



DATED : 22.01.2024

THE HONOURABLE MRS.JUSTICE L.VICTORIA GOWRI

W.P.(MD).No.1052 of 2024

... Petitioner

1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (TVL) Ltd.,
23/2, Thoothukudi Road,
Kattabomman Nagar,
Tirunelveli District.

... Respondents

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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Gokul

For Respondents : Mr.K.Ramaiah,
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking direction to the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum, for the period of delay from the date of last service of petitioner's husband (10.01.2023) to till the date of reimbursement (07.10.2023) of amount paid towards the belated payment of retirement benefits Gratuity, Provident Fund, Leave Salary and Commutation.

2. Heard the learned counsel on either side.

3. The petitioner's husband was appointed as Driver in the respondent corporation on 03.04.1998. After completing 24 years of service, he died on 10.01.2023.



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4. It is admitted that his terminal benefits were not settled immediately but only belatedly. The only question that arises for consideration is as regards the rate of interest payable on the belated settlement.

5. The issue raised in this writ petition was already decided by this Court vide order, dated 07.03.2023 in ***W.P(MD)No.4866 of 2023 (C.Murugan Vs. The Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Tirunelveli) Ltd., & Another).***

6. In view of the above, this Writ Petition is disposed of by directing the respondent management to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for belated settlement of terminal benefits of the deceased husband of the petitioner. This shall be done within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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 - 2.The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (TVL) Ltd.,
Tirunelveli Region,
Tirunelveli District.



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