

HON'BLE Dr. JUSTICE B. SIVA SANKARA RAO

TRANSFER C.M.P.No.765 of 2017

ORDER :

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. In view of the settled expressions of the Apex Court in **T. Gayatri Devi v. Dr.Tallepaneni Sreekanth¹** and **Amita Shah v. Virender Lal Shah²**, that the inconvenience caused to be the wife must be weighed when compared to that of the husband in matrimonial matters in considering the transfer applications, the present transfer petition is allowed and F.C.O.P.No.457 of 2016 pending on the file of the Judge, Family Court, City Civil Court, Secunderabad, is withdrawn and transferred to the Judge, Family Court, Visakhapatnam. The Judge, Family Court, Visakhapatnam, shall not insist the personal appearance of the respondent herein if representing through advocate under Section 13 of the Family Courts Act, if any, but for reconciliation and for giving of evidence.

Miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, shall stand closed. No order as to costs.

Dr. B. SIVA SANKARA RAO, J

11th December 2017.

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¹ 2013 (6) ALT 42 (SC)

² (2003) 10 SCC 609