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W.P.(MD)NO.13922 OF 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED: 14.06.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P.(MD)No.13922 of 2023

B.Amutha

... Petitioner

Vs.

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

2. The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.,
Virudhunagar Region,
Virudhunagar.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to settle interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of terminal benefits of the petitioner's husband Late A.Boomirajan including Gratuity and Provident Fund from the date of his death to till the date on which the said benefits were settled.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Rahul

For Respondents : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh,
Standing Counsel.

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**ORDER**

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Heard the learned counsel on either side.

2. The petitioner's husband Boomirajan worked as Assistant Tradesman in the respondent Corporation. While in service, he passed away on 14.03.2021. However, his terminal benefits were settled belatedly.

3.It is well settled that for such belated settlement, the retired employee is entitled to interest. I, therefore, direct the respondent Corporation to pay the interest to the writ petitioner computed at the rate of 6% per annum on the belated disbursement from the date of the petitioner's husband's death till date of settlement. The interest amount shall be paid within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4.This writ petition is allowed accordingly. No costs.

14.06.2023

NCS : Yes / No
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1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.,
Madurai.
2. The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
Employees Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai – 2.



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