

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

TRANSFER PETITION (CIVIL) NO.572 OF 2020

PREETI PANDEY @ PREETI MISHRA PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

BINOD KUMAR MISHRA RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

1. The instant Transfer Petition has been filed for transfer of proceedings from the Family Court, Patna, Bihar to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Dhanbad, Jharkhand.

2. We have heard learned counsel for the parties.

3. The learned counsel for the respondent-husband submits that the parties parted company in the year 2004 and in the trial pertaining to offence punishable under Section 498A of the Indian Penal Code, the respondent-husband has since been acquitted.

4. Considering the facts and circumstances on record, in our view, the transfer petition deserves to be allowed.

5. Accordingly, the instant Transfer Petition is allowed and petition bearing Matrimonial (Divorce) Suit No. 391 of 2017 titled as "*Binod Kumar Mishra*

Vs. Preeti Pandey @ Preeti Mishra" pending in the Court of Additional Principal Judge, Family Court, Patna, Bihar is transferred to the Court of competent jurisdiction at Dhanbad, Jharkhand.

6. The Family Court at Patna, Bihar shall transmit the record immediately to the transferee Court.

7. In order to expedite the proceedings before the transferee Court, the parties are directed to appear before the concerned Court on 12th September, 2022.

8. The transferee Court shall do well to consider disposing the matter as early as possible and preferably within six months.

9. A copy of this order be sent to the concerned Courts for compliance.

.....,CJI.
(UDAY UMESH LALIT)

.....,J.
(S. RAVINDRA BHAT)

NEW DELHI
SEPTEMBER 01, 2022

ITEM NO.12

COURT NO.1

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(s)(Civil) No(s). 572/2020

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Respondent(s)

(IA No.46626/2020-EX-PARTE STAY AND IA No.109152/2020-PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 01-09-2022 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S. RAVINDRA BHAT

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Sumit Kumar, AOR
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Mr. Hemant Kumar, Adv.
Ms. Shruti Wala, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Mahesh Kr. Tiwari, Adv.
Mr. Bishnu Prasad Tiwari, Adv.
Mr. Rajnish Kumar Jha, AOR

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 applications also stand disposed of.

(NEETU KHAJURIA)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(VIRENDER SINGH)
COURT MASTER

(Signed order is placed on the file.)