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Arb Appln No. 1297 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 29-10-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

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IN

OA No. 331 of 2024

1. P Mahendra Kumar and Sons HUF

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,

Represented by its Karta

Mr. P Mahendra Kumar

residing at Old No.18/1, New

No.28/1, Viyasar Street, T. Nagar

Chennai 600 017

2. Mrs.Kiran Kumari

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,

residing at Old No. 18/1, New No.

28/1, Viysar Street, T. Nagar,

Chennai 600 017

Applicant(s)

Vs

1. M/s Jain Texport

represented by its Partner

Mr.Mahaveer Chand Jain,

having office at 68/3, Bazulla Road,

T.Nagar, Chennai 600 017.

2. Mr.P.Goutham Chand

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,

residing at New No. 2/1, Old No.16/1,



Maharajapuram SanthanamSalai,
T. Nagar, Chennai 600 017

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3.Mrs.Prakash Kaver

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,
residing at New No. 2/1, Old
No.16/1, Maharajapuram
SanthanamSalai, T. Nagar,
Chennai 600 017

4.Mr.Mahaveer Chand Jain

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,
residing at New No. 2/2, Old No.16/2,
Maharajapuram SanthanamSalai,
T.Nagar, Chennai 600 017

5.Mrs.Santosh Kumari

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,
residing at New No. 2/2, Old No.16/2,
Maharajapuram SanthanamSalai,
T. Nagar, Chennai 600 017

6.P.Dilip Kumar and Sons HUF

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,
Represented by its Karta
Mr. P Dilip Kumar,
residing at New No. 54/1,
Old No. 137, North Usman Road,
T. Nagar, Chennai 600 017

7.Mrs.Nirmala Kanwar

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,
residing at New No. 2/3, Old
No.16/3, Maharajapuram
SanthanamSalai, T. Nagar,
Chennai 600 017



8.Mr.G.Ashwin Kumar

Partner of M/s. Jain Texport,
residing at New No. 2/1, Old No.16/1,
Maharajapuram SanthanamSalai,
T. Nagar, Chennai 600 017.

Respondent(s)

PRAYER

To substitute the arbitrator in place of Hon'ble Mr. Justice K.Kannan (Retd.), to continue the proceedings from the stage of trial.

For Applicant(s): Mr.Avinash Wadhwani

For Respondent(s): Mr.V.Kuberan for
M/s.Rank Associates for R4 to R7

ORDER

This application has been filed under Section 15(2) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 for substitution of the sole Arbitrator.

2. When the O.A.No.331 of 2024 came up for hearing on 28.08.2024, this Court appointed the Hon'ble Mr.Justice K.Kannan, former Judge of the Punjab and Haryana High Court as the sole Arbitrator. The sole Arbitrator was not inclined to continue with the proceedings and hence, the present application has been filed to substitute the sole Arbitrator.

3. Notice has been served on all the respondents. Insofar as respondents 4 to 7 are concerned, they are represented through counsel. Insofar as respondents 1 to 3 & 8, affidavit of service has been filed and there is no representation



either in person or through counsel.

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4. Taking into consideration the facts and circumstances of the case and the materials available on record, Hon'ble Mr. Justice R.S. Ramanathan, Former Judge of Madras High Court, residing at "Parijatham", Old No.4-B2, New No.15, Rajagopalan Street, Valmiki Nagar, Tiruvanmiyur, Chennai 600 041 (Mobile: 94442 22391) is substituted as the sole Arbitrator to continue with the proceedings.

5. This application is disposed of in the above terms.

29-10-2025

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To

1. Hon'ble Mr. Justice R.S. Ramanathan (Retd.)
"Parijatham", Old No.4-B2
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