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

+ O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 951/2025

VIPPS INDIA (DELHI)

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Abhishek Pandey, Mr. Ramesh
Pandey and Mr. Rishi Vohra, Advs.

versus

DISNEY HOSPITALITY INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Saurabh Sharma, Adv.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD

ORDER

% **02.12.2025**

1. The present petition under Section 29A(4) & (5) of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 has been filed by the Petitioner for extending the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal.
2. Material on record indicates that an Arbitral Tribunal was constituted by this Court vide Order dated 03.08.2023 in ARB.P.839/2023. It is stated that the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal has expired on 04.11.2025, and therefore, the present petition has been filed for extending the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal.
3. It is stated that the arbitration proceedings is at the stage of evidence. It is stated that Petitioner evidence has been concluded and Respondent evidence is going-on.
4. The Apex Court in Rohan Builders (India) Private Limited v. Berger Paints India Limited, 2024 SCC OnLine SC 2494, has held that an



application for extension of the time period for passing an arbitral award under Section 29A(4) read with Section 29A(5) is maintainable even after the expiry of the twelve-month or the extended six-month period, as the case may be.

5. In view of the facts of the present case, this Court is inclined to regularize the period from 04.11.2025 till today and extend the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal till 31.07.2026, so that the award can be pronounced.

6. The petition is disposed of, along with the pending applications, if any.

SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD, J

DECEMBER 2, 2025

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