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Short Form Order

NEW YORK STATE SUPREME COURT - QUEENS COUNTY Present: <u>HONORABLE FREDERICK D.R. SAMPSON</u> IAS TERM, PART <u>31</u>

Justice

Index No: 712736/2020

Motion Cal. No: 24 Motion Seq. No: 3

FILED

COUNTY CLERK

QUEENS COUNTY

Motion Date: 08/03/2022

-----X LEELA MARET, ALEX THOMAS, and JOSEPH KURIAPPURAM,

Petitioner,

-against-

MAMMEN C. JACOB, PHILIPOSE PHILIP, BEN PAUL, KURIAN PRAKKANAM, GREGORY VARUGHESE, and FEDERATION OF KERALA ASSOCIATION IN NORTH AMERICA, INC.,

Respondents.

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The following papers numbered E 51 to E 77 read on Petitioner's Order to Show Cause: (1) annulling the results of the Sham Election on July 28, 2020; (2) declaring that persons who were purportedly elected as officers of the National Committee; (3) declaring the June 12, 2020 Resolution of the National Committee is valid; (3) invalidation any BoT notice to conduct an online General Counsel election on September 9, 2020; (4) immediately restraining and enjoining Respondents from conducting or administrating the July 2022 general council election.

	PAPERS	
	NUMBERED	
Notice of Motion-Affidavits-Exhibits	E 51	- E 60
Answering Affidavits-Exhibits	E 65	- E 77

Upon the foregoing papers, it is hereby ordered that the motion is disposed of as follows:

Petitioner's application is denied in its entirety. With regards to the July 28, 2020/ September 9, 2020 election, despite petitioner's arguments to the contrary, it appears that the members of the Federation of Kerala Association in North America were properly Noticed of the election, and other than petitioner's assertions, petitioner has not put forth any evidentiary basis of malfeasance regarding said election. The branch of petitioner's application which seeks to enjoin and restrain respondents from conducting the July 2022 election is denied as moot in as

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much as the Court declined to issue a stay of the proceedings and the election as since been held.

Accordingly, petitioner's application is denied in its entirety.

Dated: October 20, 2022



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