



O.P.No.178 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28-04-2026

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THE HON'BLE DR.JUSTICE A.D.MARIA CLETE

OP No. 178 of 2025

and

**A. Nos. 1907, 283 to 286 of 2026, 1710, 1713 &
2705 of 2025 & O.A. No. 330 of 2025**

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..Petitioner(s)

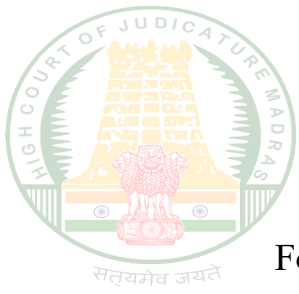
Vs

Lavanya Venugopal
D/o.Venugopal,
No.30, Kasturi Rangan Road,
Teynampet, Chennai - 600 018.

..Respondent(s)

A. That the petitioner may be granted permanent custody of his minor son Master Raghav, born on 19.06.2019 currently aged about 6 years and B. That the petitioner be appointed as the guardian of the person of the minor son Master Raghav.

For Petitioner(s): M/s.Chennai Law Associates
M.L.Joseph
K.Subhashini
Amar K.Panwar
Ponmadasamy
Srishti Pandey
Prathikgsha Barani



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For Respondent(s): N.Guhan
M/s.S.P.Arthi (1184/2001)
G.Indhumathi(2051/2017)
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Vak For Sole Respondent-
d.No-18804/2025-filed On-02/06/2025

ORDER

Learned counsel for both parties submit that they have arrived at some sort of consensus and the learned counsel for the petitioner submits that they would require assistance of mediator to finalize the issues. In view of the submissions made by the learned counsels for both parties, and having regard to the nature of the dispute, this case is referred to mediation attached to this Court.

2. As chosen by the learned counsel for both parties, Mr.Bala Natarajan, learned Counsel is appointed as mediator. All the parties, along with their respective learned counsel, are directed to appear before the Mediator, Tamil Nadu Mediation and Conciliation Centre, High Court of Madras on 01.06.2026 and the Mediator shall hold appropriate sessions with the parties, explore the possibility of an amicable settlement of the inter se disputes in the prayer sought for in this



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petition and also the contentious issues and averments raised in A.No.1907 of 2026, and facilitate the parties in arriving at a mutually acceptable resolution and a joint parenting plan and settlement of the disputes between the parties and the parties are also permitted to appear before the Mediator in Video Conference subject to the directives of the Mediator.

3.Registry is directed to list the matter on 12.06.2026 along with the mediation report under the caption 'Mediation referred cases'.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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