

In the High Court at Calcutta

Constitutional Writ Jurisdiction

Appellate Side

Judgment (2)
Moumita
Daily list Item No. 37
Court No. 2

**Present :
The Hon'ble Justice Aniruddha Roy**

W.P.A. 21553 of 2025

Ashim Kumar Dey

Vs.

Calcutta State Transport Corporation & Ors.

**For the Petitioner : Mr. Dilip Kumar Chatterjee
Mr. Durga Bhusan Mukherjee**

**For the Respondent no. 1
/CSTC : Mr. N. C. Bihani, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Soumyajit Ghosh**

Heard on : 24.10.2025

Judgment on : 24.10.2025

Aniruddha Roy, J.:

1. Affidavit-of-service, filed in Court today is taken on record.
2. Mr. Dilip Kumar Chatterjee with Mr. Durga Bhusan Mukherjee, learned advocates appear for the petitioner.

3. Mr. N. C. Bihani, learned Senior Advocate with Mr. Soumyajit Ghosh, learned Advocate appears for the Respondent no. 1/CSTC.
4. The petitioner retired from services of Calcutta State Transport Corporation (in short, CSTC) on **31.03.2023**. The retiral benefits of the petitioner was paid in tranches. The Contributory Provident Fund (CPF) amounting to **Rs. 26,88,074/-** was paid in two installments. 1st installment of **Rs.6,72,000/-** was paid on **28.04.2023** but the 2nd installment of **Rs.20,16,074/-** was paid on **26.03.2025** after a delay of two year without interest. Petitioner claims interest on such delayed payment of **Rs.20,16,074/-**.
5. In the aforesaid facts and circumstances, after hearing the parties and considering the materials on record, I find that the petitioner is entitled to receive interest on the C.P.F. amount of **Rs.20,16,074/-** from **01.04.2023** till **26.03.2025** when the payment was actually made, **at the rate of 6% per annum**. The payment of the interest shall be made within a period of **three months** from the date of communication of a server copy of this order. Failing which the entire sum will attract interest @ 8% per annum.
6. Nothing further remains to be adjudicated in this writ petition. The same is accordingly disposed of.
7. Since I have not called for any affidavits, the allegations contained in the writ petition are deemed to have not been admitted by the respondents.

8. All parties including the CSTC shall act on the basis of the server copy of this order without insisting upon production of a certified copy thereof.

(Aniruddha Roy, J.)