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

+ **O.M.P.(MISC.)(COMM.) 954/2025**

M/S GANGOTRI ENTERPRISES LTD.

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Sanjeev Mahajan and Ms. Simran
Rao, Advocates

versus

ARAVALI POWER COMPANY PVT. LTD.

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Adarsh Tripathi, Mr. Vikram
Singh Baid and Mr. Ajitesh Garg,
Advocates

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD

ORDER

% **20.11.2025**

I.A. 28953/2025(Exemption)

Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

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1. The present Petition under Section 29A(5) & (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 the Arbitral Tribunal was constituted by the parties through mutual consent and Hon'ble Justice Manmohan Sarin, Former Judge, Delhi High Court, was appointed as the Sole Arbitrator to adjudicate on the disputes between the parties. It is stated that the matter is at the stage of final arguments, and therefore, the present Petition has been



filed seeking extension of the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal.

3. 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.

4. In view of the facts of the present case, this Court is inclined to regularize the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal till today and extend the mandate of the Arbitral Tribunal till 30.09.2026, so that the award can be pronounced.

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

SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD, J

NOVEMBER 20, 2025

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