

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

TRANSFER PETITION (CIVIL.) NO(s). 606 OF 2009

ARUNDHATI CHATTERJEE(CHAKRABORTY)

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

PITAMBAR CHAKARBORTY

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for stay and office report)

Date: 19/02/2010 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R.V. RAVEENDRAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.S. RADHAKRISHNAN

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Rajeev Mishra, Adv.
Mr. Parmanand Pandey,Adv.

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The transfer petition is allowed in terms of
the signed order.

(Sonia)
Sr. P.A.

(M.S. Negi)
Court Master

(Signed order is placed on file)
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
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This is a petition for transfer by the wife
seeking transfer of the divorce petition filed by the
husband pending in Family Court at Bokaro, Jharkhand to
the court of District Judge, Hooghly, Chinsura, West
Bengal. Respondent though served has not entered

appearance.

The petitioner alleges that there is a threat to her life if she attends the proceedings at Bokaro. She also states that being unemployed she is financially incapable to bear the cost of travelling to Bokaro. She wants the matter to be transferred to Hooghly. Criminal Case filed by the petitioner is also pending at Hooghly. She also has no male member to accompany her to attend the case at Bokaro. The petitioner also points out that as respondent is working abroad, it will make no difference to him whether the case is at Bokaro or Hooghly.

On the facts and circumstances, we consider it to be a fit case for transfer. The transfer petition is therefore allowed. We direct the transfer of (Matrimonial) Suit No. 287 of 2008 pending before Principal Judge, Family Court, Bokaro, Jharkhand to the District Judge, Hooghly, West Bengal, who may either decide the same or assign it to Court of competent jurisdiction.

.....J.
(R.V. RAVEENDRAN)

(K.S. RADHAKRISHNAN)

.....J.

NEW DELHI,
DATED FEBRUARY 19, 2010