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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 15-07-2026

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

WP No. 27130 of 2026

AND

WP NO. 27133 OF 2026, WP NO. 27134 OF 2026

V.Mahendran

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (CBE)
LTD.,
Mettupalayam Salai
Coimbatore.

..Respondent(s)

WP No. 27133 of 2026

N.Senthilmarimuthu

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (CBE)
LTD.,
Mettupalayam Salai
Coimbatore.

..Respondent(s)

WP No. 27134 of 2026

K.Sakthivel

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (CBE)
LTD.,
Mettupalayam Salai
Coimbatore.



..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 to pay interest at the rate of 6 percentage per annum for the belated payment of Gratuity, Provident Fund, EL Surrender, Leave Salary from the date of retirement to the date of actual payment within a time frame as may be fixed by this Honble Court and pass.

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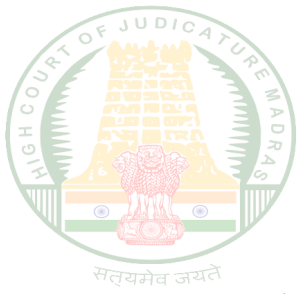
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For Petitioner(s): Ms.D.Ramya (In all WPs.)

For Respondent(s): Mr.C.Gauthamaraj, Standing Counsel (In all WPs.)



COMMON ORDER

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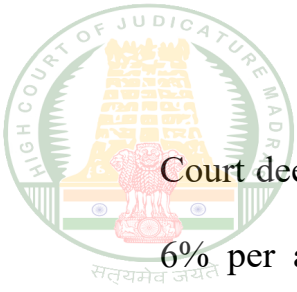
The above Writ Petitions have been filed seeking interest on the belated payment of terminal benefits, namely Provident Fund (P.F.), Gratuity, Commuted Value of Pension, Surrender Leave Salary, and Earned Leave Salary.

2. The case of the petitioners is that they were appointed in the respondent Transport Corporation on various dates and retired from service on various dates. However, their terminal benefits were settled belatedly, and no interest was paid for the period of delay. Therefore, the petitioners submitted several representations to the respondents requesting payment of interest for the delayed period. Since the said representations have not been considered, the present writ petition has been filed.

3. The learned Standing Counsel for the 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 respondent to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of eligible and 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 Petitions are disposed of. No costs.

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

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To

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