

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No(s).14164 / 2007
(From the judgement and order dated 14/03 / 2 007 in M A T(A P P E A L) No.
63/2005 of The H I G H C O U R T O F D E L H I AT N. D E L H I)

B H A R A T B H U S H A N S H A R M A

Petitioner(s)

V E R S U S

P R A T I B A

Respondent(s)

(With prayer for interim relief and office report)(for final disposal)

Date: 15/04 / 2 009 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

C O R A M :

H O N ' B L E M R. J U S T I C E R. V. R A V E E N D R A N

H O N ' B L E M R. J U S T I C E M A R K A N D E Y K A T J U

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Mr. Satyendra Kumar, Adv.

Ms. Satwinder Kaur, Adv.

Ms. Sunita Bhardwaj, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Dr. Kailash Chand, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

Learned counsel submitted that parties had attempted mediation on earlier occasion but it ended in a failure. The petition is on the ground of cruelty. Both the courts below have found that cruelty is not made out. Learned counsel for the respondent-wife states that she has always been and even now ready to live with the petitioner-husband. It is also evident that some of the irritants that came in the way of the parties joining together are no longer in existence. In view of this, we are of the view that this is a fit case where the parties should attempt once more to settle their dispute. We accordingly refer this matter to the Delhi High Court Mediation Centre. Parties will appear without further notice before the Mediation Centre on 22.04.2009 at 2 p.m. List the matter in the second week of May, 2009 for the report of the Mediation Centre.

(Anand Singh)

(Pawan Kumar)

Assistant Registrar Court Master