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To  
The Public Information Officer  
Tamil Nadu Industrial Guidance and Export Promotion Bureau  
Prestige Polygon Towers, 11th Floor  
No.471, Anna Salai, Rathna Nagar  
Teynampet, Chennai - 600 035

Subject: Seeking Information under Right to Information Act, 2005.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I request you to furnish the following information under the Right to Information Act, 2005:

1. Information on quantum of investments (in Rupees) made between 2001 and 2021 by the Tamil Nadu government in solar, wind, biomass, bagasse cogeneration and hydro energy infrastructures.

For example, the above requested information may be provided in the following formats:

Sl. No.	Year	Quantum of investments (in Rupees) made between 2001 and 2021 by Tamil Nadu government in renewable energy infrastructure				
		Solar	Wind	Biomass	Bagasse co generation	Hydro
1.	2001					

2. Information on quantum of investments (in Rupees) made between 2001 and 2021 by private companies in Tamil Nadu in solar, wind, biomass, bagasse cogeneration and hydro energy infrastructures.

For example, the above requested information may be provided in the following formats:

Sl. No.	Year	Quantum of investments (in Rupees) made between 2001 and 2021 by private companies in renewable energy infrastructure				
		Solar	Wind	Biomass	Bagasse co generation	Hydro
1.	2001					

In addition, please find attached a court fee stamp for the prescribed fee of Rs.10/- towards the cost of the application. I agree to bear additional charges, if any, towards the provision of such information. In such case, kindly inform me the amount and the Account Head to which it has to be remitted and by what mode.

Thanking you,

Sincerely,

(A. Shankar Prakash)



**N. Kannan**  
**Company Secretary /**  
**Public Relations Officer**

Letter No. Misc/Right to Information Act/2022 - 11,  
dated 10<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Dear Sir,

Sub	Request for Information under Right to Information Act, 2005
Ref	Your letter dated 5 <sup>th</sup> August 2022

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In the reference cited, you had asked for certain details on the quantum of investments made by (1) Tamil Nadu Government and (2) Private Companies in solar, wind, biomass, bagasse cogeneration and hydro energy infrastructures.

Quantum of investments made by Tamil Nadu Government

In this regard, we would like to inform that you we donot have any information on the investments made by the Tamil Nadu Government in solar, wind, biomass, bagasse cogeneration and hydro energy infrastructures.

Government of Tamil Nadu has set up a separate Agency, viz., Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency (TEDA) with the following specific objectives:-

1. To promote the use of new and renewable sources of energy (NRSE) and to implement projects therefore.
2. To promote energy conservation activities.
3. To encourage research and development on renewable sources of energy.

The contact particulars of the above agency is as hereunder:-

The Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency - TEDA  
EVK Sampath Maaligai, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
No. 68, College Road,  
Nungambakkam, Chennai 600 006  
Tel: 044 2824 2800  
Fax: 044 2822 2971  
E-mail: [info@teda.in](mailto:info@teda.in)

The information sought for, i.e., quantum of investments made by Tamil Nadu Government can be had from the above organization.

Quantum of investments made by Private Companies

With regard to private investments in the above sectors, we hereby furnish the list of some solar / wind companies who have recently entered into an MoU for establishing their projects in Tamil Nadu.

S.No	Name of the Company	Products	Investment Rs. Crores	Employment	Location
1	WEG Industries	Wind Turbine motors	650.00	650	Krishnagiri
2	Tata Power	Solar module and cells	3000.00	2000	Tirunelveli
3	Senvion Wind Technology Pvt Ltd	Wind Blades and Turbines	130.00	1400	Pudukkottai
4	Bonfiglioli S.P.A, Italy	Gear boxes to wind industry	400.00	250	Kanchipuram
5	JSW Renew Energy Two	Power Generation	3000.00	100	Thoothukudi
6	Flender Drives	Wind Turbine Gearboxes	500.00	200	Kanchipuram
7	Eickhoff Wind Asia Pvt Ltd	Gearboxes for wind turbines	410.00	525	Kanchipuram
8	SunEdison	Solar cells and modules	1423.00	1907	
9	TPI Composites - Expansion		300.00	1000	Kanchipuram
10	JSW Renew Energy	Wind Farm	6000.00	2100	Thoothukudi

11	JSW Renewable Energy (Vijayanagar)	wind farm	300.00	320	Thoothukudi, Tenkasi, Tirunelveli, Tiruppur, Dindigul, Rameswaram, Salem
12	First Solar	Solar PV module and cells	4185.00	1076	Kanchipuram
13	Vivid Solaire Energy Pvt. Limited	Wind Farm	2000.00	600	Thoothukudi
14	Toshiba JSW Power Systems	500 MW to 1000 MW Sub critical and Super Critical Steam Turbines and Generators	800.00	500	Tiruvallur
15	ReNew Power	Solar Cells and module manufacturing	1203.00	2000	Chennai
16	Vikram Solar	Photovoltaic Solar 1GW Module & 500 MW Cell Units	5423.00	7542	Kanchipuram
17	Siemens - Expansion	Gearbox for wind turbines	225.00	125	Kanchipuram
18	SIEMENS LIMITED	Wind Gear Box	23.00	340	Kanchipuram
19	Vestas Wind Energy Pvt Ltd	Wind turbines	626.00	500	Kanchipuram
20	AGS-Dindugal renewable energy project	Solar Energy Power	4500.00	500	Dindigul
21	TPI Composites, USA	wind blades	730.00	875	Kanchipuram

Also, please note that we donot have any information on biomass, bagasse cogeneration and hydro energy projects.

I am also enclosing a report – Database on Energy Resources in Tamil Nadu published by the Tamil Nadu State ENVIS Hub, Department of Environment, Government of Tamil Nadu. Alternatively, you can visit this link - <https://www.environment.tn.gov.in/template/ngc-reports/Database%20on%20Energy%20Resources%20in%20Tamil%20Nadu.pdf> to view the same. The contact details of the above organization is as hereunder:-

**ENVIS Centre: Tamil Nadu  
State of Environment and Related Issues**

#1, Jeenis Road, Ground Floor  
Panagal Building, Saidapet  
Chennai 600 015  
Tel: 044 – 24331243  
Fax: 044 – 24336594  
Email: tn@envis.nic.in

Also, there are certain associations, research organizations and apex bodies for renewable energy in Chennai. The details are provided in the following link - <https://www.eai.in/ref/cit/che/che.html>. However, please note that the authenticity of the site has not been verified and we are only providing an info on your request.

Thanking You,

Yours sincerely,

*N. G. S.*  
10/10/2022

**Public Information Officer**

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