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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

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Date of Decision: 20.01.2025

M/s Haryana Conductors Private Limited

...Applicant

**Versus**

Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited

...Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL**

Present: - Mr. Munish Kumar Garg, Advocate and  
Ms. Bhawna Thakur, Advocate for the applicant  
Ms. Rajni Gupta, Additional Advocate General, Haryana  
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**JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J.** (Oral)

1. Through instant application under Section 11 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (for short '**1996 Act**'), the applicant is seeking appointment of an Arbitrator.

2. The respondent issued purchase orders dated 28.06.2021 (Annexure P-1) and 29.07.2021 (Annexure P-2) in favour of the applicant. A dispute erupted between the parties. There is an arbitration clause in the aforesaid purchase orders. The issuance of purchase orders, arbitration clause therein and service of notice under Section 21 of 1996 Act is not disputed.

3. Learned State counsel submits that she leaves it to this Court to make appointment of an independent Arbitrator.

4. Conditions to invoke power conferred by Section 11(6) of 1996 Act stand satisfied, thus, I hereby appoint a sole Arbitrator to adjudicate the dispute between the parties.



5. Mr. Iswar Dutt, Retired Additional District & Sessions Judge, residing at Flat No.1, Swastik Vihar, Phase-3, MDC, Sector-5, Panchkula, Mobile No.8196919999 is hereby appointed as a Sole Arbitrator to adjudicate the dispute between the parties, subject to compliance of statutory requirements. The learned Arbitrator is requested to comply with mandate of Section 12 of 1996 Act before proceeding further.

6. Parties are directed to appear before the learned Arbitrator on date, time and place to be fixed by the Arbitrator at his convenience.

7. The Arbitrator shall be paid fee in accordance with the Fourth Schedule of the Act, as amended.

8. The Arbitrator is requested to complete the proceedings as per time limit specified under Section 29-A of the 1996 Act.

9. Needless to mention, parties would be at liberty to raise all the claims/defences/counter claims/pleas before the Arbitrator. Any observation made hereinabove will not be binding on the learned Arbitrator.

10. A request letter along with copy of this order be sent to Mr. Iswar Dutt.

11. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

**(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)**  
**JUDGE**

**20.01.2025**  
*Mohit Kumar*

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable        | Yes/No |