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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 01-06-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM
AND
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE N.SENTHILKUMAR

W.A.No.1090 of 2026 AND
C.M.P.No.10917 OF 2026

K.Shanmugam

... Appellant

Vs

1. The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Villupuram) Limited,
No. 3/137 Salamedu, Vazhathareddy,
Villupuram 605 602.

2. The General Manager
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
(Villupuram) Limited, Cuddalore Region,
Cuddalore.

... Respondents

Prayer: To set aside the order dated 11.03.2026 made in W.P.No.6552 of 2026 and allow the Writ Petition.

For Appellant:

Mr.S.Sakthivel

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(Judgment of the Court was delivered by S.M.Subramaniam,J.)

Writ Court on facts found that the punishment was imposed, when the appellant was on duty on 28.08.2017. That apart, action against the appellant had been dropped and the period of punishment also came to an end. Under those circumstances, Writ Court declined to interfere with the



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order impugned. There is also an unexplained long delay in instituting writ proceedings. Thus, Writ Court dismissed the writ petition on the ground of laches.

2. This Court does not find any infirmity in the order of the Writ Court and not inclined to interfere with the same. Consequently, the present Writ Appeal stands dismissed. No costs. Connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

(S.M.S.,J.) (N.S.,J.)
01-06-2026

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