



W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

WEB COPY

DATED: **08.07.2026**

CORAM

THE HONOURABLE **MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR**

W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

G.Radha

... Petitioner

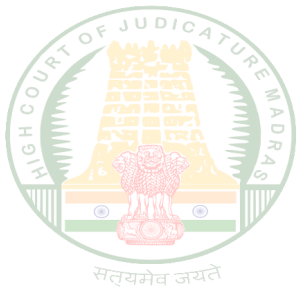
vs.

1.The State Express Transport Corporation
(Tamil Nadu) Ltd,
Represented by its Managing Director,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai 600 002.

2.The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
Employees Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-600 002.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum on the delayed disbursement of the petitioner's terminal benefits including Provident Fund, Gratuity Terminal Leave Salary and Commuted Value of Pension for the period from the date of his retirement till the date of actual disbursement and consequently direct the respondent to settle the same to him within the time frame fixed by this Court.



WEB COPY



W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

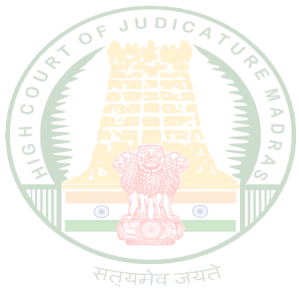
For Petitioner : Mr.A.Rahul
For R-1 : Mr.K.Senthil Kumar
For R-2 : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh

ORDER

Heard Mr.A.Rahul learned Counsel for the Petitioner, Mr.K.Senthil Kumar, learned Counsel, who takes notice for the 1st Respondent and Mr.S.C.Herold Singh, learned Counsel, who takes notice for the 2nd Respondent.

2. This Writ Petition has been filed for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum on the delayed disbursement of the petitioner's terminal benefits including Provident Fund, Gratuity Terminal Leave Salary and Commuted Value of Pension for the period from the date of his retirement till the date of actual disbursement and consequently direct the respondent to settle the same to the petitioner.

3. With the consent of both sides, this writ petition is disposed of at the admission stage.



W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

WEB COPY

4. Learned counsel on either side unanimously agree that the issue involved in this writ petition is squarely covered by various Judgments passed by the Division Bench of this Court in W.A.(MD) No.403 of 2010 and batch, dated 07.04.2014 and W.A.(MD) No.1419 of 2021 and batch, dated 26.07.2021.

5. In the said circumstances, this writ petition is **allowed** and the respondents are directed to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of the petitioner's terminal benefits, including EPF Employee's Contribution, Gratuity Encashment of Earned/Sick Leave and other monetary benefits from the date of his retirement till the date on which the terminal benefits are paid to the petitioner. The respondents are further directed to comply with the said direction as expeditiously as possible, at any rate, within a period of five months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs.

08.07.2026

Index :Yes / No
Internet :Yes / No
NCC :Yes / No
Nsr

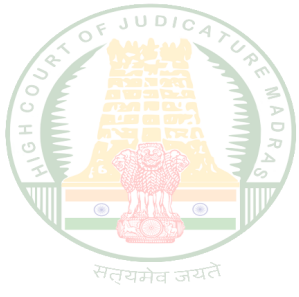
3/5



W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

To:
WEB COPY

- 1.The Managing Director,
The State Express Transport Corporation
(Tamil Nadu) Ltd,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai 600 002.
- 2.The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
Employees Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-600 002.



WEB COPY



W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR, J.

Nsr

Order made in
W.P.(MD)No.19128 of 2026

08.07.2026