adv.  
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Ms. Nupur Sharma, Adv.  
Mr. Shobhit Dwivedi, Adv.  
Mr. Sanjeev Kr. Mahara, Adv.  
Ms. Vaideshi Rastogi, Adv.

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

The transfer petition is allowed in terms of the signed order.

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

(POOJA SHARMA)  
COURT MASTER (SH)

(R.S. NARAYANAN)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)

(Signed order is placed on the file.)

