

BEFORE THE ADDITIONAL MASTER-III  
THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCE  
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

O.P.No.716 OF 2023

Date: 06.08.2025

Time: 01.00 P.M.

Name : Mrs.S.Radha (PW1)

Further cross examination by Ms.N.Nagu Sah, Learned counsel for the Respondents No.1 to 3.

Solemnly Affirmed:

Q74: I suggest to you that only on the acceptance of you and your husband that the child be brought up only by R1's younger brother Lakshmiopathy and his wife Poorani at Chennai and that R1,R2 will not take the child to Dubai, R1,R2 has taken the minor child in adoption from you?

A: I deny. Witness adds: I never accepted as such. R1,R2 themselves told that they will take the child to Dubai.

Q75: Are you aware the ever since the date of giving the child in adoption, the minor was brought up by Lakshmiopathy and Poorani at Chennai?

A: They have handed over the child to Rani ammal.

Q76: How do you know that R2 Bhuvaneshwari handed over the child to R3 Rani?

A: R2 informed me.

Q77: I suggest to you that Bhuvaneshwari and her husband Kumar handed over the child only to the younger brother Lakshmiopathy and Poorani?

A: No such incident happened. Bhuvaneshwari and Kumar handed over the child to Rani and informed me that they will make ready everything in Dubai and then take the child with them.

Q78: I suggest to you Bhuvaneshwari never handed over the child to the custody of R3, Rani

A: I deny.

Q79: I suggest to you from the date of adoption only Lakshmipathy and Poorani are bringing up the child with them till this date.

A: I deny.

Q80: I suggest to you only at the instruction of Kumar and Bhuvaneshwari his younger brother Lakshmipathy and Poorani are bringing up the child and taking care of her even as on date.

A: Kumar and Bhuvaneshwari never stated the above said facts to us.

Q81: Do you mean to say that the child was not brought up by Lakshmipathy and Poorani?

A: Yes.

Q82: Do you know in which school and in which standard the minor child is studying?

A: In Sheba school, I think she is studying in 6<sup>th</sup> standard.

Q83: Do you aware from the date of adoption the entire maintenance and educational expenses of the minor child is born only by Kumar and Bhuvaneshwari?

A: Yes.

Q84: I suggest to you since yourself and your husband voluntarily handed over the child to R1 and R2 by way of adoption you have ceased to have any right over the child or ask for the return of the child from the adopted parents.

A: I handed over the child by compulsion of my husband. I was not willing to hand over the child in adoption.

Q85: I suggest to you if your contention that you handed over the child against your Will is true, You might not kept silent for 8 years without asking for the return of the minor.

A: I deny. Witness adds: For the past 8 years I asked them to return my child.

Q86: I suggest to you, you never gave the child under any compulsion and gave the child voluntarily in adoption to R1,R2

A: I deny.

Q87: I suggest to you that after giving the child in adoption you never asked for the return of the child till you filed this OP.

A: I deny.

Q88: I suggest to you since R1 and R2 had no intention to take the child to Dubai, Your allegation that R1,R2 had represented to you that they are discussing with the Child Welfare Officer at Dubai for taking the child to Dubai is false.

A: They have falsely stated.

Q89: Did you file any proof to show that R1 and R2 were about to take the child to Dubai or they discussed with the Child Welfare Officer at Dubai in this regard?

A: No. Witness adds: They told that they made everything ready.

Q90: If your contention that you did not give the child in adoption but you gave the child casually to R1,R2 did you fix any time limit or duration period for the stay of the child with R1,R2?

A: No.

Q91: I suggest to you that since you handed over the child in adoption you did not fix any time or duration for the return of the child.

A: I deny. Witness adds: We have not given the child in adoption.

Q92: Is it right to say that the minor did not come to your village/house at Thalakanikuppam from the date of adoption till the filing of this petition?

A: No. Witness adds: The minor child came to my house/village. The native place of Rani's husband is Thalakanikuppam. Whenever he came to his native place he also brought my child.

Q93: Excepts along with Rani's husband did the child ever come to your house at Thalakanikuppam?

A: The minor child came to my house. Witness adds: Rani's husband expired and his samathi is located in his native village Thalakanikuppam. Every year they came to Thalakanikuppam to perform annual ceremony and at that time they brought minor child.

Time : 01.45 P.M

Taken down in open Court, read over and explained to the witness and the same is admitted by the witness to be correct and signed before me.

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