


**IN THE COURT OF DISTRICT JUDGE-3, AHMEDNAGAR,
AT : AHMEDNAGAR
(Presided over by Shri M. H. Shaikh)**

MHAH01002811 2018 	Arbitration Case No.5/ 2018 Union of India Through Tapan Kumar Nayak ...Applicant. Versus M/s. B. R. Arora & Associates Pvt. Ltd. Through Baldeo Raj Arora ...Opponent
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**Order below Exh. 1 :-
(Delivered on 18/02/2026)**

- 1) Today this matter is taken on board by the court.

- 2) This is an application under section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act. This court has gone through the contents of this application. It is contended in the application that, the claim is of Rs.50856869.70 is due from the opponent. As the value of the said Arbitration Case is Rs.50856869.70, therefore this court finds that, the said case is required to be transferred to the commercial court i.e. District Judge-2, Ahmednagar.

- 3) This court has gone through section 10 of Commercial Courts Act. Section 10 deals with jurisdiction in respect of Arbitration matter. Section 10(3) of the Commercial Courts Act, reads as under :-

If such arbitration is other than an international commercial arbitration, all applications or appeals arising out of such arbitration under the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 would ordinarily lie before any Principal Civil Court of original jurisdiction in a District (not being a High Court) shall be filed in, and heard and disposed of by the Commercial Court exercising territorial

jurisdiction over such arbitration where such Commercial Court has been constituted.

4) From the above provisions, what can be gathered is that, if the subject matter of an arbitration is commercial dispute of a specified value, then the Commercial Court has jurisdiction to decide all applications or appeals arising out of such arbitration. The said case is filed under section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act against the award passed by the Arbitral Tribunal. Commercial Court is established at Ahmednagar and Ld. District Judge is designated as Commercial Court. Therefore, as the application is under Arbitration and Conciliation Act and it is a commercial dispute between the parties of more than a specified value. Therefore, this court finds that, it does not have jurisdiction to decide the said case and it is to be decided by the Commercial Court. Hence the order :-

ORDER

	Office to make a report to the Hon'ble Principal District Judge to transfer the said case to the Commercial Court.
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Date :18/02/2026

(M.H. Shaikh)
District Judge-3
Ahmednagar.