



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 28-11-2025**

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**THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI**

**CONT P No. 4068 of 2025**

S.Govindaraj

S/o Sadaiyan, Malliyakundham Post,  
Mettur Taluk - 636 458, Salem District.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

S.Joseph Diaz

The Managing director, Tamil Nadu  
State Transport Corporation (Salem  
Division-1) Limited, 12, Ramakrishna  
Salai, Salem District.

Contemnor(s)

**PRAYER**

This contempt petition is filed under section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, to punish the respondent herein for contempt for willfully disobeying the order dated 09.04.2025 made in W.P.No.9600 of 2019 by appreciating the above stated facts and circumstances.

For Petitioner: Mr.D.Lakshmipathy

For Respondent: Mr.Aswin



## ORDER

This Court by its order dated 09.04.2025 issued a direction to the respondent to pay the current wages to the petitioner on par with his juniors within a period of four weeks. However, the same has not been complied with. Hence, the present Contempt Petition.

2.The learned counsel for the respondent would submit that as per the order of this Court dated 09.04.2025, vide order dated 03.11.2025, the petitioner's current wages was fixed on par with his juniors from the date of his reinstatement ie., 06.01.2022. Hence, the respondent has not committed any willful disobedience. The above statement is taken on record.

3.It is seen that on 03.11.2025, the petitioner's current wages was fixed on par with his juniors from the date of his reinstatement, however, the petitioner is not entitled for any back-wages.

4. Recording the same, the Contempt Petition is closed.



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