



Cont.P(MD)No.3163 of 2025

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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 09.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

Cont.P(MD)No.3163 of 2025

in

W.P(MD)No.11411 of 2025

I.Anandan

... Petitioner/Petitioner

vs.

1.V.Saravanan

The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (MDU) Limited,
By-pass Road, Madurai – 625 016.

2.N.Kalaivanan,

The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (MDU) Ltd,
Virudhunagar Region,
By-pass Road, Virudhunagar.

... Contemnor/Respondent

PRAYER: Petition filed under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, to initiate contempt proceedings against the contemnors / respondents for having wilfully and deliberately disobeyed the orders of this court passed in WP(MD)No. 11411 of 2025 dated 23.04.2025 and for having committed the contempt of court.



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For Petitioner : Mrs.D.Ramya

For Respondents : Mr.Ramachandra Pradeep

ORDER

When this contempt petition is taken up for hearing, the 2nd respondent is present before this court and he has filed an affidavit that a sum of Rs.77,18,176/- has already been settled to the petitioner on 25.08.2025 towards Provident fund, gratuity and leave salary. However for the belated payment, they have to pay the interest of Rs.7,88,029/- out which, cheques have been handed over for a sum of Rs.1,96,902/- and for the balance amount of Rs.4,97,712/- the 2nd respondent has issued post dated cheques as follows:

Sl.No	Details	Amount	Cheque No & dated
1	Provident Fund Interest	Rs.1,00,000/-	961771 – 08.02.2026
		Rs.1,00,000/-	961772 – 08.03.2026
		Rs.1,00,000/-	961773 – 09.04.2026



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Sl.No	Details	Amount	Cheque No & dated
2	Gratuity interest	Rs.41,927/-	906577 – 08.02.2026
		Rs.41,927/-	906578 – 08.03.2026
		Rs.41,927/-	906580 – 08.04.2026
3	Leave Salary interest	Rs.23,797/-	9268 – 09.02.2026
		Rs.23,797/-	9269 – 08.03.2026
		Rs.23,797/-	9270 – 08.04.2026

2.Though this court is not approving the above act of issuing post dated cheques, considering the condition of the respondent transport corporation and this is an interest amount on the belated payment of the terminal benefits, this contempt petition is closed. However, the respondents are directed to ensure that the cheques issued are honoured without any fault.

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