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W.P.No.11115 of 2024

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**

DATED : 24.04.2024

CORAM :

**THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY**

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G.Vadivel

.. Petitioner

**Vs.**

1. The Managing Director,  
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem) Limited,  
No.12, Ramakrishna Road,  
Salem – 636 007.
2. The General Manager,  
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem) Limited,  
Dharmapuri Region,  
Bharathipuram,  
Dharmapuri.
3. The Tamil Nadu Transport Corporation,  
Employees Pension Fund Trust,  
Rep. by its Administrator,  
Thiruvallurvar House,  
Pallavan House, Chennai – 2.

.. Respondents

**Prayer :** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, pleaded to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to disburse the interest amount for the belated payment of Provident Fund, Gratuity, Leave Salary, Pension Commutation amount within the stipulate time as may be fixed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.J.Pradeep  
For Respondents : Mr.K.Raja,  
Standing Counsel [R1 & R2]

### **ORDER**

This Writ Petition is filed seeking for a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to disburse the interest amount for the belated payment of Provident Fund, Gratuity, Leave Salary, Pension Commutation amount within the stipulate time as may be fixed by this Court.

2. *Mr.K.Raja*, learned Standing Counsel takes notice for the respondents 1 and 2. He would submit that the eligible amount will be paid to the petitioner within a reasonable time as may be fixed by this Court.

3. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that, in these cases, this Court has consistently allowed the payment with interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

4. In that view of the matter, this Writ Petition is disposed of on the following terms:

(i) The respondents are directed to pay interest on the belated



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payment of P.F, Gratuity, Leave Salary, Pension commutation at the rate of 6 % per annum, from the date on which the amount became due, till the date of disbursement, within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order;

(ii) If the amount is not paid within a period of twelve (12) weeks, thereafter, the interest shall be calculated at the rate of 12% per annum from the date on which the amount became due till the date of disbursement.

(iii) There shall be no order as to costs.

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Index : yes/no

Speaking order/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation : yes/no

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To

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