



Report on  
**MSME Summit 2022**  
“Role of MSMEs towards attaining \$1 trillion GDP vision for Tamil Nadu”  
Friday, 13th May 2022, Hotel Raintree, Annasalai, Chennai

FICCI Tamil Nadu State Council organized a Special Program on ‘**MSME Summit 2022**’ held on Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022, Hotel Raintree, Annasalai, Chennai wherein around 200 senior management personnel from diverse industries, MSME’s, Associations, National & Private Banks participated and benefited. The event was sponsored by **SBI as Principal Sponsor, Equitas and Indian Bank as Gold Sponsors, SIDBI and City Union Bank as Silver Sponsors.**

**Thiru. T.M. ANBARASAN**, Hon’ble Minister for MSME, Government of Tamil Nadu said ‘Hon’ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, **Thiru. M. K. Stalin** is motivating and driving every sector to scale our State’s GDP to \$1 trillion by 2030, among which MSMEs would make its major contribution. He further said “with 7.76 lakhs of MSME units, we are the second largest State in the country to support this sector. In terms of employment it stands next to agriculture as it provides highest rate of employment with least investment”. He also highlighted other government measures such as new industrial estates and support to the existing units.

**Tmt R. Gajalakshmi, IAS.**, Managing Director, SIDCO, Government of Tamil Nadu said “About 60% of the private sector employees were employed in MSMEs. To create more opportunities, the summit had a panel discussion on the challenges faced by the MSME sector.

**Dr. GSK. Velu**, Chairman, FICCI TNSC & CMD, Trivitron / Neuberg Group of Companies, lauded the government for creating a single window portal. **Mr. Bhupesh Nagarajan**, Co-Chairman, FICCI TNSC & CMD, Indira Projects that the new Government has been very supportive to MSME which was evident by sanction of 500 industrial unit allotment in SIDCO by Tmt. R. Gajalakshmi IAS, MD, SIDCO, GoTN in a short span.

**Mr. Vinod Jaswal**, General Manager, SBI, **Thiru. Sivarajah Ramanathan**, Mission Director & CEO, Tamil Nadu Startup and Innovation Mission, Government of Tamil Nadu, **Mr. P N Vasudevan**, Convenor, FICCI Tamil Nadu MSME Panel & MD, Equitas Small Finance Bank, **Mr. Anand Raghavan**, Member, Committee for Revival of MSMEs, Government of Tamil Nadu, **Mr. H Sripad**, Dy. General Manager – MSME, CO-Chennai, Indian Bank, **Mr. K V Gopikrishna**, Dy. General Manager, SIDBI – Chennai RO, **Mr. V S Karunakaran**, Managing Director, Integral Component Manufacturers Pvt. Ltd also spoke on the occasion.

Caption (L to R): **Mr. Vinod Jaswal**, General Manager, SBI, **Thiru. Sivarajah Ramanathan**, Mission Director & CEO, Tamil Nadu Startup and Innovation Mission, Government of Tamil Nadu, **Dr. GSK. Velu**, Chairman, FICCI TNSC & CMD, Trivitron / Neuberg Group of Companies, **Thiru. T.M. ANBARASAN**, Hon’ble Minister for MSME, Government of Tamil Nadu, **Tmt R. Gajalakshmi, IAS.**, Managing Director, SIDCO, Government of Tamil Nadu, **Mr. P N Vasudevan**, Convenor, FICCI Tamil Nadu MSME Panel & MD, Equitas Small Finance Bank, **Mr. Bhupesh Nagarajan**, Co-Chairman, FICCI TNSC & CMD, Indira Projects

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