



W.P.(MD).No.25816 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 28.10.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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K.Latha

... Petitioner

Vs.

The Management of
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Madurai) Limited,
Dindigul Region,
Represented by its General Manager,
Dindigul.

... 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 revise/refix the scale of the husband of the petitioner/ the deceased employee (late) S.Kannan, Staff No.TR41010, w.e.f. 01.09.2019 to till the month of his death, based on the wage settlement dated 24.08.2022 and consequently to pay the difference/arrears of his terminal benefits namely Gratuity and Encashment of Leave, after revising the same based on such re-fixed scale of pay payable to him on the month of his death, together with 18% interest per annum, within a time frame as may be fixed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Arunachalam

For Respondent : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The present Writ Petition has been filed by the wife of the deceased employee of the respondent Transport Corporation, seeking a Mandamus to revise the wages based upon the 14th wage settlement, dated 24.08.2022.

2. According to the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, even though, the settlement was entered into on 24.08.2022, the same is applicable to all those employees, who were in service on 01.09.2019. The petitioner has sent a representation to the respondent on 15.08.2024 seeking the 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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To
The General Manager,
The Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Madurai) Limited,
Dindigul Region,
Dindigul.



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