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

+ **O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 653/2023**

VASDEV

..... Petitioner

Through: Mr. Sanjay Bansal, Adv.

versus

GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI

..... Respondent

Through: Appearance not given.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SHARMA

ORDER

11.01.2024

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1. By way of the present petition filed under Section 29A of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, the petitioner seeks an extension of the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal by a period of one year for concluding the Arbitral proceedings and passing the Award.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal has expired on 28.08.2023.
3. Issue notice.
4. Learned counsel for the respondent accepts notice and submits that the respondent has no objection to the prayer made in the petition.
5. Learned counsels for the parties submit that the arbitral proceedings are at the stage of cross-examination of the respondent's witnesses.
6. Considering the aforesaid request and the no objection given by the other side, the present petition is allowed and the mandate of the



Arbitral Tribunal is extended by a period of nine months from today.
Further, the period lapsed from 28.08.2023 till date is regularised.

7. The present petition is disposed of along with the miscellaneous applications.

DINESH KUMAR SHARMA, J

JANUARY 11, 2024/AR