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FOREWORD

MSME-DI, Chennai, Tamil Nadu is one of the field outfit of Office of Development Commissioner, Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (DC-MSME) established in the year 1954 for implementing the various policies and programmes of Ministry of MSME towards entrepreneurship development in Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises across the State in liaison with State Govt. and other stake holders. This Institute covers 32 Districts in the State of Tamil Nadu and UT of Puducherry. with the following mandate

- **For Aspiring entrepreneurs :** identify, motivate, train, handhold and provide mentoring services.
- **For Existing entrepreneurs.** To provide techno economic consultancy and facilitation service
- **Skill Development:** To impart need based skill training through Skill Development Programmes (SDP)

One of the wide spectrum of value added services of the Institute is to prepare a brief district industrial profiles of each district for the benefit of aspiring and existing entrepreneurs in the State of Tamil Nadu and other States

This report contains brief details of the District, geographical information, statistical data relating to MSME's of the district, registration under Udyog Aadhaar Memorandum (UAM), potential areas for investment in service sector and manufacturing sector, identified industrial clusters, key contacts for whom to contact for what etc. . The report has been prepared based on our earlier first edition report duly updated from data/inputs collected by District nodal officers and from reports/publications of M/o. MSME, Govt. of India and Govt. of Tamil Nadu, MSME Deptt.

Economic Investigation Division of the Institute has taken special efforts in collection and compilation of the relevant data for preparing the document not only for the **ERODE District** but for all the Districts of Tamil Nadu. My sincere thanks to all the officers of the Institute for their cooperation in bringing out this brief industrial profile.

I am sure that that this document will be of much useful for the benefit of aspiring and existing entrepreneurs who are desirous of setting up of MSMEs in the State of Tamil Nadu in general and in the **District of ERODE** in particular.



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DISTRICT MAP – ERODE



Brief Industrial Profile of Erode District

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1. General Characteristics of the District

Erode district predominantly agriculture in nature is emerging gradually but steadily as an Industrially Promising District. Erode was previously a part of Coimbatore District and it has been bifurcated from Coimbatore District on 17th September 1979 as a new district. Erode is known for the biggest textile shandy for marketing the powerloom and handloom products.

1.1 Location & Geographical Area.

The district lies between 10°36' and 11°58' degrees of northern latitude and between 76°49' and 77°58' Degrees of the Eastern Longitude. It has an area of 5,722.64 sq.kms and is bounded by Karnataka State in the North, Udhamandalam District in the North West, Coimbatore, Tirupur District in the West, Tirupur District in the South, Karur District in the South East and Namakkal, Salem districts in the East.

1.2 Topography

Erode District lies 171.91 meters above mean sea level. The soil of the District is predominantly red sandy to red gravelly type in the taluks of Bhavani, Erode, and Perundurai. Red loamy soil occurs at the bottom of the valleys in the taluks of Gobichettipalayam and Sathyamanagalam.

1.3 Availability of Minerals.

Major minerals quartz and Feldspar are occurring in this district mainly in Perundurai Taluk. Quartz available here is of good quality and is used in electronic industry and the Feldspar is consumed by the ceramic industry.

Black Granites are occurring in Thalavadi, Mallanguli, Thingalur in Sathyamangalam Taluk and in Bargur and Nerinjipettai areas of Bhavani Taluk. Black Granite available is medium black in colour with green background and white spots. Multi Colour Granites are found in Mallanguli, Alambadi, Sivanmalai areas.

Rough stone for construction are available in all the taluks in particular rough stone quarries and stone crushers have been established in Ammapettai, Bhavanisagar areas.

Sand deposits are available in Bhavani and Cauveri river beds. Sand leases had been granted in Bhavani and Cauveri river beds.

AVAILABILITY OF MINERAL

S.NO.	NAME OF MINERAL
	MAJOR MINERAL
1.	Quartz
2.	Feldspar
	MINOR
1.	.Black Granite
2.	Colour Granite
3.	Rough Stone
4.	Gravel
5.	Pepper

1.4 FOREST

The district is having a forest cover of 227511 Hectares, accounting for 39.76% of total area of the district.

1.5 Administrative set up.

The district is having 2 Revenue Divisions, 5 Taluks, 34 Revenue Firkas and 375 Revenue villages. There are 1 Municipal Corporation, 10 Municipalities, 14 Panchayat Unions, 44 Town Panchayats and 230 Village Panchayats in this District.

2. District at a glance

Particular	Year	Unit	Statistics
Geographical features			
Geographical Data			
i) Latitude			10° 36' to 11° 58'
ii) Longitude			76° 49' to 77° 58'
iii) Geographical Area		Hectares	572264
Administrative Units			
i) Sub divisions			2
ii) Tehsils			5
iii) Sub-Tehsil (Firkas)			34
iv) Revenue Villages			375
v) Panchayat Unions			14
vi) Municipalities			10
vii) Town Panchayats			44
viii) Gram Panchayats			230
ix) Assembly Area			8
Population (2011)			
Total			
i) Male			1134191
ii) Female			1125417
Rural Population			
Agriculture			
Land utilization			
i) Total Area		Hectare	572264
ii) Forest cover		"	227511
iii) Non Agriculture Land		"	53089
v) cultivable Barren land		"	6270
Forest			
(i) Forest		Ha.	227511
Livestock & Poultry (2012)			
Cattle			
i) Cows		Nos.	276584
ii) Buffaloes		Nos.	102840
Other livestock			
i) Goats		Nos.	309202
ii) Sheep		Nos.	165277
iv) Railways			
i) Length of rail line		Kms	136

V) Roads (2013-14)			
(a) Surface roads		Kms	6247
(b) Unsurface roads		Kms	610
(VIII) Banking commercial			
Bank office		Nos.	302
Colleges		Nos.	73

2.1 Industrial Estates in the District : ERODE

S. No.	Name of Ind. Area
1	Govt. Indl. Estate, Erode
2	SIDCO Indl. Estate, Nanjai Uthukkuli, Erode TK

3. INDUSTRIAL SCENERIO OF ERODE DIST.

3.1 Industry at a Glance

Sr No	Head	Unit	Particulars
1.	REGISTERED INDUSTRIAL UNIT	NO.	19521
2.	TOTAL INDUSTRIAL UNIT	NO.	
3.	REGISTERED MEDIUM & LARGE UNIT	NO.	38
4.	ESTIMATED AVG. NO. OF DAILY WORKER EMPLOYED IN SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES	NO.	77,500
5.	EMPLOYMENT IN LARGE AND MEDIUM INDUSTRIES	NO.	6501
6.	NO. OF INDUSTRIAL AREA	NO.	2
7.	TURNOVER OF SMALL SCALE IND.	IN LACS	NA
8.	TURNOVER OF MEDIUM & LARGE SCALE INDUSTRIES	IN LACS	95,699

3.2 YEAR WISE NUMBER OF UNITS REGISTERED

Year	No. of Units registered (EM-II) – ERODE			
	MICRO	SMALL	MEDIUM	TOTAL
2007-08	2312	199	2	2513
2008-09	1418	182	11	1611
2009-10	1526	225	7	1758
2010-11	2486	311	12	2809
2011-12	2577	460	59	3096
2012-13	2983	498	172	3653
2013-14	3584	787	213	4584
2014-15	4109	1215	138	5462

3.3 UDYOG AADHAAR MEMORANDUM (UAM)

Govt. of India, Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises(MSME) has notified the Udyog Aadhaar Memorandum(UAM) under the MSMED Act, 2006 vide gazette notification [SO No. 2576(E)] dated 18-09-2015 in order to promote ease of doing business for MSMEs. A one-page simple registration form for online filing of UAM has been introduced which replaces the filing of Entrepreneur's Memorandum Part I & II. The filing of UAM can be done on www.udyogaadhaar.gov.in. Registration is online and user-friendly. UAM can be filed on self-declaration basis. No documentation required. No Fee for filing. Can file more than one Udyog Aadhaar with same Aadhaar Number. **EM-I has been abolished. Udyog Aadhaar (UA) is for running units. No need to apply for upcoming units.**

3.4.1 DETAILS OF UDYOG AADHAAR MEMORANDUM FILED/REGISTERED - ERODE

SI No.	District Name	Total	Micro	Small	Medium
1	Total Units registered under UAM	5683	5053	618	12
2	Manufacturing Units	3902	3548	346	8
3	Service Units	1781	1505	272	4

3.5 DETAILS OF MICRO & SMALL ENTERPRISES AND ARTISAN UNITS IN THE DISTRICT

NIC CODE NO.	TYPE OF INDUSTRY	NUMBER OF UNITS
15	Manufacturing of Food Products and Beverages	3539
16	Manufacturing of Tobacco Products	7
17	Manufacturing of Textiles	4406
18	Manufacturing of Weaving Apparel; Dressing and Dyeing of Fur	3659
19	Tanning and Dressing of Leather, Manufacture of Luggage,	954

	Handbags, Saddlers, Harness and Footwear	
20	Manufacturing of Wood, Products of Wood, Cork, Articles of Straw & Plating Materials, Except Furniture	219
21	Manufacturing of Paper and Paper Products	577
22	Publishing, Printing and Reproduction of Recorded Media	257
23	Manufacturing of Coke, Refined Petroleum Products & Nuclear Fuel.	10
24	Manufacturing of Chemicals and Chemical Products	502
25	Manufacturing of Rubber & Plastic Products	888
26	Manufacturing of Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products	464
27	Manufacturing of Basic Metals	761
28	Manufacturing of Fabricated Metal Products, Except Machinery & Equipment	710
29	Manufacturing of Machinery & Equipment N.E.C	212
30	Manufacturing of Office, Accounting & Computing Machinery	14
31	Manufacturing of Electrical Machinery & Apparatus N.E.C	209
32	Manufacturing of Radio, Television, Communication, Equipment and Apparatus.	6
33	Manufacturing of Medical, Precision and Optical Instrument, Watches & Clocks.	13
34	Manufacturing of Motor Vehicles, Trailers and Semi-Trailers	311
35	Manufacturing of Other Transport Equipment (Three Wheelers)	2
36	Manufacturing of Furniture, Manufacturing N.E.C	228
37	Recycling	75
41	Collection, Purification and Distribution of Water	24
50	Maintenance & Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motor Cycles (NIC 1998 codes:50200 & 50404)	573
52	Maintenance and Repair of Personal and Household Goods (NIC 1998 codes:52601 to 52609)	17
55	Hotel, Canteen	0
60	Land Transport (NIC 1998 codes:60211)	2
63	Supporting and Auxiliary Activities (NIC 1998 codes:63022 & 63091)	4
64	Post & Telecommunications (NIC 1998 codes:62405,64206&64207)	3
71	Renting of Transport Equipment, Other Machinery & Equipment N.E.C. (NIC 1998 codes:71110 to 71290)	0
72	Computer and Related Activities (NIC 1998 codes:72201, 72202, 72203, 72300, 72400, 72501 & 72502)	171
74	Other Business Activities (NIC 1998 codes:74131,74132,74133,74221,74300,74941,74942,74950, 74993&74994)	233
85	Health and Social Work (NIC 1998 codes:85197 & 85321)	0
92	Recreational, Cultural & Sporting Activities (NIC 1998 codes: 92111,92113,92114 & 92115)	10
93	Other Service Activities (NIC 1998 codes:93010 & 93011)	461

Source: DIC, Erode.

3.6 Major Large Scale Industries / Public Sector undertakings

1. Bannari Amman Sugars Ltd., Periapuliyur Po, Sathy Tk
2. Agni Steels Private Ltd, Ingur, Perundurai Tk
3. Rajalakshmi Textile Processor, Ramanathapurampudur Po, Erode TK
4. Vinayaka Electro Alloys (I) Pvt. Ltd. Ingur, Perundurai TK
5. GMB Textiles Mills India Limited, Elumathur Po, Erode TK
6. Sakthi Sugars, Poondurai Po, Erode TK
7. Naveen Cotton Mill Private Limited, Pungampalli, Sathy
8. Sakthi Sugars Limited, Appakoodal, Bhavani TK
9. Krishna Poultry Tex Mill (India) Pvt. Ltd, Vijayamangalam, Perundurai TK
10. Ranjeer Cotton Mills (India) Private Limited, Gettiseviyur Po, Gobi TK

3.7 Block wise Large Scale Industries

Large Industries - Block wise

Sl. No.	Name of the Block	No. of Units	Investment (in Lakhs)	Employment	Turn Over Rs. in Lakhs	Installed capacity
1	Ammapetai	-	-	-	-	-
2	Anthiyur	1	1710.10	66	5226.29	16.33 Million ltrs.
3	Bhavani	1	9086.77	70	10800.00	37560 Kls.
4	Bhavani Sagar	1	2137.00	200	2301.00	2301.23 mtrs.
5	Chennimalai	1	1123.00	300	8830.74	66000 m.t.
6	Dharapuram	2	5352.51	599	10500.00	11200 tones
7	Erode	1	1420.50	185	1757.00	36000 mtrs.
8	Gobi	2	3899.44	600	5822.00	86000 M.t.
9	Kanagayam	3	12212.90	1180	10500.00	120.60 lakhs Kgs.
10	Kodumudi	-	-	-	-	-
11	Kundadam	-	-	-	-	-
12	Medakurichi	4	27046.42	1815	25300.00	789120 m.t.
13	Mulanur	1	3146.46	127	2500.00	2400 tones
14	Nambiyur	-	-	-	-	-
15	Perundurai	7	14070.50	1075	12072.56	96580.48 m.t.
16	Sathy	3	14549.87	777	9017.12	6762.84
17	T. N. Palayam	-	-	-	-	-
18	Thalavadi	-	-	-	-	-
19	Uthukluli	-	-	-	-	-
20	Vellakoil	-	-	-	-	-
Total		27	95755.47	6994	104626.71	

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3.8 Block wise Medium Scale Industries

Medium Industries - Block wise

Sl. No.	Name of the Block	No. of Units	Investment (in Lakhs)	Employment	Turn Over Rs. in Lakhs	Installed capacity
1	Ammapetai	-	-	-	-	-
2	Anthiyur	-	-	-	-	-
3	Bhavani	-	-	-	-	-
4	Bhavani Sagar	2	1351.51	246	2420.00	1200 M.t.
5	Chennimalai	-	-	-	-	-
6	Dharapuram	-	-	-	-	-
7	Erode	1	860.00	70	2000.00	13248
8	Gebi	2	2009.00	449	4500.00	35480
9	Kanagayam	2	1361.90	325	4017.00	77940 M.t.
10	Kedumudi	-	-	-	-	-
11	Kundadam	1	883.81	192	1000.00	10968
12	Medakurichi	-	-	-	-	-
13	Mulanur	-	-	-	-	-
14	Nambiyur	-	-	-	-	-
15	Perundurai	6	5767.52	648	5652.38	20958 M.t
16	Sathy	-	-	-	-	-
17	T. N. Palayam	-	-	-	-	-
18	Thalavadi	-	-	-	-	-
19	Uthukluli	2	1896.26	416	8400.00	2281
20	Vellakoil	-	-	-	-	-
Total		16	14130.00	2346	27989.38	

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3.9 Major Exportable Item

Egg Powder, Sugar, Reclaimed Rubber, Paper, Cotton Yarn, Iron & Steel, Motor Vehicle Parts. Albumin

3.10 Growth Trend

Not available.

3.11 Vendorisation / Ancillarisation of the Industry

Nil

3.12. Medium Scale Enterprises

List of major medium scale units in Erode District

1. Sri Balamurugan Textiles Processing Ltd., Punjai Puliampatti, Sathy TK.
2. Vaibhav Processing Mills (P) Ltd, R.N.Pudur Po, Erode TK
3. City Mills (P) Ltd., Chinnampalayam PO, Erode TK
4. Inditex Processor (P) Ltd., P.V. Palayam PO, Perundurai TK
5. Dharanii Cotton Mills (P) Ltd., Alukkuli PO, Gobi TK.
6. Sri Sivajothi Spinning Mill (P) Ltd., Polavapalayam Po, Erode TK.
7. Amudham Food Products (P) Ltd., Olapalayam Po, Perundurai TK
8. Shri Sakthi Papers India Private Ltd., Pudupeerkadavu, Sathy TK.
9. Gran Rock Tiles (P) Ltd, Polavakalipalayam Po, Gobi TK,
10. Araind Kumar Textiles Private Ltd. Rangasamudram Po, Sathy TK.
11. Shri Vaikunth Paper & Boards (Pr) Ltd., Thathapalli Village, Sathy TK.
12. Maturha Cotspinn (P) Ltd., Nallagoundenpalayam PO, Gobi TK
13. Divya Spinning Mill (P) Ltd. Getticheviyur Po, Gobi TK.
14. Jothi Melters India (P) Ltd. Panchaipuliyampatti Po, Erode TK.
15. Alayaa Steel Rolling Mills, Elumathur Po, Erode TK.
16. Sri Selvakumaran Textiles, Chengappalli Po, Perundurai TK
17. K. K. S.K. Leather Processor (P) Ltd., R.N. Pudur Po, Erode TK.
18. Carona Industries (P) Ltd. Alukkuli Po, Gobi TK
19. Amudham Ind. Products Private Limited, Olapalayam PO, Perundurai TK
20. SPA C Tapico Products, Poonachi PO, Bhavani TK.
21. Rohini Mills, Arasur PO, Sathy TK.
22. The Soft Tex Processing Mill, PV Palayam PO, Perundurai TK.
23. R.B. Wovens Private Limited, Erode
24. Shri Hari Process Unit-I. Panickampalayam PO, Perundurai TK.

25. Gungan Knitwears (P) Ltd, Panickampalayam Po. Perundurai TK
26. Easwari Knitting Works, P. V. Palayam Po, Perundurai TK.
27. Sunraja Oil Industries Private Limited, Nasiyanur Po, Erode TK.
28. Sri Balamurugan Textiles Processing Limited, Punjai Puliampatti PO, Sathy TK.

3.13 Service Enterprises

The district is having 573 Nos of Repair of Motor Vehicle units and 899 Nos of other services units.

3.13.1 Potentials areas for service industry

Repairing of Motor Vehicles units as a cluster can be developed at Perundurai. Computer software and services are having good scope for development at Erode.

3.14. Potential areas for new MSMEs

Coir Products, Coconut Oil, Readymade Garments, Silk Reeling and twisting, Sago and Starch Manufacturing, Masala Powder and Spice Products, Floral Extraction, Poultry and Cattle Feed, Engineering Products, Food Processing Industries, Blankets.

S.NO.	1.Raw Materials Based
1.	Coir
2.	Coconut Oil
3.	Readymade Garments
4.	Silk Reeling & Twisting
5.	Milk and Milk Products
6.	Sago and Starch
7.	Masala Products
8.	Floral Extraction
9.	Poultry and Cattle Feed
2. Demand Based	
10.	Iron& Steel
11.	Engineering
12.	Food processing Industries
3. Skill Based	
13.	Blankets
4. Export Oriented	
14.	Coir Pitch
15.	Woven Garments
16.	Hosiery Garments

5.Rural Artisan Based	
17.	Cotton Foot Mat
18.	Home Furnishing
19.	Moon Stone

4. Identified Industrial Clusters of Micro & Small Enterprise

NAME OF THE CLUSTER	LOCATION	PRODUCT
Leather	Erode	Leather footwear, Leather Tanning.
Oil Mill	Kangeyam, Vellakovil	Extraction of Coconut Oil,Groundnut oil.
Coir **	Erode and Pollachi	Coir Products
Moon Stone	Devangapuram	Moon Stone
Readymade Garments	Erode town and 25kms radius	Shirts, Barmudas, Pyjamas, Ladies / Kids Wears & Made-ups, Home furnishing items
Rice Mill \$\$	Kangeyam	Rice

***** Coir Cluster Erode has got approval for Establishment of Common Facility Centre (CFC) for “ PVC latex processing centre facility” under MSE-CDP scheme of Govt. of India/Govt. of Tamil Nadu. The CFC is The CFC is under initial stage of commissioning.***

\$\$ Rice mill cluster, Kangeyam has been given in-principle approval for common facility centre for :Silo Storage” from Govt. of India. Final approval is awaited.

There is no identified cluster in Service sector at Erode District. However, Repairing of Motor Vehicle Units are largely functioning at Perundurai and this can be developed as a cluster.

5.SUBSIDIES.

Govt. of India and Govt. of Tamil Nadu is giving various subsidies/incentives for existing and new as well as existing MSMEs on various schemes. For further details contact concerned District Industries Centre (DIC) and MSME-DI, Chennai. The contact details are given ***at Institutional support – Whom to Contact***

6. General issues raised by industry association

1. Problems in availability of skilled man power
2. Frequent power cut and supply of power. Industries may be encouraged by providing more subsidy from Central and State Government for establishing generation of power from non conventional energy sources.
3. Micro & Small units are facing problems in repaying the loans taken from banks. The loans may be restructured so that they can avoid the action by the banks for becoming NPAs.
4. Interest rates charged by the banks are high. The same may be reduced.
5. Exemption limit for paying central excise duty may be increased.
6. Investment limit for Micro manufacturing enterprises may be increased for modernization and upgradation of technology in their units.
7. New industrial estates may be formed in Erode district.

7.STEPS TO START MSME

18 STEPS TO START MSE	
	18 STEPS TO START INDUSTRY
1.	DECISION TO BE AN ENTREPRENEUR
2.	PRODUCT SELECTION/TECHNOLOGY
3.	LOCATION OF THE UNIT
4.	TYPE OF THE ORGANISATION
5.	PROJECT REPORT PREPARATION
6.	ARRANGMENT OF FINANCE
7.	STATUTORY LICENCES AND REGISTRATION
8.	LAND AND BUILDING
9.	PURCHASE OF MACHINERY
10.	POWER CONNECTION AND WATER SUPPLY
11.	INSTALLATION OF MACHINERY
12.	MANPOWER
13.	RAW MATERIAL PROCUREMENT
14.	PRODUCTION
15.	COSTING AND PRICING
16.	MARKETING
17.	SALES
18.	PROFIT

8.LICENSING AUTHORITIES – KEY CONTACTS

Approval of production programme for items compulsorily licensable	Production programme approval is not necessary but while obtaining for provisional registration brief project outline is submitted to DIC / Development Commissioner (SSI) New Delhi through State Directorate of Industries.
For units functioning in places other Industrial Estate / approved Developed Plots	License from Corporation Commissioner Municipal authority or Panchayat Board.
Manufacture of Drugs and Cosmetics	State Drug Controller, Drug Control Administration.
Fruits & Vegetable based products	Dy. Director, Food & Vegetable Preservation-Shastri Bhavan.
Units employing 10 or more workers (power used) or 20 or more workers (power not used) approved under Factories Act	Chief Inspector of Factories.
Effluent disposal	Clearance from District Health Officer, Director of Public Health, Pollution Control Board
Registration under Sales Tax Act	Local Joint Commercial Tax Officer
Registration under Central Excise Act	Superintendent of Central Excise of the area or Collector of Central Excise.
Power Connection	Local Assistant Divisional Engineer
Registration Partnership Firm	Inspector General of Registration, 26, Rajaji Salai, Chennai
Details of ISI Specification (Now known as BIS)	Bureau of Indian Standards Southern Regional Office, Taramani, Chennai-600 113.

9. INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT – WHOM TO CONTACT FOR WHAT

S.No	Type of assistance	Name and address of agencies
1.	Identification of Project Profiles, techno-economic and managerial consultancy services, market survey and economic survey reports.	District Industries Centre, Sidco I.E., Campus Erode-638001 0424- 2275283, 2275859 dicerd@tn.gov.in www.dicerd.in Branch MSME Development Institute, 386, Patel Road, Ramnagar, Coimbatore -9
2.	Technical guidance	District Industries Centre, Sidco I.E., Campus Erode-638001 0424- 2275283, 2275859 dicerd@tn.gov.in www.dicerd.in
3.	Land and Industrial shed	Branch Manager, Small Industries Development Corporation of Tamil Nadu (SIDCO), Chennimalai Road, Erode – 1
4.	Financial Assistance	SIDBI, Erode, Lead Bank, Canara Bank, Erode
5.	For raw materials under Govt. Supply	1. NSIC Ltd., Gowtham Centre, Avinashi Road, Coimbatore-18. 2. SIDCO, Chennimalai Road, Erode.
7.	Power/ Electricity	Tamilnadu Generation and Distribution Company, 129-A, E.V.N. Road, Erode – 9.
8.	Technical Know –how.	Branch MSME Development Institute, 386, Patel Road, Ramnagar, Coimbatore -9
9.	Quality & Standard	Bureau of Indian Standards, Kovai Towers, 5 th Floor, 44, Balasundaram Road, Coimbatore-18.
10.	Marketing /Export Assistance	NSIC Ltd., Gowtham Centre, Avinashi Road, Coimbatore-18.
11.	Other Promotional Agencies	Powerloom Service Centre, Jagannathapuram Colony, Surampatti, Erode – 9.

10 . KEY WEBSITES OF GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AND GOVT. OF TAMIL NADU

www.msme.in	Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India, New Delhi
www.dcmsme.gov.in	Office of Development Commissioner, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India, New Delhi
www.tn.gov.in	Portal to Government of Tamil Nadu
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www.indcom.tn.gov.in	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department
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www.hepcindia.com/tamilnadu.php	Handloom export promotion in Tamil Nadu
www.tn.gov.in/transport	Transport Department
www.sipcot.com	About industrial parks
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www.investingintamilnadu.com	Guide to investing in Tamil Nadu, policies, Tamil Nadu Vision 2023, step by step approach to establishing a
www.sidco.tn.nic.in	<i>Tamil Nadu Small Industries Development Corporation (TANSIDICO) - for allotment of plots/sheds in industrial estates</i>