



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.02.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM

W.P. (MD) No. 6121 of 2021

S.Sundaram

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Chairman,
Employees Provident Fund Trust,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (MADURAI) Ltd.,
Bye Pass Road,
Madurai.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent to sanction and allow the petitioner to withdraw a sum of Rs.8,00,000/- from and out of his own accumulation of Provident Fund Contribution available to the credit of the respondent for the marriage of the petitioner's daughter within the time limit.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.M.Xavier
For Respondent : Mr.J.Senthil Kumaraiah

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The relief sought for in the present Writ Petition is to direct the respondents to sanction and allow the petitioner to withdraw a sum of Rs.8,00,000/- (Rupees Eight Lakhs Only) from and out of his own accumulation of Provident Fund Contribution.

2. Provident Fund Scheme is governed by the terms and conditions as well as rules in force. The disbursement from the provident fund is to be made by the Competent Authority strictly in accordance with the rules and based on the eligibility of the employee concerned. Therefore, a direction as such sought for to direct the respondents to grant a sum of Rs.8,00,000/- (Rupees Eight Lakhs Only) from Provident Fund cannot be considered. However, the respondents are bound to consider the eligibility of the writ petitioner for withdrawal of the amount from his own Provident Fund Contribution and accordingly, disburse the eligible amount by following the procedures as contemplated under the rules in force.



3. With these directions, this Writ Petition is disposed of.
However, there shall be no order as to costs.

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Deputy Registrar (LA&MC)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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The Chairman,
Employees Provident Fund Trust,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation,
Bye Pass Road,
Madurai.

+1 CC to M/s.G.M.XAVIER, Advocate (SR-7563[F] dated 21/02/2022)

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