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WP.No.20186 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 10.07.2023

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**THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.SATHISH KUIMAR**

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Sakthivel

.. Petitioner

Versus

1.The Registrar  
Registrar of Co Operative Societies  
No.170, N.V.Natarjan Maaligai  
Periyar EVR High Road  
Poonamallee High Road  
Kilpauk, Chennai – 600 010

2.The Joint Registrar  
The Joint Registrar of Co-operative Societies  
Surrampatti  
Erode Region – 638 009

3.The Deputy Registrar  
The Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies  
Surrampatti  
Erode Region – 638 009

4.The Deputy Registrar/Managing Director  
Erode Co-operative Urban Bank Ltd  
No.3, Periyar Street  
Post Box No.42  
Erode – 638 001

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the Deputy Registrar/Managing Director, Erode Co-operative Urban Bank Ltd to pay interest at the rate of 18% per annum for the belated payment of retirement



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benefits for the period from 31.03.2022 to 31.03.2023 and to settle the four months' salary due for the period 01.02.2020 and to settle the four months' salary due to the period 01.02.2020 to 30.06.2021 amounts of Rs.3,59,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Fifty Nine Thousand Only), increment arrears due Rs.45,000/- and arrears of salary based on the 12(3) settlement of Industrial Dispute, entered between the management and the union in the year 2019 by considering the petitioner's representation dated 22.04.2023.

For Petitioner : Mr.D.Veerasekaran

For Respondent : Mr.V.Jeevagiridharan for R1 to R3  
Additional Government Pleader  
Mr.C.Selvaraj for R4  
Additional Government Pleader

### **ORDER**

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking to direct the fourth respondent to pay the interest at the rate of 18% per annum for the belated payment of retirement benefits, increment arrears and arrears of salary based on the 12(3) settlement of Industrial Dispute, entered between the management and the union in the year 2019 by considering the petitioner's representation dated 22.04.2023.

2. It is the case of the writ petitioner that he joined as Assistant in the fourth respondent Co-operative Society on 09.10.1990 and he was promoted as Assistant Manager on 07.12.2015 and continued his service till he obtained voluntary retirement on 31.03.2022. Pursuant to his retirement from the fourth respondent Society, certain benefits are not being given to the petitioner.



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Hence, he made a representation on 22.04.2023 to the fourth respondent to settle the same, which is pending without consideration till date. Hence, this petition.

3. The learned Additional Government Pleader submitted that the representation of the petitioner dated 22.04.2023 will be considered on its own merits.

4. Such view of the matter, this Court directs the fourth respondent to consider representation of the petitioner dated 22.04.2023 and pass appropriate orders on merits and in accordance with law within a period of two months thereafter. Accordingly, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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