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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 04-03-2026

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THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

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V.Selvaraj
S/o.Varatharajalu
D.No.5/134A, Mel Street,
Kullappanayakkanoor, Periyakal Medu,
Thippampatty, Salem 636204

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (Salem) Limited,
represented by its Managing Director,
Having the Registered office at
No.12, Ramakrishna Road,
Salem 636 007.

..Respondent(s)

Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India
praying for issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondent to
consider the petitioner's representation dated 10.10.2025 and direct the
respondent to pay interest at the rate of 6 % per annum for the delayed payment
of the terminal benefits within a specified time, as may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.D.Prasanna

For Respondent(s): Mr.K.Raja, Standing Counsel



ORDER

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The writ petition has been filed seeking a mandamus to the respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 10.10.2025 and pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the delayed payment of the terminal benefits within a specified time, as may be fixed by this Court.

2. The case of the petitioner is that he joined service in the respondent/Transport Corporation on 25.08.1994 as Conductor and retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.06.2023. According to the petitioner, interest has not been paid for the delayed payment of the pensionary benefits. Therefore, the petitioner submitted a representation dated 10.10.2025 to the respondent seeking payment of interest for the delayed period and since the same has not been considered, he has filed the present petition.

3. The learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondent would fairly submit that the respondent is willing to pay the interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of the eligible and admissible amounts.



4. Heard the learned counsel for both sides and perused the materials available on record.

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5. In view of the above submission made by the learned Standing Counsel, this Court deems it appropriate to direct the respondent to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of the admissible terminal benefits from the date of retirement till the date of actual disbursal of the terminal benefits of the petitioner within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

With the above direction, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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To

The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem) Ltd.
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