



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21-01-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

WP Nos. 1421 & 1423 of 2026

C.Ravi

..Petitioner(s)

(In W.P.No.1421 of 2026)

M.Munirathinam

Respondent(s)

(In W.P.No.1423 of 2026)

Vs

1. The Managing Director
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation,
(Vpm), Ltd.,
3/137, Salamedu,
Valudhareddy Post,
Villupuram-605 602.
2. The General Manager,
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Vpm)
Ltd.,
Kancheepuram Regional Office, Ponnerikarai,
Chennai Bangaluru Highway,
Kancheepuram-631 552.
3. The Administrator
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation
Employees Pension Fund Trust, Thiruvallurvar
House,
Pallavan Salai,
Chennai-600 002.

..Respondent(s)
(In both Petitions)



Common Prayer: Petitions filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to pay interest amounts to the petitioner for the belatedly paid Service Gratuity, Provident Fund, Leave Salary and Commutation of Pension, at the rate of 6 percentage per annum for 18 months of delayed payment in the light of the judgment passed by this Honble Court on 23.10.2024 in W.P. No.30766 of 2024.

In both Petitions

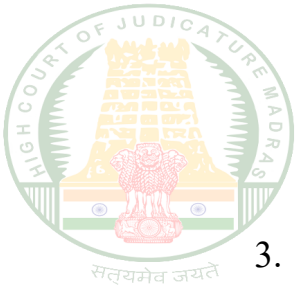
For Petitioner(s): Mr. N.Ishak

For Respondent(s): Ms.S.Pavithra for RR-1 & 2
Mr.C.S.K.Sathish for R-3

COMMON ORDER

These Writ Petitions have been filed to direct the respondents to pay interest @ 6% for the belated payment of Gratuity, P.F and Leave Salary to the petitioners.

2. It is the case of the petitioners that the petitioners, who had joined the services of the respondent Corporation, retired from service in the year 2024, however, the terminal benefits have been settled only on 02.12.2025. Therefore, the petitioners claimed interest on the belated payment of terminal benefits and they have also made representations on 17.12.2025 to pay interest for the belated payment of terminal benefits which has not been evoked any response so far. Hence, the petitioners are before this Court.



3. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials available on record.

4. In view of the limited request made by the petitioners with regard to interest on the belated payment of terminal benefits, this Court directs the 1st 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 petitioners, within a period of six (6) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order taking into account the bank rate of interest on deposits.

5. Accordingly, these Writ Petitions are disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

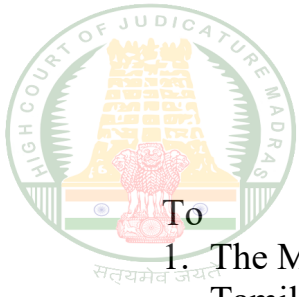
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