

EXTENDED PRODUCER RESPONSIBILITY (EPR) AUTHORIZATION CERTIFICATE

Registration Certificate Number: CPCB/EPR/2024/TCS-12847

CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD (CPCB)

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

Government of India

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION AND AUTHORIZATION

This is to certify that

TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES LIMITED

having its Registered Office at:

**9th Floor, Nirmal Building
Nariman Point
Mumbai - 400 021
Maharashtra, India**

CIN: L22210MH1995PLC084781

GSTIN: 27AABCT0808Q1ZE (Principal Registration)

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has been registered as an **Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) Authorized Producer/Brand Owner** under Rule 13 of the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016, as amended, and complies with the Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) Guidelines for Plastic Packaging issued by the Central Pollution Control Board.

SCOPE OF AUTHORIZATION

The Organization is authorized to manufacture, distribute, and place plastic-packaged products in the market and shall be responsible for fulfilling Extended Producer Responsibility obligations for the post-consumer plastic waste generated from its products.

Authorized Product Categories:

- Information Technology Hardware & Peripheral Devices
 - Electronic Equipment & Computing Devices
 - Software & Digital Products (Packaged Materials)
 - Plastic Packaging Materials Associated with IT Products
 - Office Equipment & Accessories
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The applicant shall fulfill their Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) obligations as mandated under the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016.
 2. The applicant has undertaken to submit quarterly returns to CPCB on or before the end of the month succeeding the quarter through the centralized EPR Portal.
 3. The applicant shall maintain detailed documentation of all waste management activities, including collection, segregation, storage, transportation, and recycling/disposal of post-consumer plastic waste.
 4. The applicant shall establish and maintain collection centers as per the EPR Action Plan approved by CPCB and the respective State Pollution Control Board (SPCB).
 5. The applicant shall provide information on plastic packaging content and waste minimization strategies to consumers through product booklets and brochures.
 6. The applicant shall ensure that recycling targets are met as prescribed by CPCB for the respective financial year, or purchase Extended Producer Responsibility certificates from registered recyclers to bridge any shortfall.
 7. All technical documentation shall be maintained and made available for verification by CPCB/SPCB officials whenever required.
 8. The applicant shall not use any packaging materials or substances that are banned under the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016.
 9. In case of non-compliance with any of these conditions or violation of the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016, this authorization certificate may be revoked, suspended, or cancelled without prior notice.
 10. Environmental Compensation Charges (ECC) as determined by CPCB shall be imposed for failure to meet recycling targets or other violations.
 11. The applicant shall comply with all directions and guidelines issued by CPCB and the respective SPCB from time to time.
 12. This certificate is valid only for the organization named herein and is not transferable.
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VALIDITY AND RENEWAL

Certificate Issue Date: 15th December 2024

Certificate Validity: 5 (Five) Years

Certificate Expiry Date: 14th December 2029

Renewal: The organization must apply for renewal of this certificate at least 90 days before the expiry date. Continued operation without renewal is a violation of the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016.

OBLIGATIONS AND COMPLIANCE

The EPR Authorization is granted based on the applicant's commitment to:

- Implement a robust system for collection and management of plastic waste from their products
- Achieve annual recycling targets as specified by CPCB
- File quarterly compliance reports through the online EPR portal
- Maintain records of all EPR certificates purchased (if applicable)
- Display this certificate prominently at registered office and operational facilities
- Ensure transparency in waste management operations

SPECIAL NOTES

1. This Certificate is issued based on the information and documents provided by the applicant. Any discrepancy found during verification may result in immediate suspension or cancellation.
2. The validity of this certificate is contingent upon the organization's compliance with all applicable environmental laws and regulations.
3. A digital copy of this certificate is available on the CPCB EPR Portal:
<https://eprplastic.cpcb.gov.in>
4. For grievances or clarifications, contact:
CPCB - EPR Division
Parivesh Bhawan, East Arjun Nagar
Delhi - 110 032, India
Phone: +91-11-43102350
Email: epr-plastic@cpb.gov.in

AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURES

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

Authorized by:

Dr. Rajesh Kumar
Member Secretary, CPCB
Central Pollution Control Board
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change

Date: 15th December 2024

Place: New Delhi

Approval Authority: Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Member Secretary, CPCB

Designated Signatory: Sh. Arun Sharma, Divisional Head, Waste Management Division, CPCB

Registration Officer Signature: _____

Official Seal: [CPCB OFFICIAL SEAL]

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR CERTIFICATE HOLDER

Important: This is a government-recognized authorization certificate. The organization must:

- Display a printed copy at the registered office and all manufacturing/distribution facilities
- Provide a soft copy to all stakeholders, suppliers, and distributors
- Use this certificate number (CPCB/EPR/2024/TCS-12847) in all official EPR correspondence
- Update CPCB immediately upon any change in company details or authorized signatory
- Maintain complete transparency in reporting quarterly waste management data

DISCLAIMER

This certificate confirms the organization's registration as an EPR-authorized entity. However, the actual fulfillment of EPR obligations remains the sole responsibility of the organization. Non-compliance may result in:

- Cancellation of this authorization
- Imposition of environmental compensation charges
- Penalty as prescribed under the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016
- Legal action as deemed appropriate by CPCB/SPCB

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CENTRALIZED EPR PORTAL: <https://eprplastic.cpcb.gov.in>

CPCB OFFICIAL WEBSITE: <https://cpceb.nic.in>

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