



W.P.(MD) No.34316 of 2025

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DATED: 28.11.2025

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU

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A.Sumathi

... Petitioner

/vs./

The Management of
Tamilnadu State Transport Corporation (Kumbakonam) Ltd.
Trichy Region
Rep. by its General Manager
Trichy.

... 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 6% per annum, for the period of delay from 01.08.2023 to 24.08.2025, in paying the amounts paid towards the terminal benefits namely EPF Employee's Contribution, Gratuity and Encashment of Leave of her deceased husband/retired employee (late).S.Asokan, Staff No.K2C000028 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 6% per annum, for the period of delay from 01.08.2023 to 24.08.2025, in paying the amounts paid towards the terminal benefits namely EPF Employee's Contribution, Gratuity and Encashment of Leave of her deceased husband/retired employee (late).S.Asokan, Staff No.K2C000028 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. 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's husband to the petitioner from the date of his



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entitlement till the date of his payment within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs.

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NCC:yes/no
Index:yes/no
Internet:yes/no
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To
The General Manager,
The Management of
Tamilnadu State Transport Corporation (Kumbakonam) Ltd.,
Trichy Region,
Trichy.



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K.KUMARESH BABU, J.

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