



Regional Developments

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Andhra Pradesh

Andhra Pradesh govt to introduce new industrial policy

The Andhra Pradesh government has decided to introduce a new amicable industrial policy before the Global Investors Summit (GIS).

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Two 800 MW units to begin operations in AP in 2023

Installed power generation capacity in Andhra Pradesh is expected to increase by 1,600 MW in 2023 to ensure uninterrupted power supply in the state.

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Andhra Pradesh govt allots 171.9 hectares of land for setting up IT parks in 3 districts

The Andhra Pradesh government has allotted around 171.9 hectares of land so far for setting up information technology (IT) parks in Visakhapatnam, Tirupati and Anantapur.

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Andhra Pradesh CM flags off 165 veterinary mobile medical ambulances

Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister (CM) YS Jaganmohan Reddy flagged off 165 veterinary mobile medical ambulances. at the cost of INR1.1 billion.

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Andhra Pradesh govt approves 239 projects in 106 ULBs

The Andhra Pradesh government has approved nearly 239 projects in 106 urban local bodies (ULBs) across the state, under phase-I of the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT).

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Gujarat

Gujarat govt to introduce new system to distribute agricultural power subsidy

The Gujarat government is conducting an exercise to reorganise the system by which the agricultural power subsidy is disbursed.

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Gujarat aims to become global leader in green hydrogen production in next 10-12 years

Gujarat is aiming to become a global leader in green hydrogen in the next 10-12 years with eight million tonnes per annum (MTPA) of production capacity.

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Jharkhand

40 railway stations in Jharkhand to be upgraded

As many as 40 railway stations in Jharkhand have been identified for an upgrade in infrastructure and passenger amenities under the Amrit Bharat Station scheme.

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HCLTech and IIT (ISM), Dhanbad, announce partnership for oil & gas industry

Under the agreement, HCLTech will offer projects and internship opportunities to students and research scholars of IIT (ISM) to develop digital solutions in the fields of exploration, drilling and production of hydrocarbons to reduce carbon footprint.

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Haryana

DLF to launch luxury housing project in Gurugram next month

DLF plans to launch a luxury housing project in Gurugram next month. It expects sales revenue of around INR7,500 crore.

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Omega Seiki Mobility plans to invest INR800 crore to set up two manufacturing plants for batteries, powertrains

The company, a part of the Anglian Omega Group, has formed a joint venture. They will invest INR800 crore over the next two years in setting up the two plants and are going to set up the powertrain facility in Haryana.

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Karnataka

Karnataka CM inaugurates Parashuram theme park at Bailur

Karnataka Chief Minister (CM) Basavaraj Bommai inaugurated the Parashuram theme park at Bailur in Udupi district. He said that the state government will draw a master plan to promote culture and temple tourism in coastal part of the state.

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Karnataka approves 59 industrial projects worth INR3,455.39 crore

The state government has cleared 59 investment proposals worth INR3,455.39 crore that are expected to create 18,567 jobs, Industries Minister Murugesh Nirani.

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Kerala

Kerala govt plans to introduce design policy

The Kerala government is planning to introduce the Kerala State Design Policy. The information was shared by state tourism and public works minister PA Mohamed Riyas on 27 January 2023.

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KSUM launches MIND programme for emerging businesses in Kerala

The Kerala Startup Mission (KSUM) has launched the Mentor Inspired Networking on Demand (MIND) programme in Kerala.

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Ernakulam Becomes First District In Kerala To Register 10,000 New MSMEs

Ernakulam has become the first district to register 10,000 new micro, small and medium enterprises (MSME) almost in sync with the State, crossing the target of one lakh new units on Tuesday under the Year of Enterprises Campaign 2022.

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Maharashtra

Maharashtra govt to launch policy to attract filmmakers

The Maharashtra government is set to roll out a new policy to keep the film industry thriving within the state. The policy is expected to allow filmmakers to shoot in public places for free, said state cultural affairs minister Sudhir Mungantiwar.

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Mumbai Airport plans to deploy over 100 EVs by 2023-24 to reduce carbon footprint

Mumbai Airport, which is owned by the Adani Group, said that it is looking to deploy more than 100 electric vehicles (EVs) at the facility by 2023-24 to reduce its carbon footprint and promote sustainable transportation.

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Maharashtra to present INR40,000 crore worth of projects at Global Tourism Investors Summit

Maharashtra Tourism will present an estimated INR40,000 crore worth of investment opportunities in the tourism sector in the state at the forthcoming Global Tourism Investors Summit (GTIS) scheduled to be held in Delhi between April 10 and 12, 2023.

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Madhya Pradesh

Madhya Pradesh CM inaugurates CV Raman Virtual Reality Lab in Jabalpur

Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister (CM) Shivraj Singh Chouhan inaugurated CV Raman Virtual Reality Lab in Jabalpur.

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Madhya Pradesh govt to launch new excise policy

The Madhya Pradesh government is working on a new excise policy to discourage alcohol consumption in the state.

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NABARD projects MP's priority sector credit potential at INR2.58 lakh crore

NABARD projected Madhya Pradesh's (MP) priority sector credit potential at INR2.58 lakh crore for 2023-24.

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North East

Reliance Jio announces launch of its 5G services in all 6 north-eastern states

Reliance Jio announced the launch of its 5G services in all six north-eastern states on 27 January 2023. Starting from the aforementioned date, Jio users in seven cities across six north-eastern states.

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Assam Cabinet takes key decisions

The Assam Cabinet has decided to establish industrial training institutes (ITIs) in every block of the state under public-private partnership (PPP) mode.

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Nagaland minister launches project to provide water supply to 5 villages

Nagaland public health engineering department minister Jacob Zhimomi has inaugurated a project aimed at providing water supply to five villages in the state.

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Assam Celebrates 200-Year Tea History and Its Impact on the Economy, Culture and People

Assam tea – known globally for its strong body and golden color – steps into its 200th year since *Camellia sinensis* var. *assamica* was first discovered in the region by Englishman Robert Bruce in 1823.

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Odisha

Odisha govt approves 9 piped water supply projects worth INR1,287 crore

The Odisha government has given nod to as many as nine piped water supply projects worth INR1,287 crore in three districts. These include Malkangiri, Jajpur and Nayagarh.

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Odisha govt approves nine industrial projects worth INR1.53 lakh crore

The High Level Clearance Authority (HLCA) of the Odisha government has approved nine industrial projects worth nearly INR1.53 lakh crore that are likely to generate over 27,030 employment opportunities.

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Odisha's first millet consignment reaches abroad

For the first time, commercial consignment of millets from Odisha has reached the international market. It was sourced from women-managed farmer producer organisations (FPOs) Shaktimayee Ward Mission Shakti Mahasangha to export it to Dubai.

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Punjab

Punjab CM inaugurates 400 new 'Aam Aadmi clinics'

Punjab Chief Minister (CM) Bhagwant Mann inaugurated around 400 new 'Aam Aadmi clinics' in the state. With this, the total number of such clinics in the state has touched 500.

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Punjab to get Indo-Israel villages of excellence for vegetable growing

The Indo-Israel Centre of Excellence (CoE) for Vegetables and Citrus has started to bring its technology to villages of Punjab where it will build up Indo-Israel villages of excellence for vegetable growing.

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Punjab govt plans to sell surplus coal to private power producers

The State Government has been planning to sell surplus coal produced from its captive mine in Jharkhand to private power generating companies.

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Punjab Govt extends INR798 crore aid to bailout CADB

The Punjab Government has extended aid of INR798 crore to save the development banks in the state.

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Rajasthan

Rajasthan govt signs 26 investment agreements worth INR1.3 lakh crore

The Rajasthan government signed 26 investment agreements worth INR1.3 lakh crore. These pacts are related to industries, energy, tourism and other sectors.

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Rajasthan govt starts construction of innovation hubs in Jaipur, Jodhpur & Kota

The Rajasthan government has started the construction of Rajiv Gandhi Knowledge Service and Innovation Hubs in Jaipur, Jodhpur and Kota. The cost of the project has been pegged at INR600 crore.

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INR968.92 crore sanctioned for Rajasthan's Nathdwara-Devgarh Madariya railway project

Union railways ministry sanctioned INR968.92 billion for the broad-gauge conversion of 82.5-km railway track between Nathdwara and Devgarh Madariya in Rajasthan's Rajsamand district.

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Telangana

CWC approves joint study on AP's Polavaram backwater effects in Telangana

The Central Water Commission (CWC) has approved to conduct a joint study on the adverse impact of backwaters from Andhra Pradesh's Polavaram project in Telangana.

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Telangana team wraps up Davos meet with a kitty of investments worth INR21,000 crore

The Telangana team led by IT and Industries Minister KT Rama Rao, which went to Davos (Switzerland) for the annual meeting of World Economic Forum, has left for Hyderabad, bagging several projects worth INR21,000 crore.

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Telangana to get new pumped storage hydroelectric project

Telangana is set to get a new 600 megawatt off-stream closed-loop pumped storage hydroelectric project. The facility is expected to come up near Mailaram village in Nizamabad at an estimated cost of INR3,293 crore.

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Tamil Nadu

RIT, TSSC sign MoU for setting up 5G CoE in Tamil Nadu

The Rajalakshmi Institute of Technology (RIT) and Telecom Sector Skill Council (TSSC) have signed an MoU for setting up a 5G Centre of Excellence (CoE) in Tamil Nadu.

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Tamil Nadu govt signs 207 MoUs worth INR2.2 lakh crore in last 20 months

The Tamil Nadu government signed nearly 207 MoUs attracting around INR2.2 lakh crore of investments in the last 20 months.

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IOCL to invest INR2,200 crore in Tamil Nadu

Indian Oil plans to invest INR2,200 crore in Tamil Nadu in projects which include 'grass-roots terminal' at Asanur and Vallur, a 'captive petroleum' project and an 'oil and lubricant-LPG jetty' at Kamarajar port.

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Union Territories

Delhi govt approves projects worth INR12 crore for redevelopment of road infrastructure

Delhi deputy chief minister Manish Sisodia approved projects worth INR12 crore for the repair and redevelopment of road infrastructure in the national capital.

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Puducherry admin to construct apartment complex under Smart City Project

The Puducherry administration has decided to construct a 13-storeyed apartment complex having 216 flats under the Smart City Project.

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Bharti Airtel announces launch of its 5G services in 7 cities of J&K

Bharti Airtel announced the launch of its 5G services in seven cities of Jammu & Kashmir (J&K). The seven cities are Samba, Kathua, Udhampur, Akhnoor, Kupwara, Lakhampur and Khour.

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Puducherry's GSDP estimated at INR39,019 crore during 2022-23

Puducherry's Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) has been estimated at INR39,019 crore during 2022-23, said Lieutenant Governor (LG) Tamilisai Soundararajan.

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Uttar Pradesh

Uttar Pradesh govt signs 26 MoUs worth INR9,000 crore in Chandigarh

The Uttar Pradesh government signed 26 MoUs worth INR9,000 crore on 27 January 2023. These pacts were signed during a roadshow organised in Chandigarh, ahead of the upcoming Uttar Pradesh Global Investors Summit (GIS) to be held in Lucknow.

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Uttar Pradesh govt pays INR20,000 crore to paddy, sugarcane farmers

The state government paid INR20,000 crore to paddy and sugarcane farmers for their produce over the past four months.

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Uttarakhand

Uttarakhand's Rudrapur to get green energy-based solar panel manufacturing facility

Uttarakhand's Rudrapur is set to get the country's first green energy-based solar panel manufacturing facility. It will be set up by the Luminous Power Technologies.

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Uttarakhand govt releases draft solar policy

The Uttarakhand government has released the draft solar policy. It targets 2,000 MW of installed solar capacity and envisages boosting the proportion of solar power in power distribution companies (discoms) energy purchases to 18 per cent by 2028.

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West Bengal

Utkarsh India commissions a 1 MW solar plant in West Bengal

Utkarsh India has built 1 MW of solar energy plant to meet its growing power demand at Hooghly, West Bengal. An array of 1,824 solar panels covered the area, which will generate 1.2 million units of energy per annum.

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112.5 MW solar power plant set to come up in West Bengal

A 112.5 MW solar power plant is set to come up in West Bengal. The construction arm of the Larsen & Toubro (L&T) has received a turnkey engineering, procurement and construction (EPC) order to establish the same.

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