

## **Expression of Interest**

## Thermal Power Plants in Tamil Nadu - on Lease Model

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The demand for electricity in Tamil Nadu is only steeply increasing and had increased by - 6.2% in the financial year 2024-25, and it is projected that demand may rise by another 10-15% in coming years.

This Expression of Interest (EOI) is being invited from reputed Indian and global partners for the leasing of the mentioned imported coal-based thermal power plants located in Tamil Nadu, considering the projected peak electricity demand of 23 GW by 2026. The operation of the power plants will also contribute towards enhancing the state's self-reliance in power generation and energy security.

- Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu 160 MW (2X80 MW)
- Mettur Dam, Salem, Tamil Nadu 128 MW (4X30 MW + 1X8 MW)

We intend to have a long-term partnership on leasing model with experienced agencies with strong financial stability & execution capabilities, and a strong commitment to environmental sustainability and regulatory compliance. Interested Partners shall design and propose the business model of execution.

Interested parties are encouraged to review the details and scan the QR or logging in to sterlitecopper.com/tender-zone to submit their EOI in the prescribed format on or before 18:00 hours, 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2025. For specific queries, please email tu.tenders@vedanta.co.in.

