

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF THE FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY**

**IN THE ABUJA JUDICIAL DIVISION**  
**HOLDEN AT GWAGWALADA- ABUJA**

**THIS THURSDAY THE 17<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF APRIL, 2023**

**BEFORE HIS LORDSHIP: HON. JUSTICE ALIYU YUNUSA SHAFI**

**SUIT NO: FCT/HC/GWD/CR/78/2022**

**BETWEEN:**

**OBI EMMAUEL MADUABUCHI.....PETITIONER**

**AND**

**OBI-RUBY OBIAGERI ENO.....RESPONDENT**

Under order 26 of the High court of the FCT Abuja civil procedure rules 2018 which provides thus;

“when a matter comes before the court for the first time, the judge shall in the circumstance when it is appropriate grant to the parties’ time, not more than 38 days within which parties may explore possibilities for settlement of the disputes.”

Based on the above provision of the law and the application of the parties, this matter was adjourned to today being 17-04-2023, both parties were in court.

The petitioner's counsel who informed the court that parties have settled and the settlement agreement filed in the court file and urged the court to adopt same as the consent judgment of this court.

The part of compulsory conference between parties and either counsel in the instant petition on the reliefs sought by the petitioner pursuant to order 41 rules 33-34 (1)(a)(b) of the MCR 1983.

The respondent who did not file an answer to the petition, and based on the compulsory conference virtually held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023 parties have on this petition reached a mutual understanding and filed as follows.

1. That the marriage contracted between parties on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of August 2019 has broken down irretrievably and should henceforth be dissolved by this court.

Based on the above I hereby on the 17<sup>th</sup> of April, 2023 dissolve the marriage between Obi Emmanuel Maduabuchi and Obi Ruby ObiageriEno contracted on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of August, 2019.

This is my Judgment.

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**HON. JUSTICE A.Y. SHAFI**

**APPEARANCE:**

1. Johnson Omede for the Applicant.