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# In the Privy Council.

No. 37 of 1951.

## ON APPEAL FROM THE SUPREME COURTS THE ISLAND OF CEYLON

ITY OF LONTON W.C. 1

21 JUL 1953

INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED LEGAL STUDIES

#### BETWEEN

A. H. M. ABDUL CADER ...

... APPELLANT

AND

- A. R. A. RAZIK 1.
- AMEENA UMMA (wife of A. R. A. Razik) 2.
- ALAVEE MAZAHIMA (wife of M. S. M. Shafeek, and 3. daughter of Appellant)
- HAMEEDA SITHY ZUBEIDA (daughter of Appellant and maternal granddaughter of Respondents ... Respondents. Nos. 1 and 2) ... ...

### CASE ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENTS Nos. 1 AND 2

RECORD

1.—This is an appeal from the Judgment and Decree of the Supreme pp. 69, 74 Court of Ceylon, dated the 28th September, 1950, dismissing, with costs, pp. 58-66 an appeal from the Order of the District Court of Colombo, dated the 22nd August, 1948, whereby it was held, inter alia, that a marriage which, in the circumstances hereinafter stated, Respondent No. 4 had contracted as a Hanafi Muslim through a wali\* of her own choice was a valid marriage. \*A " wali " is a

marriage guardian

- 2.—The question for determination on this appeal is concerned with the validity of the said marriage—whether or not the decision of both Courts below that the marriage was valid is correct.
- 3.—These Respondents adopt in full the "Case On Behalf of Respondent No. 4 "and, for the Reasons set out in the said Case, pray for a dismissal of the appeal, with costs.

R. K. HANDOO.

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