

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Arbitration Application No. 112/2023
URN: ARBAP / 147U / 2023

Somani And Co., Through Prop. Babulal Somani, S/o Sh. Kishanlal, R/o Bundi Road, Kunhadi, Kota (Raj.)

----Applicant-Petitioner

Versus

1. General Manager, West Central Railway, Jabalpur, (Madhya Pradesh)
2. Deputy Chief Engineer, (Construction-II), West Central Railway, Behind D.R.M. Office, Kota Junction, Kota (Raj.)
3. Deputy F.A. And C.A.O. (Construction), West Central Railway, Behind DRM Office, Kota Junction, Kota

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Abhijeet Sharma with Mr. Atul Sharma
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. C.S Sinha with Mr. Mayank Kamwar

HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE MR. SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA

Order

03/07/2026

1. Keeping in view the law laid down in the case of **M/s Devender Singh Contractor vs. Union of India:** D.B. Civil Reference No.1/2024, the provision laid down in the general Clauses of railway contracts have been treated as an arbitration clause.
2. Notices have been served on the respondents relating to the disputes and claims arising out of an agreement entered between the parties.
3. Accordingly, this Court deems it appropriate to appoint Arbitrator Ms. Rita Tejpal, Retired District Judge,

R/o House No.1231, Sector 37, Arun Vihar, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Noida (U.P.), to act as the Sole Arbitrator and to decide all issues without prejudice to the rights and contentions raised in the present application. The arbitration fees shall be determined in accordance with the Fourth Schedule of the Act of 1996, as amended. The fee of the Arbitrator will be equally borne by both the parties.

4. The arbitration application is allowed accordingly.

5. Copy of this order is to be sent to the appointed Sole Arbitrator.

(SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA),ACTING CJ