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

+ **O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 556/2024**

SMS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Sandeep Das, Ms. Anandini
Rathore & Mr. Rishabh Lekhi,
Advocates.

versus

**OIL AND NATURAL GAS
CORPORATION LIMITED**

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Abhimanyu Garg, Mrs. Preety
Makkar & Ms. Gayatri Jamwal,
Advocates. [M:-9811092113]

**CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRATEEK JALAN**

% **ORDER**
30.07.2024

I.A. 34837/2024(Exemption)

Exemption allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

The application stands disposed of.

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1. This petition, under Section 29A of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 ["the Act"], has been filed for extension of the mandate of the learned Arbitral Tribunal, which is in *seisin* of disputes between the parties under a Contract dated 01.05.2012.

2. I am informed that the arbitral tribunal has reserved the award in



October, 2023, after which certain additional documents have been filed as a result of which further time is required. The learned arbitral tribunal, by a communication dated 20.07.2024, has indicated that the parties should take extension of time till 15.09.2024.

3. Mr. Abhimanyu Garg, learned counsel for the respondent, appears on advance notice, and states that the respondent has no objection to the relief sought.

4. With the consent of learned counsel for the parties, the petition is allowed, and the mandate of the learned Arbitral Tribunal is extended until 15.09.2024 w.e.f. 31.07.2024.

5. The petition stands disposed of in these terms.

PRATEEK JALAN, J

JULY 30, 2024

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