

Egmore metro stn given green building award

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Chennai: Chennai Metro Rail Limited received an award from Indian Green Building Council (IGBC) for the Egmore underground metro station, which got platinum ratings for adopting green building concept.

Minister of housing affairs Hardeep Singh Puri presented an IGBC plaque to CMRL at the 16th Green Building Congress 2018 in Hyderabad on Thursday. Egmore Metro was opened along with Central Metro, the underground transit hub, in May. Like Central Metro, Egmore Metro also provides connectivity for outstation and suburban train passengers. The underground metro station links Egmore railway station, where many south-bound trains arrive and suburban trains halt. The station is also linked with MTC bus stops. IGBC, part of the Confederation of Indian Industry, was formed in 2001 with a vision to enable a sustainable built environment by 2025.