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W.P. No.1101 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 21.01.2026

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

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G.Ramakrishnan,

Petitioner

Vs

1. The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation(VPM) Ltd,
Tiruvannamalai Region,
No. 3/137,Salamedu,
Valudhareddy Post,
Villupuram -605 602.

2.The Administrator,
Tamil Nadu State Transport
Corporation,
Employees Post Retirement Welfare
Fund Trust,
Tiruvalluvar House, Pallavan Salai,
Chennai -600 002.

Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to pay interest at the rate of 8% per annum for the belated payment of retirement benefits for the period from 31.05.2024 to 02.12.2025, i.e,551 days, on Provident Fund, Gratuity, Leave Amount, Commuted Pension, and other retirement benefits within a specified time, and to pay the Earned Leave Surrender amount for the month of November 2019 with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.



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For Petitioner : Ms.D. Nirmala

For Respondents : Ms.S. Pavithra for R1

Mr.C.S.K. Sathish for R2

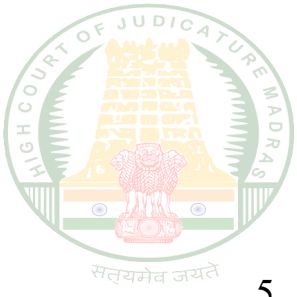
ORDER

Ms. S. Pavithra, learned counsel takes notice for the 1st respondent and Mr.C.S.K. Sathish, learned counsel takes notice for the 2nd respondent. With the consent of both the parties, the writ petition is taken up for final disposal today at the stage of admission itself.

2. This writ petition has been filed to direct the respondent to pay interest for the belated payment of terminal benefits viz., P.F., Gratuity, Leave Amount, Commuted Pension and other retirement benefits, due to the petitioner, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

3. It is the case of the petitioner that he joined the services of the respondent Corporation in the year 1991 and retired from service on superannuation on 31.05.2024. It is the contention of the petitioner that the terminal benefits were settled to him, belatedly, only on 02.12.2025. Hence, he submitted a representation 06.12.2025 to the respondent seeking payment of interest for the delayed payment of the benefits. Hence, this writ petition.

4. Heard the learned counsels appearing on either side and perused the materials available on record.



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5. In view of the limited request made by the petitioner with regard to interest on the belated payment of terminal benefits, this Court directs the respondent to pay interest @ 6% for the belated payment of terminal benefits from the date of retirement till the date of actual disbursal of terminal benefits of the petitioner, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. Accordingly, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

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

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