



W.P.(MD).No.28486 of 2025

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 13.10.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU

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S.Alavanthar

...Petitioner

Vs

1. The Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Madurai) Limited,
Represented by its Managing Director,
Madurai.
2. The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Madurai) Limited,
Virudhunagar Region,
Virudhunagar.
3. The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
Employees Pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai – 600 002.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying this Court to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to settle interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of petitioner's terminal benefits including Provident Fund,



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Gratuity, Terminal Leave Salary and Commuted Value of Pension from the date of his retirement i.e., from 31.10.2023 to 25.08.2025, the date on which the said benefits were settled to him.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Rahul

For R1 and R2 : Mr.Ramachandra Pradeep
Standing Counsel

For R3 : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for a writ of Mandamus to direct the respondents to settle interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of petitioner's terminal benefits including Provident Fund, Gratuity, Terminal Leave Salary and Commuted Value of Pension from the date of his retirement i.e., from 31.10.2023 to 25.08.2025, the date on which the said benefits were settled to him.

2. Considering the admitted fact that there has been a delay in payment, the petitioner is entitled to statutory interest as provided under law.



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3. In view of the same, the writ petition stands disposed of. The

respondents are directed to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum on the belated terminal benefits payable to the petitioner from the date of his entitlement till the date of his payment within a period of 8 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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NCC:yes/no

Index:yes/no

Internet:yes/no

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