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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

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Date of decision : 24.03.2023

M/s VSL India Private Limited (VSL)

.....Applicant

Versus

M/s Pink City Expressway Private Limited (PCEPL)

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE

Present: Mr. Manoj Pundir, Advocate,  
for the applicant.

None for the respondent.

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**RAVI SHANKER JHA, CHIEF JUSTICE ( Oral )**

This is an application under Section 11 (6) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (for short, 'the Act') filed by the applicant seeking appointment of an Arbitrator to adjudicate upon the disputes between the parties in terms of Clause 16 of the agreements dated 11.11.2009 and 13.01.2011 entered into between the parties, as in spite of a notice dated 24.01.2018 being issued by the applicant to the respondent, Arbitrator has not been appointed.

Despite service, none had appeared on behalf of the respondent.

On 10.02.2023, this Court proposed to appoint Justice Vijay Kumar Jhanji, a former Judge of the Jammu and Kashmir High Court, as sole Arbitrator to adjudicate upon the disputes between the parties and necessary declaration, as required under Section 12 (5) of the Act, was called, which has been received.

In these circumstances, Justice Vijay Kumar Jhanji, a former Judge of the Jammu and Kashmir High Court, is appointed as sole Arbitrator to adjudicate the disputes between the parties.

Application stands disposed of.

( RAVI SHANKER JHA )  
CHIEF JUSTICE

March 24, 2023  
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