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

+ **O.M.P. (T) (COMM.) 56/2024**

**M/S METRRO WASTE HANDLING
PRIVATE LIMITED**

..... Petitioner

Through: Mr. Tarang Gupta and Mr.
Kartikeya Sharma, Advocates (M:
9731424935).

versus

DELHI JAL BOARD

..... Respondent

Through: Ms. Sangeeta Bharti, Standing
Counsel Delhi Jal Board with Ms.
Malvi Balyan, Adv. (M:
7838381996).

CORAM:

JUSTICE PRATHIBA M. SINGH

ORDER

% **29.05.2024**

1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.
2. This is a petition filed on behalf of the Petitioner-M/s Metrro Waste Handling Pvt. Ltd. under Section 14 and 15 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996. The Petitioner vide the present petition is seeking appointment of a substitute arbitrator in place of the erstwhile Id. Arbitrator-Mr. Justice Talwant Singh (Retd.) who has withdrawn from the present proceedings due to personal reasons.
3. The matter was referred to the Id. Arbitrator vide order dated 3rd July, 2023 in *ARB.P. 353/2023* titled *M/s Metrro Waste Handling Private Limited v. Delhi Jal Board*. However, on 10th May, 2024 the parties received a letter by way of an email from the Id. Arbitrator, informing the



parties that he is withdrawing from the arbitration proceedings due to personal reasons.

4. The Court has perused the said letter wherein the Id. Arbitrator has cited personal reasons for withdrawal from the present proceedings.

5. It is submitted by Id. Counsel for the Respondent that pleadings have been completed in the matter and currently evidence is going on claims 1 to

6. Considering the fact that the Id. Arbitrator has withdrawn, **Justice Indermeet Kaur Kocchar (Retd.) [M: 9910384614]** is appointed as the Id. Sole Arbitrator to adjudicate the disputes between the parties.

7. The arbitration shall proceed from the stage where the erstwhile Id. Arbitrator has withdrawn. The arbitration shall be continued under the aegis of the DIAC on the same terms as contained in the previous order dated 3rd July, 2023.

8. Petition is disposed of with all pending applications, if any.

PRATHIBA M. SINGH, J.

MAY 29, 2024

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