

IN THE PUNJAB AND HARYANA HIGH COURT AT
CHANDIGARH

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CWP-8586-2023

Date of Decision: 21.11.2023

M/S J.K. INFCON PVT. LTD.

... Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ.

Present: Mr. Chirag Girdhar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Teevar Sharma, AAG, Punjab.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Prayer made in the present petition is for directing the respondents to refer the dispute to the Dispute Review Expert as per the procedure laid down in Clause 24 and 25 of the Conditions of the Contract.

Reply on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4 has been filed by way of an affidavit of Yuvraj Bindra Singh, Executive Engineer, National Highway Division, Punjab, PWD (B&R), Mohali. It has been contended that as per the averments contained in paragraph No.2 thereof, the Dispute Review Expert (DRE) has already been appointed by respondent No.5. Learned State Counsel on instructions from Kirat Kaur, SDO further submits that the dispute, if not already referred to the DRE, would be referred to him within a period of four weeks from today.

In view of the same, learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the present petition has become infructuous.

Disposed of as having been rendered infructuous.

The respondents shall, however, remain bound by the statement made today in Court.

NOVEMBER 21, 2023
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(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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