

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE

WEDNESDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2015/8TH ASWINA, 1937

WP(C).No. 29773 of 2015 (V)

PETITIONER :

**CHRISTY MOL THOMAS, AGED 26 YEARS,
D/O. THOMAS JOSEPH, NELLITHANAM,
KOTTAMURI P.O., CHANGANASSERY,
NEW RESIDING AT MIG 121, GANDHI NAGAR,
KADAVANTHRA, KOCHI - 20.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.JOY GEORGE
SRI.TOJAN J. VATHIKULAM
SRI.C.X.ANTONY BENEDICT
SMT.TANYA JOY**

RESPONDENT :

**THE MARRIAGE REGISTRAR (CHRISTIAN MARRIAGES)
THE SUB REGISTRAR, EDAPPALLY SUB REGISTRAR
OFFICE, EDAPPALLY, ERNAKULAM DISTRICT - 682024.**

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SMT. C.K. SHERIN

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 30-09-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE
FOLLOWING:**

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS :

- 1: COPY OF THE NOTICE OF INTENDED MARRIAGE SUBMITTED BY THE PETITIONER BEFORE THE RESPONDENT.**
- P2: THE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE PARISH PRIEST AT U.S.A.**
- P3: COPY OF THE AADHAR CARD OF THE GROOM'S FATHER.**

RESPONDENT'S EXHIBITS : NIL.

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P.A. TO JUDGE

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A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE, J.

W.P.(C) No.29773 of 2015

Dated this the 30th day of September, 2015

JUDGMENT

The petitioner wants to marry a foreign national of U.S. citizenship under the Cochin Christian Civil Marriage Act, 1095. The respondent refused to receive notice for want for appointment of Marriage Officer in the country of foreign national.

2. This Court in several judgments held that there is no impediment in allowing the registration of the marriage merely for the reason that the Marriage Officer has not been appointed in the foreign country.

In view of the above, the respondent is directed to receive notice of marriage and register the marriage in accordance with the above Act. Notice shall be reckoned as on today.

The writ petition is disposed of as above.

Sd/-

A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE, JUDGE

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