



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

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ARB-292-2023

Date of decision: 18.02.2025

BVG INDIA LIMITED

...APPLICANT

Vs.

**THE DIRECTOR-CUM-MEMBER SECRETARY, AMRITSAR
CULTURE AND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Mr. Deepak Kundu, Advocate
for the applicant.

Mr. Ranjit Singh Kalra, Advocate and
Ms. Mona Yadav, Advocate
for the respondent.

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 parties entered into agreement dated 02.01.2017 (Annexure P-3). A dispute erupted between the parties. There is an arbitration clause in the aforesaid agreement. The execution of agreement, arbitration clause in the agreement and service of notice under Section 21 of 1996 Act is not disputed.

3. Learned counsel for the respondent submits that he leaves it to this Court to make appointment of an independent Arbitrator having technical background.

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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. P.K. Goyal, Chief Engineer, R/o Flat No.303, GH-104E, Sector 20, Panchkula, M. No.9316625222, gkp2581@gmail.com 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. P.K. Goyal.

18.02.2025
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[JAGMOHAN BANSAL]
JUDGE

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