



W.P.No.13500 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 03.06.2024

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

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A. Ponnusamy

... Petitioner

Vs

Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (Coimbatore) Ltd.,
Rep.by its Managing Director
Mettupalayam Road,
Coimbatore 641 043.
Respondent

...

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, pleaded to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent to pay the petitioner the amount payable as wages towards 65 days of earned leave surrendered by him, while he was in service, as admitted by the respondent in their RTI with 18% interest from the date of his retirement within a specified time as may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Krishnaswamy

For Respondent : Mr.C.Gowthamaraj



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Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition is filed seeking for a writ of mandamus directing the respondent to pay the petitioner the amount payable as wages towards 65 days of earned leave surrendered by him, while he was in service, as admitted by the respondent in their RTI with 18% interest from the date of his retirement within a specified time as may be fixed by this Court.

2. Mr.Gauthamaraj, learned Standing Counsel takes notice for the respondent. He would submit that the eligible amount will be paid to the petitioners within a reasonable time as may be fixed by this Court.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that, in all the connected matters, 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



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following terms:

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- 1) The respondent shall disburse the 65 days of earned leave surrendered by the petitioner, if he is eligible as per the Rules within a period of eight (8) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order with interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the dates on which the amounts became due, till the date of disbursement.
- 2) If the amount is not paid within a period of eight (8) weeks, thereafter, the same shall carry the interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the dates on which the amounts became due, till the date of disbursement.
- 3) No costs.

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Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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To
The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
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