



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 03.10.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

W.P(MD)No.23584 of 2024

J.Latha

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation(TNV) Limited,
Nagercoil Region,
Rani Thottam,
Kanniyakumari.

2.The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Employees Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai, Chennai - 2.

...Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum, for the period of delay from 02.08.2020 to 01.12.2022 in paying the amounts paid towards the terminal benefits within a time frame fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.M.Xavier

For Respondents : Mr.D.Jebaraj
Standing Counsel for R1
Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel for R2



ORDER

The instant writ petition has been filed by the wife of the deceased employee of the respondent transport corporation, seeking payment of interest for the belated disbursement of the terminal benefits.

2. According to the learned Counsel appearing for the writ petitioner, the petitioner has died on 02.08.2020, while he was in service and the terminal benefits were released only on 01.12.2022. Seeking payment of interest for the belated disbursement, the petitioner's wife has sent a representation on 06.02.2024. Since there is no response, the present writ petition has been filed.

3. Considering the above said facts, the respondents herein are directed to pay 6% interest from the due date till the date of disbursement within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. With the above said observations, this writ petition stands disposed of.

No costs.

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