

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

TRANSFER PETITION(S) (CIVIL) NO(S) .195 OF 2017

MALA RAI

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

RAJEEV AGARWAL

RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

Heard.

Without expressing any opinion on merits, we direct that proceedings in Marriage Petition No.1342 of 2014 titled "Rajiv Agarwal Vs. Mala Rai" on the file of Family Court, Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh shall stand transferred to the Family Court, Thane, Maharashtra, for hearing and disposal in accordance with law. However, the respondent/husband may be allowed to participate in proceedings through video conferencing and the respondent be provided legal aid. If the parties seek mediation, the transferee court may also explore the possibility of an amicable settlement through video conferencing. Records shall be sent by court where proceedings are pending to the transferee court forthwith.

The Registry to transmit a copy of this order to the courts concerned. Parties to appear before the transferee court on Monday, 1<sup>st</sup>, May, 2017.

The transfer petition is, accordingly, allowed  
with the above direction.

.....J.  
[ADARSH KUMAR GOEL]

.....J.  
[UDAY UMESH LALIT]

NEW DELHI;  
21ST MARCH, 2017

ITEM NO.11

COURT NO.12

SECTION XVIA

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(s) (Civil) No(s). 195/2017

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Respondent(s)

(With appln. (s) for stay and office report)

Date : 21/03/2017 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADARSH KUMAR GOEL

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE UDAY UMESH LALIT

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Abhishek B., Adv.  
Mr. Balaji Srinivasan, Adv.For Respondent(s) Mr. Mukesh K. Giri, Adv.  
Mr. Sudhir Naagar, Adv.UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E RThe transfer petition is allowed in terms of the signed  
order.(SWETA DHYANI)  
SR.P.A(VEENA KHERA)  
COURT MASTER

(Signed order is placed on the file)