

Supreme Court of the State of New York  
Appellate Division: Second Judicial Department

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G/prt

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Argued - October 11, 2011

WILLIAM F. MASTRO, A.P.J.  
RANDALL T. ENG  
ARIEL E. BELEN  
L. PRISCILLA HALL, JJ.

2010-11413

DECISION & ORDER

In the Matter of George Bartley, petitioner-respondent,  
v Renee Pringle, respondent; Jeanette Pringle,  
respondent-respondent; Karen P. Simmons, nonparty-  
appellant.

(Docket Nos. V-21204-01, V-23452-01)

Karen P. Simmons, Brooklyn, N.Y. (Barbara H. Dildine and Janet Neustaetter of  
counsel), appellant pro se.

In a custody and visitation proceeding pursuant to Family Court Act article 6, Karen  
P. Simmons, the attorney for the child, appeals from an order of the Family Court, Kings County  
(Krauss, J.), dated November 30, 2010, which granted the petitioner father's motion to dismiss the  
maternal grandmother's cross petition for custody of the subject child and granted the father's  
petition for custody of the subject child.

ORDERED that the appeal is dismissed as academic, without costs or disbursements.

Since the child is now over 18 years of age, she is no longer subject to the order  
appealed from, and the appeal must be dismissed as academic (*see Matter of Merando v Vantassel*,  
66 AD3d 783).

MASTRO, A.P.J., ENG, BELEN and HALL, JJ., concur.

ENTER:

  
Aprilanne Agostino  
Clerk of the Court

December 6, 2011

MATTER OF BARTLEY v PRINGLE