

ITEM NO.8 Court 2 (Video Conferencing) SECTION IX

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Miscellaneous Application No(s).1485-1487/2020 In SLP(C)Nos.2980-2982/2020

CHANDRA KUMAR MEHTA Petitioner(s)
ANUP SHAH & ORS.ETC. Respondent(s)

VERSUS

IA No.62655/2020 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS

Date : 31-08-2020 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.V. RAMANA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S. ABDUL NAZEER
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA KANT

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Aravindh S., Adv.
Mr. Jatin Zaveri, AOR

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

I.A.No.62655/2020

The Court is convened through Video Conferencing.

The instant application has been filed on behalf of respondent No.2 seeking direction for appointing afresh a sole arbitrator to adjudicate the disputes between the parties as pending in the Arbitral Tribunal.

Vide order dated 06.07.2020, the matter was disposed of on the consent of the parties to appoint Hon'ble Mr.Justice S.J. Vazifdar, former Chief Justice of the Punjab and Haryana High Court, as an arbitrator to settle their dispute.

However, it is stated in the application filed by respondent No.2 that Hon'ble Mr.Justice S.J. Vazifdar has expressed his inability to accept the appointment as the Sole Arbitrator by sending a message on whatsapp to him.

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In view of the above, learned counsel for the parties are agreed that in place of Hon'ble Mr.Justice S.J. Vazifdar, Hon'ble Mr.Justice S.C.Dharmadhikari, a former Judge of the Bombay High Court, may be appointed afresh as a Sole Arbitrator to settle their disputes.

We, accordingly, appoint Hon'ble Mr.Justice S.C.Dharmadhikari, a former Judge of the Bombay High Court, as a Sole Arbitrator in the matter. Learned Arbitrator is at liberty to fix his own fees.

The parties are directed to place all the material before the learned Arbitrator to proceed in the matter.

I.A.No.62655 of 2020 stands allowed accordingly.

As a sequel to the above, MA 1485-1487/2020 also stand disposed of.

(RAJ RANI NEGI)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

(SATISH KUMAR YADAV)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR