



W.P.(MD) No.7969 of 2026

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

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DATED : 26.03.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR

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... Petitioner

-VS-

**1.The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (TVL) Ltd.,
23/2, Thoothukudi Road
Kattabomman Nagar
Tirunelveli District-627 007**

**2.The General Manager
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (Tvl) Ltd.,
Nagercoil Region
Ranithottam
Kanyakumari District**

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to disburse interest at the rate of 6% for the



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belated payment of retirement benefits gratuity, provident fund, leave salary and
commutation.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Gokul

For Respondents : Mr.K.Ramaiah
Standing Counsel

ORDER

Mr.K.Ramaiah, learned Standing Counsel, takes notice for the
respondent – Transport Corporation.

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

3. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Standing
Counsel appearing for the respondent – Transport Corporation.

4. Learned counsel on either side unanimously agree that the issue
involved in this writ petition is squarely covered by various Judgments passed by



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the Division Bench of this Court in W.A.(MD) No.403 of 2010 and batch, dated 26.03.2014 and W.A.(MD) No.1419 of 2021 and batch, dated 26.07.2021.

5. In the said circumstances, this writ petition is allowed 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 gratuity, provident fund, leave salary and commutation from the date of his retirement till the date on which the terminal 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 twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

Sd/-

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+1 CC to M/s.K.RAMAI AH, Advocate (SR-17323[F] dated 26/03/2026)

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