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

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Date of Decision: 20.11.2024

Qualix Information System LLP

...Applicant

Versus

KCC Buildcom Private Limited

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: - Mr. Arjun Sheoran, Advocate and
Mr. Rohan Gupta, Advocate for the applicant

Mr. Jabbar Ali, Advocate and
Mr. Jasdeep Singh Salooja, Advocate for the respondent

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 respondent issued work order dated 15.02.2019 (Annexure P-1) to the applicant. A dispute erupted between the parties. There is an arbitration clause in the aforesaid work order. The issuance of work order, arbitration clause in work order and service of notice invoking arbitration clause is not disputed.
3. Mr. Jabbar Ali, Advocate appeared and filed his Power of Attorney on behalf of the respondent. The same is taken on record. Registry is directed to tag the same at an appropriate place.
4. Learned counsel for the respondent submits that he leaves it to this Court to make appointment of an independent Arbitrator.

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5. 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.

6. Mr. Justice Vinod Goel, Retired Judge of Delhi High Court, residing at D6 Ground Floor, Green Park Main, New Delhi- 110016, Mobile No.9910384637 is hereby appointed as a Sole 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.

7. Parties are directed to appear before the learned Arbitrator on date, time and place to be fixed by the Arbitrator at his convenience.

8. The Arbitrator shall be paid fee in accordance with the Fourth Schedule of the Act, as amended.

9. The Arbitrator is requested to complete the proceedings as per time limit specified under Section 29-A of the 1996 Act.

10. Needless to mention, parties would 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.

11. A request letter along with copy of this order be sent to Mr. Justice Vinod Goel.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

20.11.2024*Mohit Kumar*

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