



W.P.(MD).No.29551 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 14.12.2023

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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M.Ravindran

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation,
(Madurai) Limited,
Bye-Pass Road, Madurai – 16

2. The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Madurai) Limited,
Dindigul Region,
Dindigul

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to settle the arrears of Dearness allowance for the periods from January 2018 to March 2018 (3 months), July 2018 to August 2018 (2 Months), January 2019 to April 2019 (4 months) and July 2019 September 2019 for total period of 12 months which were not settled till the date of retirement on 31.05.2022 along with belated payment interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of



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retirement till the date of payment.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Govindan
For Respondents : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed by a Special Grade Driver (Retired) who had attained superannuation on 31.05.2022. The petitioner has sent detailed representation to the respondents on 03.11.2023 seeking dearness allowance for various spells totalling for a period of 12 months. Since the said representation has not been considered, the present writ petition has been filed.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents.

3. Considering the above said facts, the second respondent herein is directed to consider the representation of the writ petitioner dated 03.11.2023 and to confer eligible benefits upon the writ petitioner within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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4. With the above said observations, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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