

# ABOUT THE AWARDS

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The Institute of Company Secretaries of India is committed to promoting good Corporate Governance and has played pivotal role in creating awareness on various issues impinging upon corporate governance. One of the important initiatives of the Institute to good corporate governance is the **ICSI National Awards for Excellence in Corporate Governance** which was instituted in the year 2001 to promote good governance practices among the corporate and to recognise those companies worthy of being exemplified.

At the core, the underlying objectives of the awards include the following:

Implementation of best practices in Corporate Governance;

Recognizing leadership efforts of corporate boards in practicing good corporate governance principles in their functioning;

Recognizing implementation of innovative practices promoting Corporate Governance; and

Enthusiasing focus on Corporate Governance practices in corporate functioning.