

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

TRANSFER PETITION (CRIMINAL) NO.256 of 2018

SANJIT KUMAR MAHATO

...Petitioner

VS.

MANJU DEVI & ANR.

...Respondents

O R D E R

This petition is filed by the petitioner-husband seeking transfer of Maintenance Case No.81 of 2017 titled "Manju Devi & Anr. v. Sanjit Kumar Mahato" pending in the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court, Aurangabad, Bihar to the Family Court, Rourkela, Odisha.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the grounds on which transfer has been prayed, Maintenance Case No.81 of 2017 titled "Manju Devi & Anr. v. Sanjit Kumar Mahato" pending in the Court of Principal Judge, Family Court, Aurangabad, Bihar is ordered to be transferred to the Family Court, Rourkela, Odisha.

Records shall be sent by Court where proceedings are pending to the transferee Court promptly and without any delay.

The Transfer Petition is, accordingly, allowed.

However, the petitioner-husband is directed to pay Rs.10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand) to the respondent-wife for her every visit to attend the case in Rourkela, Odisha.

On receipt of the case records, the transferee Court is directed to make all endeavour for reconciliation or amicable settlement, failing which for early decision in the case without unnecessary adjournments.

.....J.
[S.ABDUL NAZEER]

.....J.
[V.RAMASUBRAMANIAN]

New Delhi;
September 05, 2022.

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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Transfer Petition(s)(Criminal) No(s). 256/2018

SANJIT KUMAR MAHATO

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

MANJU DEVI & ANR.

Respondent(s)

Date : 05-09-2022 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S. ABDUL NAZEER
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V. RAMASUBRAMANIAN

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. Vijay K. Jain, AOR

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Kundan Kumar Mishra, AOR
Mr. Saswat Adhyapak, 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, if any, also stands disposed
of.

(ANITA MALHOTRA)
AR-CUM-PS

(KAMLESH RAWAT)
COURT MASTER

(Signed order is placed on the file.)