



Report on

FICCI's TANENERGY SUMMIT & AWARDS 2023

“Energy and Economy - A Paradigm Shift”

30 September 2023 at Vendhar Hall, Hotel Ramada Plaza, Guindy, Chennai

FICCI Tamil Nadu State Council in association with Government of Tamil Nadu (TEDA) organized its 13th edition of **TANENERGY SUMMIT & AWARDS 2023** held on 30 Sep 2023 at Vendhar Hall, Hotel Ramada Plaza, Guindy, Chennai wherein around 200 industry leaders and other various stakeholders from energy sector participated and benefited. **EVERRENEW Energy Pvt Ltd, Arcedo Systems, SBI, IndionOil, Hindustan Group** were sponsors for the summit. **PMA India** was the Knowledge Partner for the summit.

Dr. BEELA RAJESH IAS., Principal Secretary, Energy Department Government of Tamil Nadu said the state has created a special purpose vehicle to projects related to renewable energy with an objective of 19,500 MW to 25,000 MW of power generation for next year. She also said that the Tamil Nadu government can act as a facilitator and make private sector's participation possible in the realm of energy-related projects.

Thiru. HAN RAJ VERMA IAS., Additional Chief Secretary & CMD, Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency (TEDA) said that offshore wind energy is going to be the game changer in Tamil Nadu as lots of initiatives are taken in green manufacturing and green power generation which could also act as a key strength to the state in relation to the economic progress of the country. He also said that with the target of reaching a \$1 trillion economy by 2030, Tamil Nadu has taken upon the task of giving the competitive push on the world stage in the implementation of all policy frameworks in manufacturing and other key sectors, including renewable energy. He also made a mention of COP28, the UN Climate Change Conference, that is currently ongoing in Dubai, to address the issues of climate change and global warming.

The Chief Guest, **Dr. BEELA RAJESH IAS.**, was very happy to hand over the Memento & Trophy to the awardees.

Dr. GSK VELU, Chairman, FICCI Tamil Nadu State Council & CMD, Trivitron Healthcare/Neuberg Diagnostics Group of Companies said that the energy sector is the heart of the economy and Tamil Nadu exemplifies in the clean energy area by being a leader in the renewable energy segment in the country.

Mr. M NANDAKUMAR, Convener, Energy Panel, FICCI TNSC & MD, NANWIN Energy LLP said that Tamil Nadu has shown double digit growth and the state is the major contributor in terms of economic growth, besides being a leader in the renewable energy generation in the country.

Caption (L to R): Thiru. M NANDAKUMAR, Convener, Energy Panel, FICCI TNSC & MD, NANWIN Energy LLP, **Thiru. R. VENKATESH**, CEO, EVERRENEW ENERGY PVT LTD, **Dr. GSK VELU**, Chairman, FICCI Tamil Nadu State Council & CMD, Trivitron Healthcare/Neuberg Diagnostics Group of Companies, **Dr. BEELA RAJESH IAS.**, Principal Secretary, Energy Department Government of Tamil Nadu, **Thiru. HAN RAJ VERMA IAS.**, Additional Chief Secretary & CMD, Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency (TEDA), **Thiru. BHUPESH NAGARAJAN**, Co-Chairman, FICCI TNSC & CMD, Indira Group of Companies.