

ABSTRACT

Environment, Climate Change and Forest Department – Announcement 2021-2022 - Announcement of Green Champion Awards to individuals/organizations for exemplary contribution in environment protection – Orders – Issued.

Environment, Climate Change and Forest (EC.2) Department

G.O.(Ms)No.90

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Read:

- 1. Announcement No.5 made by the Hon'ble Minister for Environment, Climate Change & Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department during the Budget session 2021-2022.
- 2. From the Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board Letter No. TNPCB/P&D/ 10544/2021, dated: 01.10.2021.

ORDER :

The Government of Tamil Nadu has made an Announcement on the floor of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly on 3rd September 2021 that Tamil Nadu Green Champion Awards (TNGCA) would be presented to individuals and organizations to recognize and encourage outstanding contributions in the field of environment protection.

2. In accordance with the said announcement Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board (TNPCB) shall institute Green Champion Awards to be presented to individuals/groups of individuals/ institutions or organizations who have made exemplary contribution towards Environment Conservation and Protection in any such sphere of relevant activity including but not limited to the following areas:

- a) Environmental Education and Training
- b) Environmental Awareness
- c) Environmental Protection
- d) Research and Scientific studies
- e) Sustainable Development

- f) Solid Waste Management
- g) Water Conservation and Water Bodies Protection
- h) Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation
- i) Emission Reduction
- j) Control and Recycling of plastic waste
- k) Eco-restoration, conservation measures
- 1) Coastal Area Protection etc.

3. Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board shall select 100 individuals/ organizations every year through a District Level Award Committee (DLAC) headed by the respective District Collectors. Each award shall carry a prize of INR 1 lakh and a Citation.

4. The Eligibility Criteria and the Mode of Selection shall be prescribed in detail by Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board in consultation with the Department of Environment, Climate Change and Forests (DoECC&F), Government of Tamil Nadu. These awards shall be presented on the World Environment Day every year.

5. The Government accord administrative sanction for the scheme of Tamil Nadu Green Champion Awards (TNGCA) to be presented every year at a cost of Rs. 1 Crore by Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

SUPRIYA SAHU PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Chairman,

Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, Chennai – 32.

The Member Secretary (in-charge),

Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, Chennai – 32.

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All District Collectors

The Special/Senior Personal Assistant to the

Hon'ble Minister Environment, Climate Change and Youth

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The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government,

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The Private Secretary to Special Secretary (Environment, Climate Change),

Environment, Climate Change and Forest Department, Chennai-9.

The Finance (BPE) Department, Chennai-9.

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