

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDI GARH

ARB-109-2016 (C&M)
Date of decision: - 16.12.2016

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Present :- Mr. P. S. Pana, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ranjana Shahi, Advocate,
Ms. Seema, Advocate,
for the respondents.

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S. J. VAZI FDAR, C. J. (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 11 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (in short the Act) for the appointment of an arbitrator.

2. The parties had entered into an agreement which contains an arbitration clause. Disputes and differences having arisen between the parties, the petitioner invoked the arbitration clause by a letter dated 30.11.2015. The respondents, however, have not appointed an arbitrator even to date. They have, therefore, forfeited their right to appoint an arbitrator even assuming that they are entitled to do so in view of the amendments to the Act.

3. In these circumstances, the petition is disposed of by appointing Mr. Justice N.K. Sodhi, former Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court, as the sole arbitrator.

(S. J. VAZI FDAR)
CHIEF JUSTICE

16.12.2016

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/ No
Whether reportable	Yes/ No