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W.P.No.17911 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 05.06.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

W.P.No.17911 of 2025

1.P.Mohanasundaram (J09178)

2.N.Kittusamy (J04084)

3.S.Anbazhagan (J13033)

... Petitioners

Vs.

1. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation,
(Coimbatore) Ltd.,
37, Mettupalayam Road,
Coimbatore - 641 043.

2. The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation,
(Coimbatore) Ltd.,
Chennimalai Road,
Erode - 1.

3. The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation EPF Trust,
Pallavan House,
Thiruvalluvar Salai,
Chennai - 600 002.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, seeking for an issuance of writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to pay



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interest for the belated payment of Provident Fund, Death Cum Retirement Gratuity, Encashment of earned leave, surrender leave, commuted value of pension at the rate of 12% per annum within the time frame fixed by this Court.

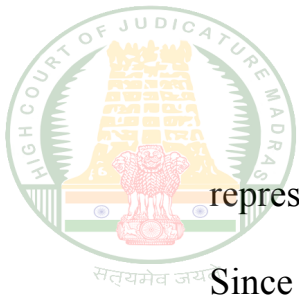
For Petitioners : Mr.N.K.Ponraj

For Respondents : Mr.M.Murali Vinodh
Standing Counsel for Transport

ORDER

The instant writ petition has been filed with a prayer for issuing a Mandamus, to direct the respondents to pay interest for the belated payment of Provident Fund, Death Cum Retirement Gratuity, Encashment of earned leave, surrender leave, commuted value of pension at the rate of 12% per annum within the time frame fixed by this Court.

2. The case of the petitioners is that they were appointed in the respondent Transport Corporation on various dates and after completion of unblemished service, the petitioners were retired on 30.09.2020, 31.05.2023 and 31.05.2014 . However, the terminal benefits have been settled to the 1st petitioner on January, 2022 and to the 2nd petitioner on March, 2025 and to the third petitioner on May 2017 and January, 2018 and no interest has been paid for the delayed period. In view of the same, the petitioners submitted



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representations to the respondents to pay interest for the delayed period.

Since the same were not considered, the present Writ Petition has been filed.

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3. The learned Standing Counsel for the respondents would fairly submits that in view of the similar order passed by this Court in W.P.Nos.40031, 33742 and 35806 of 2024, they are willing to pay the interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of the eligible and admissible amount.

4. Heard the learned counsel for both sides and perused the materials available on record.

5. In view of the above submission of the learned Standing Counsel, this Court deems it appropriate to direct the respondents to pay the eligible and admissible amount with interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of terminal benefits from the date of retirement till the date of actual disbursal of the terminal benefits of the petitioners within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.



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In the result, the Writ Petition is disposed of with the above observations. No costs.

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Neutral Citation:Yes/No

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