

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

TRANSFER PETITION (CRL.) NO. 150 OF 2006

RAGHURAJ BHATNAGAR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

MUMTAZ & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for exemption from appointment of official translator  
and stay and office report)

(FOR FINAL DISPOSAL)

Date: 24/08/2007 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.B. SINHA  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. BEDI

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Deba Prasad Mukherjee,Adv.  
Mrs. Nandini Sen,Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Raj Kumar Gupta,Adv.  
Mr. Sarad Kumar Singhania,Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following  
ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the parties.  
The transfer petition is allowed in terms of the signed order.

(A.S. BISHT)  
COURT MASTER

(PUSHAP LATA BHARDWAJ)  
COURT MASTER

[Signed order is placed on the file]  
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CRIMINAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

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ORDER

Having heard the learned counsel for the parties, we direct that Complaint Case No. 3211 of 2005, titled Mumtaz vs. Raghuraj Bhatnagar and another, filed by the respondent herein which is pending before the learned Addl. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Jhansi (U.P.), be transferred to a Court of appropriate jurisdiction at Ranchi in the State of Jharkhand. The records of the aforementioned case may be transmitted to the Court of Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ranchi, who shall assign the same to an appropriate Court having jurisdiction to try the case.

The transferee Court shall issue notice to the parties after fixing a date of hearing. Keeping in view the fact that the respondent is a resident of Jhansi (U.P.), the transferee Court may accommodate the respondent as far as practicable.

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We may also take note of the fact that a connected transfer petition, being Transfer Petition (Crl.) No.136/2006, which was filed by the daughter of the petitioner herein, has also been allowed.

The transfer petition is allowed accordingly.

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(S.B. SINHA)

.....J  
(H.S. BEDI)

NEW DELHI,  
AUGUST 24, 2007.