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W.P.No.7182 of 2021

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 07.07.2022

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE D.KRISHNAKUMAR

W.P.No.7182 of 2021
and W.M.P.No.7697 of 2021

P.Sivasankar

.. Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Villupuram) Ltd.,
Rep. by its Managing Director,
Vazhudhareddy, Villupuram District.

2. The General Manger,
The Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Villupuram) Ltd.,
Vellore Region, Rangapuram,
Vellore District - 632 009.

3. The Assistant Manager (Audit),
The Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Villupuram) Ltd.,
Vellore Region, Rangapuram,
Vellore District - 632 009.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the records pertaining to the impugned order passed by the 2nd respondent dated 16.07.2020 in Charge No.169567/S6/Ta.A.Po.Ka/Ve.Ma/2018, quash the same and consequently direct the respondents to refund the already recovered amount of Rs.33,264/- with 18% interest.



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For Petitioner : Mr.Krishna Prasad
for Mr.R.Vimal

For Respondents : Mr.Aswin
Standing Counsel for TNSCTC

ORDER

Mr.Aswin, learned Standing Counsel for TNSCTC takes notice for the respondents.

2. With the consent of learned counsel on either side, the writ petition is taken up for final disposal.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner preferred an appeal before the first respondent, namely the appellate authority, on 06.08.2020 as against the punishment imposed by the second respondent vide order 16.07.2020. As the said appeal is still pending, the learned counsel seeks a direction to the first respondent to pass orders on the appeal filed by the petitioner within a time frame.

4. Mr.Aswin, learned standing counsel appearing for the respondents, submitted before this Court that the first respondent will conclude the appeal proceedings and will pass suitable orders on merit.



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Index: Yes / No
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To

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D.KRISHNAKUMAR, J.

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