



W.P.No.448 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 09.01.2024

CORAM :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

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D.Srinivasan

...Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The Managing Director
Metropolitan Transport Corporation (Chennai) Ltd.
Pallavan Illam
Mount Road, Pallavan Salai
Chennai – 600 002.

2.The General Manager
Metropolitan Transport Corporation (Chennai) Ltd.
Pallavan Illam
Mount Road, Pallavan Salai
Chennai – 600 002.

3.The Administrator
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation Employees
Pension Fund Trust
Thiruvalluvar House
Pallavan Salai
Chennai – 600 002.

...Respondents



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Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to settle the interest for the belated payment of retirement benefits such as Gratuity, Earned Leave, Commutation of Pension, Provident Fund and other retirement benefits payable to the petitioner with 6% rate of interest within the time frame that may be stipulated by this Court.

For petitioner : Mr.N.Sudhagar Nagaraj

For respondents 1 & 2 : Mr.R.Balaji
Standing Counsel

For respondent 3 : Mr.C.S.K.Sathish
Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for direction to the respondents to pay appropriate interest to the petitioner for the delayed sanction and disbursement of retirement benefits.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents and perused the materials available on record.



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4. This Court is of the view that the respondents could be directed to pay the interest on the belated payment, at the rate of 6% per annum, as ordered in the above writ petition.

5. In the light of the above findings, there shall be a direction to the respondents herein to pay the interest on the belated payment of the terminal benefits to the petitioner at the rate of 6% per annum, commencing from the date of the retirement, till the date of actual disbursement, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

6. With the above direction, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

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