

A Brief Profile: Hindustan Construction Co Ltd

HCC is a business group of global scale developing and building responsible infrastructure through next practices. With a group turnover of ₹7,007 Cr (\$844 million), its businesses span across engineering & construction and infrastructure.

Founded by Industrialist Seth Walchand Hirachand in 1926, HCC Ltd has constructed a majority of India's landmark infrastructure projects, having constructed 26% of India's hydro power and over 60% of India's nuclear power generation capacities, over 4,036 lane kilometres of expressways and highways, more than 402 km of tunnelling of which over 247 km are in the Himalayan region and over 403 major bridges. Today, HCC Ltd serves the infrastructure sectors of transportation, power, and water.

Landmark projects executed by HCC include the Bogibeel Bridge – India's longest rail-cum-road steel bridge; Kishanganga Hydro Power Project - Largest EPC contract of NHPC; Bandra Worli Sea Link – India's first and longest open sea cable-stayed bridge; the Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant – India's first and largest light water reactors and the Kolkata Metro – India's first Metro.

Being the first construction company in India to implement ISO certified Quality, Occupational Health & Safety and Environment Management systems and robust Corporate Governance norms, HCC has also achieved the fastest implementation of SAP – ERP across all its project locations, some even at record-breaking altitudes of 11,000 feet in the Himalayan ranges.

The Company has invested in the early adaption of advanced engineering equipment, new and innovative technology and strategic international associations. HCC's order book as of March 31, 2024, is ₹10,475 cr (\$1.262 billion). The company has registered revenue of ₹5,043 cr (\$608 million) and operating profit of ₹687 cr (\$82.8 million) during FY 2023-24.

HCC's commitment to 'Responsible Infrastructure' has been time enduring, with social commitment and environmental responsibility becoming integral principles in its business goals. Its initiatives encompass Disaster Relief, Water Sustainability, Education, Health and Community Initiatives. HCC's sustainability reporting from 2010 to 2023 has been as per the GRI (Global Reporting Initiative, Netherland) guidelines.

Disaster Relief forms a significant area of focus at HCC. The company is a founder member of Disaster Resource Network of India wherein it has steered emergency response teams and rehabilitation to a number of locations struck by natural disasters. Recognizing the emerging water crisis and with a view to make water sustainability a corporate priority, HCC became the first Indian company to endorse the United Nations' Global Compact (UNGC)'s CEO Water Mandate. HCC has demonstrated its water consciousness by implementing a series of rigorous and improved water management practices at its project sites.

HCC Group of Companies

The HCC Group of companies now comprises HCC Ltd and HCC Infrastructure Co Ltd.

HCC Infrastructure Co Ltd is a leading infrastructure developer engaged in the creation and management of premium assets in the areas of transportation. HCC Infrastructure has developed and operated ~Rs. 7,000 crore (US\$ 844 million) NHAI Concessions.

