



Original Application Nos. 500 to 503 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: **17.07.2025**

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THE HONOURABLE Mr. JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

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O.A.No.500 of 2025:-

Koneru Constructions Pvt. Ltd.

Represented by its Director

Mr.Koneru Subha Charan

Plot No.145, 4th Road, RTC Colony

Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.

... Applicant in all OAs

Vs.

1.Integral Coach Factory

Rep. by its Deputy Chief Engineer

Lakshmipuram, Perambur

Chennai-600038.

2.HDFC Bank Ltd.

Rep by its Branch Manager

HDFC Bank House

40-5-4a, Tikkle Road

Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.

...Respondents in all OAs

PRAYER in OA 500/2025: Original Application filed under Order XIV Rule 8 Original Side Rules read with Section 9(II)(d) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, praying to grant ad-interim injunction restraining the first respondent or its men or agents or servants or through anyone claiming through or under them from invoking and encashing the



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Bank Guarantees bearing No.050GT02211160002 dated 26.04.2021, valid upto 30.06.2025 for a sum of Rs.23,74,000/- issued by the second respondent until disposal of the arbitration proceedings.

PRAYER in OA 501/2025: Original Application filed under Order XIV Rule 8 Original Side Rules read with Section 9(II)(d) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, praying to grant ad-interim injunction restraining the first respondent or its men or agents or servants or through anyone claiming through or under them from invoking and encashing the Bank Guarantees bearing No.050GT02211130001 dated 23.04.2021, valid upto 30.06.2025 for a sum of Rs.24,23,000/- issued by the second respondent until disposal of the arbitration proceedings.

PRAYER in OA 502/2025: Original Application filed under Order XIV Rule 8 Original Side Rules read with Section 9(II)(d) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, praying to grant ad-interim injunction restraining the first respondent or its men or agents or servants or through anyone claiming through or under them from invoking and encashing the Bank Guarantees bearing No.050GT02211190001 dated 29.04.2021 valid upto 31.05.2028 for a sum of Rs.40,92,000/- issued by the second respondent until disposal of the arbitration proceedings.

PRAYER in OA 503/2025: Original Application filed under Order XIV Rule 8 Original Side Rules read with Section 9(II)(d) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, praying to grant ad-interim injunction restraining the first respondent or its men or agents or servants or through anyone claiming through or under them from invoking and encashing the



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Bank Guarantees bearing No.050GT02211190002 dated 29.04.2021 valid upto 31.05.2028 for a sum of Rs.41,13,000/- issued by the second respondent until disposal of the arbitration proceedings.

For Applicant : Mr.P.J.Sriganesh (in all OAs)

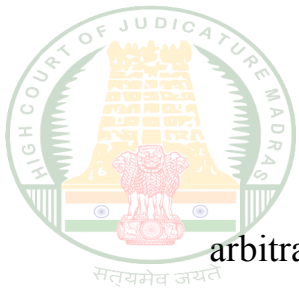
For Respondents: Mr.S.S.Meena Kumari, SPC (R1) (in all OAs)
Mr.N.Ravishankar Vallatharasu (R2) (in all OAs)

COMMON ORDER

The applicant is having the benefit of an interim order in these applications since 30.04.2025. In the said order, this Court had granted an order of interim injunction restraining the respondents from invoking the Bank Guarantees, which are the subject matter of these applications.

2. Both counsels would submit that arbitral tribunal has already been constituted.

3. The learned counsel for the applicant would also submit that a similar relief has also been sought for before the arbitral tribunal under Section 17 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996. Therefore, he would submit that the interim injunction granted in these original applications on 30.04.2025 by this Court shall stand extended till the disposal of Section 17 applications filed by the applicant before the



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arbitratral tribunal seeking for the very same relief.

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5. Since the arbitral tribunal has already been constituted and the applications have already been filed under Section 17 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 seeking for the very same relief, this Court deems it fit to extend the interim order granted by this Court on 30.04.2025 in these applications till the disposal of the Section 17 applications filed by the applicant before the arbitral tribunal.

6. With the aforesaid directions, these applications are disposed of.

No costs.

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Speaking order / Non speaking order

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