



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **30.03.2021**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE **MR.JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH**

W.P.(MD)No.7169 of 2021

A.Maria Joseph

...Petitioner

/vs./

1.The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Kum) Ltd.,
TNSTC Head Office,
No.27, Railway Station New Road,
Kumbakonam - 612 001.

2.The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai - 02.

...Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to pay 6% interest on the delayed payment of retirement benefits paid to the petitioner in view of the petitioner's representation dated 15.02.2021.

For Petitioner	: Mr.SP.Vijay Nivas
For Respondent No.1	: Mr.D.Sivaraman
	Standing Counsel
For Respondent No.2	: Mr.A.Swaminathan
	Standing Counsel

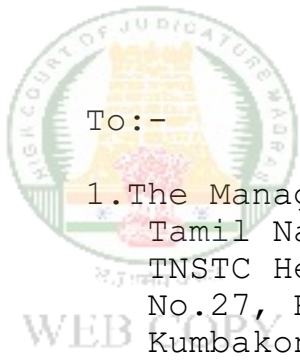
ORDER

By consent of both parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal at the stage of admission itself.

2.Aggrieved against the belated settlement of the terminal benefits to the petitioner, he has claimed interest on the belated payment in this Writ Petition.

3.In an identical issues, this Court has passed various orders, justifying the payment of interest to the aggrieved pensioners and in the order dated 13.12.2019 in W.P.(MD) No.26481 of 2019, the following order came to be passed:-

5.I am not in agreement with the said representation made. There was already a duty cast on the respondent Corporation to pay the terminal benefits on the date of retirement itself and the very fact that the belated disbursement of retirement benefit,



To:-

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+1 CC to M/s.D.SIVARAMAN, Advocate (SR-14749[F] dated 31/03/2021)

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