



W.P.(MD) No.15166 of 2026

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DATED : 08.06.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR

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A.Santhanam

... Petitioner

-VS-

1.The Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.,
Rep by its Managing Director,
Madurai.

2.The Administrator,
The Tamilnadu State Transport
Corporation Employees pension Fund Trust,
Thiruvalluvar Illam, Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-600 002

... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a writ of mandamus directing the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 6% per annum on the delayed disbursement of the petitioner's terminal benefits, including Provident Fund, Gratuity Terminal Leave Salary and Commuted Value of Pension for the Period from the date of his retirement till the date of



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actual disbursement and consequently direct the respondent to settle the same to him within a time frame that may be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.Rahul

For Respondents : Mr.P.F.Ferlin Castro for R1

Mr.S.C.Herold Singh
Standing Counsel for R2

ORDER

Mr.P.F.Ferlin Castro learned counsel, takes notice for the first respondent and Mr.S.C.Herold Singh, learned Standing Counsel, takes notice for the second respondent.

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 Counsels appearing for the respective respondents.



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4. 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 08.06.2014 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, including Gratuity, Earned Leave, Provident fund and other retirement benefits payable to the petitioner, 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 five months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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