

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 22910/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 06-02-2026 in FAO(OS)(COMM) No. 230/2024 passed by the High Court of Delhi at New Delhi]

HALA KAMEL ZABAL

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

ARYA TRADING LTD & ORS.

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

Date : 17-07-2026 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.V. VISWANATHAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Heard Mr. Senthil Jagadeeshan, learned Senior counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Shyam Divan appearing on caveat on

behalf of the respondent.

2. On the issue with regard to the power of the High Courts to appoint an arbitrator in an International Commercial Arbitration, there are conflicting judgments all over the country. Against the judgment of the High Court of Madhya Pradesh, there is already a Special Leave Petition pending for consideration in Special Leave Petition (Civil) No. 1885/2026.

3. Issue notice.

4. Tag with Special Leave Petition (Civil) No. 1885/2026.

5. In the meantime, we direct that the proceedings under Section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 will go on and final orders shall be passed till the Special Leave Petition is decided.

6. Considering the importance and urgency of the matter liberty is given to give an early date of hearing.

(SACHIN KUMAR SRIVASTAVA)
COURT MASTER (SH)

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COURT MASTER (NSH)