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Fujitec Co., Ltd.**Fujitec Receives Order for 451 Escalators and Moving Walks
for the Chennai Metro Rail Project in India**

Shiga, Japan - Fujitec Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Hikone City, Shiga Prefecture, Japan; President and CEO Masayoshi Harada) has secured an order for a combined total of 451 escalators and moving walks for the Chennai Metro Rail Project (Corridors 3 and 5) that is ongoing in Chennai in southern India through its group company, Fujitec India Private Ltd. (Fujitec India).



The Indian government has set a policy to advance the development of public transportation infrastructure, including railway systems, in metropolitan areas. Following Phase 1 of the Chennai Metro Rail Project, Phase 2 is currently underway to build a north-south and east-west rail network across Chennai. In the project, Fujitec will deliver a total of 451 units to 54 stations along Corridors 3 and 5, including 34 underground stations and 20 elevated stations. The project is scheduled for completion in 2029.

This contract follows an earlier order for 239 elevators settled in November 2024. Combined, the two contracts will bring the total number of elevators, escalators, and moving walks supplied for the Chennai Metro Rail Project to 690 units.

■ Comment from Shakir Ahmed, Managing Director, Fujitec India

We are honored to have secured this major order for escalators and moving walks for the Chennai Metro, following our earlier elevator contract.

This contract reflects the trust placed in our vertical transportation solutions and the strong presence we have built in India. We believe this contract will mark another major step toward realizing an obstacle-free, accessible, and inclusive world with safety and reliability in India.

■ Order Overview

Project Name	Chennai Metro Rail Project (Corridors 3 and 5)
Order Quantity	447 escalators and 4 moving walks, 451 units in total
Order Placed	November 2025
Scheduled Completion	2029

■ Our Elevator Business in India

Fujitec established Fujitec India Private Ltd. in 2004, marking the start of full-scale operations in India's rapidly growing economic market.

In 2011, we opened the Big Rise elevator plant outside Chennai as our first production base in the country, creating an integrated system for local production. We have also supplied a large number of escalators, mainly for public facilities, contributing to India's rapid urbanization and infrastructure development.

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Fujitec is a specialist manufacturer of elevators, escalators, and moving walks. Fujitec provides safe, secure, and comfortable moving spaces in 23 countries and regions around the world through an integrated system of research and development, manufacturing, sales, installation, maintenance, and modernization

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