

GI Registration Guide

Textiles, Apparel & Fashion

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Protect a craft with a Geographical Indication — what GI protects and its benefits, who can apply (an association or body of producers), the process (application, examination, registration, authorised users) and the benefits. GI is a legal process; engage an IP professional. Fill in your details below.

Purpose of this tool & output

Protect a craft with a Geographical Indication

How the output is used

Use the guide to protect a craft/textile with a Geographical Indication (GI) so its name cannot be misused.

Who receives it

The Geographical Indications Registry (Office of the CGPDTM), Chennai.

How to submit / file it

File the GI application through a registered producer association/authorised body with the statement of case and documentation.

Fees & charges

Statutory GI application fees; professional fees for drafting.

Who should vet it

An IP/GI lawyer experienced with textile GIs.

Important cautions

AI-generated guide; GI registration is a legal process, engage an IP professional.

Companion documents

- Handloom / Handicraft Marketing
- Artisan Cluster Development Plan
- Handloom / Craft Mark Guide
- Handicraft Export Guide
- Craft E-Commerce Setup
- Weaver / Artisan Producer Company Kit

This is AI-assisted guidance. Verify with a qualified professional before any binding decision. Fees, authorities and processes vary by state and change over time — confirm with your state authority.