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GOLD CERTIFIED LEED RATING

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Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) is a forerunner in green building certification programs worldwide which was developed by U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC). LEED provides a framework to create healthy, highly efficient and cost-saving green buildings. LEED certification is a globally recognized symbol of sustainability achievement.

The Admin Building-Depot for CMRL was selected by LEED under the New Construction category. The building was evaluated based on the categories of sustainable sites, water efficiency, energy and atmosphere, material and resources, indoor environment quality, innovation in design and regional priority credits.

The components were evaluated on the basis of the design, construction, operation, and maintenance, which aim to make the buildings environmentally responsible and use the resources effectively. Based on this method of evaluation, the Admin Building-Depot of CMRL was awarded with 70 points out 110 points which fetched us the Gold Rating, under LEED 2009 for the New Construction category.

