



W.P.(MD) No.33687 of 2025

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **25.11.2025**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **K.KUMARESH BABU**

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S.Sam Gnana Thayalan

... Petitioner

/vs./

The Management of Tamilnadu State
Transport Corporation (Thirunelveli) Ltd,
Nagercoil Region,
Rep. By its General Manager,
Nagercoil.

... Respondent

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to pay the petitioner interest at the rate of 18% per annum, for the period of delay from 01.04.23 to 15.09.24, in paying the amounts paid towards his terminal benefits namely EPF Employees Contribution, for the period of delay from 01.04.23 to 17.11.24, in paying the amounts paid towards his terminal benefits namely Gratuity and for the period of delay from 01.04.23 to 05.12.24 in paying the amounts paid towards his terminal benefits namely Encashment of Leaves within a time frame as may be fixed by this Court.



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For Petitioner : Mr.S.Arunachalam

For Respondent : Mr.K.Ramaiah
standing counsel

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for a writ of Mandamus to direct the respondent to pay the petitioner interest at the rate of 18% per annum, for the period of delay from 01.04.23 to 15.09.24, in paying the amounts paid towards his terminal benefits namely EPF Employees Contribution, for the period of delay from 01.04.23 to 17.11.24, in paying the amounts paid towards his terminal benefits namely Gratuity and for the period of delay from 01.04.23 to 05.12.24 in paying the amounts paid towards his terminal benefits namely Encashment of Leaves within a time frame as may be fixed by this Court.

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. Learned counsel for the petitioner would restrict his claim of interest at the rate of 6% per annum.



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4. 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 twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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To
The General Manager,
The Management of Tamilnadu State
Transport Corporation (Thirunelveli) Ltd,
Nagercoil Region,
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