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

+ **O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 593/2024**

STERLITE TECHNOLOGIES LTD

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Abhinav Mukherji, Sr.
Advocate with Ms. Pratishtha Vij
and Ms. Khushboo Hora,
Advocates.

versus

MAHANAGAR TELEPHONE NIGAM LIMITEDRespondent

Through: Ms. Suruchi Suri, Advocate.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRATEEK JALAN

ORDER

09.08.2024

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1. This petition has been filed, under Section 29A of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, seeking extension of the mandate of an arbitral tribunal, which is in *seisin* of disputes between the parties under a Tender Notice dated 24.03.2006.

2. The mandate of the arbitral tribunal was extended from time to time, lastly by order dated 21.07.2023 in O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 213/2023. The mandate is due to expire on 29.08.2024.

3. I am informed that the award has been reserved by the arbitral tribunal.

4. Ms. Suruchi Suri, learned counsel for the respondent, appears on advance notice, and states that the respondent has no objection to the relief sought.

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5. In view of the above, and with the consent of learned counsel for the parties, the petition is allowed and the mandate of the arbitral tribunal is extended by a period of three months, with effect from 30.08.2024.

6. The petition, alongwith the pending application, stands disposed of in these terms.

PRATEEK JALAN, J

AUGUST 9, 2024

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