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

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Date of Decision: 06.08.2024

M/s Kumar Construction Company

...Applicant

Versus

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: - Mr. Lajpat Sharma, Advocate for the applicant

Mr. Praveen Chander Goyal, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)

1. Through instant application under Section 11(6) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (for short '**1996 Act**'), the applicant is seeking appointment of an Arbitrator.
2. The parties entered into an agreement. There is an arbitration clause in the aforesaid deed. The parties are neither disputing existence of agreement nor arbitration clause.
3. The applicant, in terms of Section 21 of 1996 Act, served notice upon the respondent.
4. Conditions to invoke power conferred by Section 11(6) of 1996 Act stand satisfied, thus, I hereby appoint a sole Arbitrator to adjudicate the dispute between the parties.

5. Sh. M.S. Viridi, District & Sessions Judge (Retd.), residing at House No.1061, Sector 4, Panchkula, Mobile No.9814370288 is appointed as an Arbitrator to adjudicate the dispute between the parties, subject to compliance of statutory requirements. The learned Arbitrator is requested to comply with mandate of Section 12 of 1996 Act before proceeding further.
6. Parties are directed to appear before the learned Arbitrator on date, time and place to be fixed by the Arbitrator at his convenience.
7. The Arbitrator shall be paid fee in accordance with the Fourth Schedule of the Act, as amended.
8. The Arbitrator is requested to complete the proceedings as per time limit specified under Section 29-A of the Act.
9. Needless to mention, parties will be at liberty to raise all the claims/defences/counter claims/pleas before the Arbitrator. Any observation made hereinabove will not be binding on the learned Arbitrator.
10. A request letter along with copy of this order be sent to Sh. M.S. Viridi, District & Sessions Judge (Retd.).

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)

JUDGE

06.08.2024

Mohit Kumar

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