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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

**DATED: 27-10-2026**

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**THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR**

**WP No. 43105 of 2026**

*CNR: {HCMA012482712026}*

P.Rajendran

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Managing Director
   Metropolitan Transport Corporation (Chennai)
   Limited, Pallavan Illam, Mount Road,
   Pallavan Salai, Chennai-60002.

2. Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
   Employees Pension Fund Trust
   Rep by its Administrator
   Thiruvalluvar Illam, Pallavan Salai,
   Chennai-60002.

..Respondent(s)

**Prayer :** Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to settle the interest for the belated payment of retirement benefits such as Provident Fund, gratuity, leave surrender and other retirement benefits payable to the petitioner with 12% rate of interest within the time frame that may be stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.I.Poovendra Perumal

For Respondent(s): Mr.R.Balaji, St.C.
Mr.C.S.K.Sathish (R2)

**O R D E R**

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.R.Balaji, learned Standing Counsel for the first respondent and Mr.C.S.K.Satish, learned counsel for the second respondent.



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2. With the consent of both the parties, this writ petition is disposed of at the admission stage.

3. Learned counsel on either side unanimously agree that the issue involved in this writ petition is squarely covered by various judgments passed by the Division Bench of this Court in W.A.(MD). No.403 of 2010 and batch, dated 07.08.2014 and W.A.(MD) No.1419 of 2021 and batch, dated 26.07.2021.

4. In the said circumstances, this writ petition is disposed of and the respondents are directed_to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum for the belated payment of the petitioner's terminal benefits, including Provident Fund amount, Gratuity amount, Commutation of Pension amount and Leave Salary, from the date of his retirement till the date on which those benefits are paid to the petitioner. The respondents are further directed to comply with the said direction as expeditiously as possible at any rate, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions, if any, shall stand closed.

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**MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR, J.**

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