



W.P.(MD)No.27800 of 2024

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 21.11.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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R.Subramanian

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.The Managing Director,
Tamilnadu State Transport Corporation (Kum) Limited,
TNSTC Head Office,
No.27, Railway Station New Road,
Kumbakonam-612 001.

2. The Administrator,
TamilNadu State Transport Corporation,
Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-02.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to disburse interest at the rate of 6% for the belated payment of retirement benefits Gratuity, Provident Fund, Leave Salary and commutation.



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For Petitioner : Mr.SP.Vijaynivas
For Respondent No.1 : Mr.K.Ramaiah
Standing Counsel
For Respondent No.2 : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The instant writ petition has been filed by a retired employee of the respondent Transport Corporation, seeking a mandamus directing the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of petitioner's terminal benefits.

2. According to the learned Counsel appearing for the writ petitioner, the petitioner was appointed in the transport corporation in the year 1996 and he had attained superannuation on 31.01.2023. The terminal benefits were disbursed belatedly to the writ petitioner only in the month of October-2024. Hence, he sent a representation on 01.11.2024, seeking interest for the belated payment. Since, there is no response from the respondents authorities, the present writ petition has been filed.



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3. Considering the above said facts, the respondent Transport Corporation is directed to pay interest at the rate of 6% from the due date till the date of disbursement within a period of twelve (12) weeks from the date of receipt of a 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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NCC : Yes/No
Index : Yes / No
Internet : Yes / No
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