- Waste recovery technologies that reuse and recycle solid waste into secondary products. Several Canadian companies have developed cost-competitive technologies that use a number of separated or integrated solid waste products to make building systems, extruded plastic waste products and wood waste fibre board. All of these secondary products are in high demand in India's booming construction and consumer products sectors. An additional plus is the fact that collection costs in India are a smaller percentage of waste recovery expenses due to lower labour costs.
- Solid waste management systems planning for major urban areas. The outbreak of pneumonic fever in 1994 has prompted Bombay, Ahmedabad, Bangalore and Baroda to reform solid waste collection and disposal. They all require collection, reuse and recycling, incineration and landfill systems.
- Urban sanitation and environmental management in West Bengal where the government of Japan, through its official development assistance agency, is funding \$200 million for environmentally sound industrial estates.

Potential Indian Collaboration Partners

SUPPLIER'S NAME	TECHNOLOGY DEMAND
Western Paques (India) Limited	Municipal waste handling and transportation systems

Existing Joint Ventures

INDIAN COMPANY	FOREIGN PARTNER
Western Paques (India) Limited	Paques B.V. of Holland

5.1.2 Hazardous Waste Management

Market Overview and Current Activity

Hazardous waste management promises huge growth potential in India over the next five to ten years. The estimated market size for hazardous-waste handling equipment in 1993 was \$62 million, with a projected 1995 value of \$132 million. Almost all the major states have been asked to create one or more hazardous waste landfills by the MoEF. Orderly hazardous waste incineration is carried out only by a few large operators and most disposal is uncontrolled.