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**Platinum Rating - IGBC Green MRTS Certification for Metro Stations of Phase I & Extension - Corridor 1 & 2**

The Indian Green Building Council (IGBC), part of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) was formed in the year 2001, with the vision of enabling a sustainable built environment by 2025. In light of the growth of green building movement, IGBC Green Building Rating System launched categories for New and Existing Buildings, Interiors, Healthcare, Schools, Factory Buildings, Green Cities, SEZs, Landscapes and Mass Rapid Transit System.

IGBC Green Mass Rapid Transit System (MRTS) rating was launched to encourage green concepts in the design, construction & operation of Rail based MRTS addressing green features of site selection and planning, water efficiency, energy efficiency, material conservation, indoor environment and comfort and innovation in design and construction.

As a result of the process of IGBC certification, 40 metro stations (21 elevated stations & 19 Underground stations) of Phase 1 & Extension received the highest certification level of Platinum rating.

Thiru. T.Archunan, Director (Projects), CMRL received the award on behalf of the organization in front of an international and national audience at a ceremony held in Chennai Trade Centre, Chennai on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2023.

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