



W.P.(MD).No.27168 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 14.11.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(KMB) Limited,
New Railway Station Road,
Kumbakonam – 612 001.

2. The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(KMB) Limited,
Trichy Region,
Collector Office Road,
Periyamilagu Parai,
Trichy – 620 001.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to settle the petitioner surrender leave salary for 45 days in respect of the years 2011-2012, 2012 – 2013, 2013 – 2014, 2014 – 2015, 2015 – 2016, 2016 – 2017, 2017 – 2018, 2018 – 2019, 2019 – 2020, 2020 – 2021, 2021 – 2022 and 2022 – 2023 together with interest at the rate of 18% per annum payable from the date for retirement to till the date of actual payment.



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For Petitioner : Mr.K.Gokul

For Respondents : Mr.K.Jegadees Balan
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The present Writ Petition has been filed by a Technical Employee -Level 6 of the respondent Transport Corporation, who applied for voluntary retirement on 31.03.2023 seeking disbursement of the earned leave and surrender leave salary along with interest.

2. Though the petitioner had voluntarily retired from service on 31.03.2023, the earned leave and surrender leave salary have not been disbursed to the writ petitioner, despite giving representation to the respondents on 06.11.2024, for disbursing the said benefits. Since the representation has not been considered, the present writ petition has been filed.

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



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4. Considering the above said facts, the respondents herein are directed to release the eligible earned leave and surrender leave salary upon the writ petitioner along with interest at the 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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NCC : Yes/No
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