

SUPREME COURT LOK ADALAT

TRANSFER PETITION (C) NO.899 OF 2007

NEETI MALVIYA

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

RAKESH MALVIYA

RESPONDENT(S)

(With appln(s) for stay, grant of maintenance and exemption from filing O.T.)

Date : 7th February, 2009.

The above Petition was taken up today for settlement.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALTAMAS KABIR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASOK KUMAR GANGULY

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Satya Mitra,Adv.
Mr. Sanjay Jain,Adv.

For Respondent(s) Ms. Jasmine Damkewala,Adv.
Ms. Manik Karanjawala,Adv.
Mr. R.N. Karanjawala,Adv.

This matter was taken up at the Supreme Court Lok Adalat with the consent and agreement through their counsel. THE FOLLOWING ORDER/AWARD IS PASSED:

Learned counsel for the petitioner-wife submits that positive steps had been taken towards arriving at a settlement between the parties before the Delhi High Court Mediation and Conciliation Centre [for short, "Mediation Centre"]. In fact, certain terms were also settled between the parties. However, the respondent was not present before the Mediation Centre on 6th February, 2009,

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on account of his illness. Today, when the matter is before the Lok Adalat, learned counsel for the respondent-husband submits that the respondent is in Bangalore and is still unable to be present.

Let this matter be listed before the next Lok Adalat and, in the meantime, the Mediation Centre is requested to complete the process and send a final report of the settlement which appears to have been arrived at between the parties.

The parties shall try and work out the terms and conditions of the settlement in the meantime. The travelling expenses of the petitioner-wife to attend this Lok Adalat shall be borne by the Mediation Centre upon an application to be made by the petitioner in that regard.

[ASOK KUMAR GANGULY, J.]

[ALTAMAS KABIR, J.]