



Thooimai Mission
Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited

**Expression of Interest (EOI) for Selection of Implementation
Partners for Various Pilot Projects of CTCL**

CTCL/ Implementation Partners for Various Pilot Projects/2025-26

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Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited (CTCL), a State Government company functioning as the executive arm of the Thooimai Mission, invites Expressions of Interest (EOI) for the selection of implementation partners for integrated solid waste management (SWM) pilot projects across select urban, town panchayat and rural locations in Tamil Nadu. These pilot projects aim to demonstrate Zero Waste to Landfill outcomes through scientific processing, improved source segregation, digital monitoring and resource recovery.

The proposed pilot initiatives span diverse urban and rural contexts including metropolitan areas, heritage and pilgrimage towns, town panchayats, and rural blocks with the objective of developing replicable and scalable Solid Waste Management (SWM) models in compliance with the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016. In this context, Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited (CTCL) invites Expressions of Interest (EOI) from experienced firms / agencies / CSR / Brands / Organisations to provide technical, operational, funding and implementation support through collaborations in the SWM value chain, including infrastructure development, construction and installation of SWM Facility, operations and maintenance, resource recovery and forward linkage, aligned with circular economy principles.

This EOI is an initial step to identify capable partners to support CTCL in advancing environmentally sustainable, cost-efficient, and circular waste management practices across Tamil Nadu.

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1 Introduction:

Thooimai Mission is a flagship mission by Government of Tamil Nadu mandated to drive systemic transformation in Solid Waste Management (SWM) across Tamil Nadu. Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited functions as an executive arm of Thooimai Mission and a nodal agency for the State, focusing on process re-engineering the waste value chain, digital enablement, behavioural change, and market linkage creation to achieve sustainable, circular, and climate-aligned waste management systems.

The Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited (CTCL) is in the process of playing a pivotal role in enhancing waste management operations across all urban and rural local bodies, including Urban Local Bodies (ULBs), Rural Local Bodies (RLBs). CTCL's interventions are designed to deliver technical, operational, and strategic value addition, ensuring systematic and sustainable waste management practices at every level.

CTCL operates through specialized functional verticals such as the Resource Recovery Cell, Campaign, Capacity Development & Collaboration Cell (C-CUBE), Waste Intelligence Monitoring Cell, Policy Design Cell, and Administrative Cell. These divisions collectively ensure technical robustness, regulatory compliance, public engagement, and data-driven decision-making.

Through its integrated approach combining policy support, technical expertise, institutional strengthening and market integration, CTCL ensures alignment with the Thooimai Mission's objective of achieving 100% waste processing, reduced landfill dependency, and environmentally sustainable waste management practices across Tamil Nadu.

| S. No | Name of the Selected Location |
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| 1. | Zone 09 – Greater Chennai Corporation |
| 2. | Kumbakonam Corporation - Thanjavur District |
| 3. | Rameshwaram Municipality - Ramanathapuram District |
| 4. | Karunguzhi Town Panchayat - Chengalpattu District |
| 5. | Tiruttani Block - Tiruvallur district |
| 6. | Ottapidaram Block - Thoothukudi District |

2 Scope of the Project:

The scope of work under the proposed pilot projects encompasses the planning, implementation, operationalization, and monitoring of integrated solid waste management (SWM) systems across diverse urban, semi-urban and rural contexts in Tamil Nadu. The projects are aimed to achieve Zero Waste to Landfill outcomes, improving operational

efficiency, reducing lifecycle costs and establishing replicable and scalable SWM models under the Thooimai Mission. The scope broadly includes.

- Baseline Assessment & Diagnostics
- Behaviour Change & Segregation Protocol
- Impact assessment on campaigns
- Circularity Campaigns with technological interventions
 - Thooimai Circular Collective
 - Scrap dealer's conclave
 - Compost fair
- Capacity Building, Monitoring and system strengthening
- Garbage Vulnerable Points (GVPs) Eradication and Transformation of GVPs
- Partnership for dry and wet waste processing facilities
- Financial Planning and PPP enablement.
- C&T optimization through process improvement and technology integration
- Financial support for processing facility
- EPR Implementation
- Policy Formulation and Implementation
- Institutionalization
- Livelihood Enhancement and Waste Worker inclusion
- Organizing and formalizing the sector
- Forward Linkage
- Resource Recovery Planning
- Digital Governance.
- Hardware and Software technology for waste value chain

3 Submission of EOI:

Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited (CTCL) invites Expressions of Interest (EOI) from eligible firms / agencies / CSR / Brands / Organizations having demonstrated experience in the above mentioned fields to promote circular economy principles.

The EOI is invited to provide an opportunity to interested parties to share their technical approaches, implementation strategies, and innovative solutions for the planning and implementation of integrated solid waste management pilot projects across select Urban Local Bodies, Town Panchayats, and Rural Blocks in Tamil Nadu, as outlined in this document.

The Applicants shall submit their Expression of Interest (EOI) along with the details as prescribed in Annexure-I at the address mentioned below, in the manner specified in the EOI document. The EOI shall be sent via post addressed to the *Managing Director, Clean Tamil Nadu Company Limited (CTCL), Thooimai Mission, 75, 4th Floor, Urban Administration Office, MRC Nagar, Raja Annamalai Puram, Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 600028* also via e-mail: info@thooimaission.com

4 The shortlisting criteria shall be as follows

The shortlisting of Applicants shall be carried out based on the evaluation of eligibility, experience and technical capability, as demonstrated through the information and documents submitted in the Expression of Interest (EOI). Only those Applicants who meet the minimum qualifying requirements and satisfy the shortlisting criteria shall be considered for further stages of the selection process.

The shortlisting criteria shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

- The identity shall be sole proprietor/firms/start-ups/company/CSR registered in India
- Details of similar work executed pertaining to the mentioned fields in the scope of work.
- Technical capability and availability of qualified manpower for executing projects of similar scale and complexity.
- Financial capacity and organizational strength to undertake the proposed pilot projects.
- Past performance in similar assignments, including timely completion and compliance with statutory and regulatory requirements.

Meeting the shortlisting criteria does not confer any right to selection, and CTCL reserves the right to shortlist Applicants at its sole discretion based on the overall assessment of submissions.

5 Availing EOI Documents

The EOI document can be downloaded from the website link <https://thooimaission.com>.

6 Schedule of events

The Schedule of events for the EOI process is given below:

| Sno | Event | Timeline |
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| 1 | Release of EOI Document | 12.01.2026 |
| 2 | Last date & time for EOI Submission | Continuous & Open ended |
| 3 | Publishing in CTCL website & communicating to empanelled Partners | Updating the empanelment list every month |
| 4 | Validity of Empanelment | Up to 30.12.2028 |

7 Department's Right to Terminate the EOI Process

CTCL reserves the right to terminate the EOI process at any time and without assigning any reason thereof. CTCL makes no commitments express or implied, that this process will result in a business transaction with anyone. This EOI does not constitute an offer by the Department.

Annexure – I
Information and Documents to be submitted by the Applicant

1. Applicant Details:

| Sr. No. | Description | Details |
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| 1. | Name of the Principal firm submitting the proposal | (Attach photocopy of Certificate of Registration along with a one page write up or brochure of the company.) |
| 2. | Legal Status of the firm | Individual Company / Partnership Company / Joint Venture Company / Trust / Others: _____ |
| 3. | Registered Address, telephone No., fax no. e-mail ID, website | |
| 4. | Contact Person, Designation and address including contact no. and e-mail ID. | |
| 5. | Organizational Profile (attach relevant document in their support): | |
| (a) | Existing Business activities | |
| (b) | Organization Structure | |
| (c) | Names of Directors of the Board and Chairman / Chief Executive Officer, their nationality, if applicable | |
| 6. | Financial Capability (For Past Three Completed Financial Years) (The Applicant shall submit the 'Financial Statements' for the last three financial years, as per their latest Audited Balance Sheet, Certified by the Statutory Auditor) | |
| | | 2022-23 2023-24 2024-25 |
| (a) | Net Worth | |
| (b) | Turn Over | |
| 7. | Do you intend to tie-up with a consortium partner for the project (if yes, please specify the details of the partner* in the same format mentioned as of the Annexure - I) | |
| 8. | Reason for venturing into this project | |
| 9. | Technical Experience of firm | Please provide the experience of relevant similar completed project details including Name of Work, Project Experience, Location, Capital Cost, etc. (To be supported by and submitted with relevant Completion Certificates / Agreement / Letter of Award issued by the concerned authority/client) |

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| 10. | Profile of Qualified firm/Employees / Board Members with respect to the Scope of the Project. | |
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