



W.P.(MD).No.25176 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 23.10.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

W.P(MD)No.25176 of 2024

A.Shanmuganathan

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Management of
State Express Transport Corporation
(Tamil Nadu) Limited,
Represented by its Managing Director,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai – 2.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to pay the petitioner the difference/arrears of wages for the period from 01.09.2019 to 31.05.2022 and also his terminal benefits namely Gratuity and Encashment of Leave, after revising the same based on the revised scale of pay payable to him, as admitted by the respondent in its RTI information dated 25.07.2024 together with 18% interest per annum, within a time frame may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Arunachalam



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For Respondent : Mr.KSenthilkumar
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The present Writ Petition has been filed by a Selection Grade Senior Driver of the respondent Transport Corporation, who attained superannuation on 31.05.2022 seeking a Mandamus to disburse the monetary benefits, based upon the 12(3) settlement that was reached on 24.08.2022 with effect from 01.09.2019.

2. The petitioner has sent a representation to the respondent on 10.08.2024 seeking the above said benefits. Since there is no response, the present writ petition has been filed.

3. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondent.

4. Considering the above said facts, the respondent herein is directed to confer the eligible benefits upon the writ petitioner along with interest at the



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rate of 6% p.a., 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.

5. With the above said observations, this Writ Petition stands disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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