

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE SRI THOTTATHIL B. RADHAKRISHNAN

TRANSFER CRIMINAL PETITION No.298 of 2015

ORDER:

Heard learned counsel for the petitioners.

2. The first respondent, who is the wife of the first petitioner, is the complainant in relation to two proceedings, one is a Domestic Violence Case and the other is a Criminal Case relating to the offences punishable under Section 498-A I.P.C. However, one of those cases initiated by the first respondent-wife is before the learned X Metropolitan Magistrate, Malkajgiri, and the other case is before the learned I Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Vijayawada, Krishna District. Ends of justice require that these two cases should be in one Court though they may or may not be tried together depending upon the applicable legal provisions.

3. For the aforesaid reasons, I am satisfied that sufficient grounds have been shown for transfer of D.V.C.No.197 of 2014 from the Court of I Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Vijayawada, Krishna District, to the Court of X Metropolitan Magistrate, Malkajgiri.

4. Hence, this Transfer Criminal Petition, which is not contested, is allowed transferring D.V.C.No.197 of 2014 from the Court of I Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Vijayawada, Krishna District, to the Court of X Metropolitan Magistrate, Malkajgiri, Ranga Reddy District.

Pending miscellaneous petitions, if any, shall stand closed.

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THOTTATHIL B. RADHAKRISHNAN, CJ

Date: 14.12.2018

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