

ITEM NO.1

COURT NO.1

SECTION XIA

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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 (C) No(s). 21023/2011

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 24/06/2010 in AS No. 87/2003 passed by the High Court Of Kerala At Ernakulam)

S.MAYA DEVI

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

S.VALSALKUMARY & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(with interim relief and office report)

Date : 03/12/2015 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE R. BANUMATHI

For Petitioner(s) Ms. Bindu K. Nair, Adv.
Mr. Abhishth Kumar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. K.P. Kylasanath Pillay, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Sajith. P., Adv.
Mr. Kumar Gaurav, Adv.
Mr. R. Chandrachud, Adv.

UPON being mentioned the Court made the following

O R D E R

Heard.

While respondent no.5 has filed counter affidavit, other respondents do not appear to have done so. Mr. K.P. Kylasanath Pillay, learned senior counsel appearing for them, may file a counter affidavit within six weeks, in particular, stating whether or not each one of the said respondents had also, like the petitioner herein, received a sum of Rs.70,000/- from Sarojini Amma, their mother, and given up all their rights and interests in the property which was owned by the

deceased-Sarojini Amma including the school being run for her. Rejoinder affidavit, if any, be filed within two weeks after the counter affidavit if filed.

Learned counsel for the parties submit that while the counter affidavit and rejoinder affidavit can be filed by the parties within the time allowed, they are not averse to exploring the possibility of an amicable settlement among the sisters with the help of the Mediation Centre in the High Court of Kerala.

We accordingly direct the parties to appear before the Mediation Centre in the High Court of Kerala at Ernakulam on Wednesday, the 6th January, 2016.

The Mediation Centre shall submit a report as to the progress made expeditiously but not later than two months from the date the parties appear before it.

(MAHABIR SINGH)
COURT MASTER

(VEENA KHERA)
COURT MASTER