



W.P(MD)No.20678 of 2022

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 22.11.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

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... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Management of
Tamil Nadu State Express Transport
Corporation Limited,
Represented by
The General Manager,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai – 2.

2.The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Employees'
Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Anna Salai,
Chennai – 2.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to pay the petitioner Rs.9,60,458/- towards Gratuity, Rs.2,26,601/- towards EPF Employees Contribution, Rs.45,282/- and Rs.26,426/- towards Encashment of Earned/Sick Leaves and Rs.7,86,910/- towards commutated value of pension and other retirement benefits together with 18 percentage interest per annum within a time frame fixed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.R.Murugan

For Respondents : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh

ORDER

Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2. The writ petitioner was employed in the respondent Corporation. He voluntarily retired from service on 30.04.2021. The grievance of the petitioner is that he has not been paid the terminal benefits. The respondents argued that due to liquidity crunch and financial difficulties the Corporation is unable to settle the petitioner's dues. The stand taken by the respondents cannot be accepted. The respondents are directed to pay the petitioner's terminal benefits with interest at the rate of 6% per annum. This disbursement shall be made within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. This writ petition is allowed on these terms. No costs.

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