



W.P.(MD).No.30442 of 2025

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 29.10.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU

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P.Murugesan

...Petitioner

Vs

1. The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.
Bye-Pass Road
Madurai - 16.

2. The General Manager
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.
Madurai Region
Madurai - 16.

3. The Administrator
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation Employees Pension Fund Trust
Thiruvalluvar Illam
Pallavan Salai
Chennai - 2.

... 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 the belated payment interest at the rate of 6 percentage per annum on the delayed payment of Retirement Benefits

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such as Provident Fund Rs.13,51,187/- Gratuity Rs.16,36,183/-,
Surrender Leave Salary Rs.7,58,574/- and Commutation Rs.9,09,534/-
from the date of retirement on 31.07.2023 till the date of settlement on
25.08.2025.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Govindan
For Respondent
Nos.1 & 2 : Mr.S.Raja
Standing Counsel
For Respondent
No.3 : Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for a Writ of Mandamus,
directing the respondents to settle the belated payment interest at the rate
of 6 percentage per annum on the delayed payment of Retirement
Benefits such as Provident Fund Rs.13,51,187/- Gratuity Rs.16,36,183/-,
Surrender Leave Salary Rs.7,58,574/- and Commutation Rs.9,09,534/-
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2. Considering the admitted fact that there has been a delay in payment, the petitioner is entitled to statutory interest as provided under law.

3. In view of the same, the writ petition stands disposed of. The respondent is 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 12 weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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K.KUMARESH BABU, J.

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To:

1. The State Express Transport Corporation (Tamil Nadu) Ltd.,
Represented by its Managing Director
Thiruvalluvar Illam
Pallavan Salai
Chennai - 600 002.

2. The General Manager
State Express Transport Corporation (Tamil Nadu) Ltd.
Thiruvalluvar Illam
Pallavan Salai
Chennai - 600 002.

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