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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 18832/2021

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 23-09-2021 in FCA No. 172/2019 passed by the High Court Of Andhra Pradesh At Amravati)

MAHESHWARI RAMINENI

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

N. PAVAN KUMAR

Respondent(s)

WITH

SLP(C) No. 20753/2021 (XII-A)

(IA No.165145/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No.165144/2021-PERMISSION TO APPEAR AND ARGUE IN PERSON)

SLP(C) No. 20754/2021 (XII-A)

(IA No.165152/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No.165151/2021-PERMISSION TO APPEAR AND ARGUE IN PERSON)

Date : 07-01-2022 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KISHAN KAUL  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. S. S. Jauhar, AOR

Petitioner-in-person

For Respondent(s) Caveator-in-person

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
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Issue notice, which is accepted by respondent appearing in person.

Counter affidavit be filed within four weeks.

Rejoinder, if any, be filed within two weeks thereafter.

In the meantime, there shall be stay of the operation of the impugned order.

It is however to be ensured that the interaction between the father and the child through video conferencing in terms of arrangements made by the competent Courts must continue and the mother will have to assist in ensuring that interaction.

Learned counsels for petitioner and respondent both have expressed their willingness to resolve the issue of custody through mediation more so as there is multiplicity of proceedings initiated against each other. We consider it appropriate to appoint Justice Kurian Joseph as learned Mediator to endeavor to work out an arrangement inter se the parties. The fee will be fixed by learned Mediator himself to be shared equally by both the parties as volunteered. The mediation can continue through the online process.

The Mediator will submit a report within eight weeks.

List on 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2022.

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Permission to appear and argue in person is granted.

The special leave petitions are dismissed.

Pending applications stand disposed of.

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