



W.P.(MD)No.28167 of 2024

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 26.11.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

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G.Joseph Rajasekaran

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.The Managng Director,
TamilNadu State Transport Corporation (MDU) Ltd.,
Byepass Road,
Madurai-625 016.

2. The Administrator,
TamilNadu State Transport Corporation Pension Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-600 002.

... 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 to the petitioner for the belated payment of Gratuity, Provident Fund, Leave Salary and Pension Commutation from the date of retirement to the date of actual payment.



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For Petitioner	: M/s.D.Ramya
For Respondent No.1	: Mr.K.Sivabalaji, 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 respondent Transport Corporation on 01.07.1997 and he had attained superannuation on 31.03.2023. The terminal benefits were disbursed belatedly to the writ petitioner only on 30.10.2024. Hence, he sent a representation on 08.11.2024, 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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To

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TamilNadu State Transport Corporation (MDU) Ltd.,
Byepass Road,
Madurai-625 016.

2. The Administrator,
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