



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 02-06-2026

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THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

WP No. 18125 of 2026

M/s.Metropolitan Transport Corporation
Cum other Transport Corporation
Pensioners welfare Association
Rep by its President
15-G-3, A Block ,
Mahaveer Apartment
ECR Thiruvannamiyur
Chennai-600 041

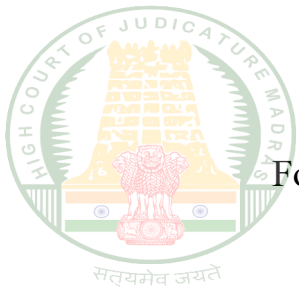
..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. M/s.The Metropolitan Transport Corporation
Rep by its Managing Director
No.1, Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-600 002
2. M/s.Tamilnadu State Transport Corporation
Employees Pension fund Trust
Rep by its Administrator
No.1 Palavan salai, Chennai-600 002

..Respondent(s)

Prayer:- Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ of Mandamus directing the respondents herein to settle 6 percentage interest for the belated settlement of retirement benefits to the 38 members of the petitioners association herein as per the list enclosed in the writ petition by considering their individual representation dated 19.3.2026.



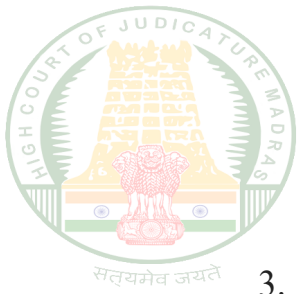
For Petitioner(s): Mr. D.Soundar Raj

WEB COPY For Respondent(s): Mr. R.Balaji,
Standing Counsel for R1

Order

The Writ Petition has been filed seeking to issue a writ of Mandamus directing the respondents herein to settle 6 percentage interest for the belated settlement of retirement benefits to 38 members of the petitioner-Association herein as per the list enclosed in this writ petition by considering their individual representation dated 19.3.2026.

2. The case of the petitioner is that 38 members of the Petitioner-Association were appointed in the respondent-Transport Corporation and retired from service as Drivers, Conductors and Technical workers on various dates. The terminal benefits have been settled to the petitioners belatedly but no interest has been paid for the delayed period. Therefore, the members of the petitioner-Association had submitted a representation to the respondents dated 19.03.2026, requesting them to pay interest for the delayed period. Since the same were not considered, the present writ petition has been filed.



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3. The learned Standing Counsel for the 1st respondent would fairly submit that they are willing to pay the interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of the eligible and admissible amount.

4. Heard the learned counsel for both sides and perused the materials available on record.

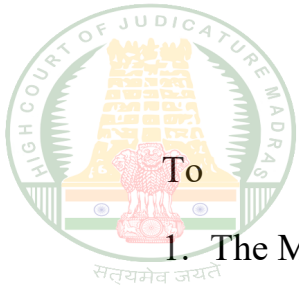
5. In view of the above submission of the learned Standing Counsel, this Court deems it appropriate to direct the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of admissible terminal benefits from the date of retirement till the date of actual disbursal of the terminal benefits of the petitioners within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. In the result, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

1. The Managing Director

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chennai-600 002

2. The Administrator

M/s.Tamilnadu State Transport corporation
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