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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ **O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 70/2024**

M/S DAS CONSTRUCTION Petitioner

Through: Mr. Akshay Sapra, Advocate.

versus

CONTAINER CORPORATION OF INDIA Respondent

Through: Mr. Ashutosh Kumar Shukla, Adv.
(M. 9958994429)

CORAM:

JUSTICE PRATHIBA M. SINGH

ORDER

% **09.02.2024**

1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.
2. This is a petition under Section 29A of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (hereinafter, 'the Act') seeking extension of the mandate of the Id. Arbitrator. The arbitral Tribunal was constituted vide order dated 1st December, 2020 in Arb. P. 487/2019. The Arbitral Tribunal held its first sitting on 9th February, 2021.
3. The dispute in the present matter arises out of contract agreement dated 25th May, 2015 for the execution of construction of CC Pavement, Boundary wall, drain, gate and security room at Bodhjana Ganan Industrial growth centre (near Bamboo park area), Agartala. The claims were filed by the Petitioner on 22nd March, 2021.
4. Thereafter, an application was filed by the Respondent under Section 16 under the Act which appears to have consumed a substantial amount of time between 30th July, 2021 and 5th March, 2022. The statement of defense was filed by the Respondent on 6th May, 2022.



5. Thereafter, the pleadings have been completed and the matter is now at the stage of trial.
6. Considering the chronology of events, the mandate of the 1d. Arbitrator is extended till 31st December 2024.
7. Petition is disposed of with all pending applications, if any.

PRATHIBA M. SINGH, J.

FEBRUARY 09, 2024

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