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District in Focus- Jajpur

Mineral rich Jajpur, is one of the most industrialised districts of Odisha. Blessed with the unique advantages of access to iron ore deposits at Keonjhar, thermal coal deposits at Talcher and availability of water from Brahmani river – a National Investment Manufacturing Zone has been developed at Kalinganagar focusing on the steel sector. Kalinganagar is a planned



industrial and modern town and houses major steel industries such as Tata Steel, Neelachal Ispat Nigam Limited, Jindal Stainless, VISA Steel, MESCO etc. To generate additional jobs and ensuring greater value addition to the primary metal produced within the State, a long term roadmap 'Vision 2030: Development of Downstream Units in Metal Sector' is under development with a vision to achieve more than 50% value addition to the primary metal produced in the State.

The district also has significant chromite deposits catering to the stainless steel industry besides being used in critical applications in sectors including Defence, Aerospace and Aviation. Sukinda valley in the district accounts for 97% of the proven chromite deposits in Odisha.

The industrial development in the region is expected to get a significant boost with the development of National Waterway - 5 and Angul-Duburi-Sukinda rail network. The National Waterway - 5 envisages to further enhance the connectivity of the mineral bearing areas and industrial areas to Paradip and Dhamra ports. The 102 km Angul-Duburi-Sukinda rail link aims to provide a vital alternative rail link connecting Angul-based steel plants with the Keonjhar-Bansapani iron-ore belt and Talcher coal field with the Kalinga Nagar industrial belt.

Road to Make in Odisha Conclave 2018

State holds Investors' meet at Mumbai

In the run-up to the second edition of 'Make in Odisha Conclave', the State Government organised Investors' meet at Mumbai on August

08 and 09, 2018. The State delegation led by Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik conducted a roadshow to showcase Odisha's growth story and invited entrepreneurs to the

Make in Odisha Conclave 2018.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister launched the "I am Odisha" campaign to celebrate the achievements and successes of Odisha and her people. The mobile application and microsite for the Make in

Odisha Conclave were also launched during the event. The industry captains unveiled the collaterals highlighting the growth and business ecosystem in Odisha.



Odisha Investors' Meet at Mumbai on August 08, 2018



The Chief Minister held meetings with top industry stalwarts including Shri Mukesh Ambani, Shri Anand Mahindra, Shri Adi Godrej, Shri Kishore Biyani amongst others and invited them to partner in the growth of the State. The industry captains were also invited to participate in the Make in Odisha Conclave 2018.

Shri Ananta Das, Minister (Industries) also conducted one-to-one meetings with prospective investors on August 09, 2018. Companies from diverse sectors including textiles, food processing, chemicals etc. evinced interest in investing in Odisha.



Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik in a meeting with Shri Mukesh Ambani, Chairman, Reliance Industries Ltd.



Minister (Industries) Shri Ananta Das with Shri Banmali Agrawala, President, Tata Sons

I Am Odisha Campaign

#IAmOdisha campaign celebrates the achievements and successes of Odisha and her people in creating a vibrant ecosystem for business in the State. The campaign aims to highlight success stories of Odia entrepreneurs, thought leaders, business leaders and drivers of socio economic change. Odias from around the globe can join the campaign by sharing their stories on www.iamodisha.info or through WhatsApp on 7978927908. I Am Odisha stories are available on the 'Invest Odisha' Facebook page.



Make in Odisha Conclave 2018 Schedule and Registration

The Make in Odisha Conclave 2018 will showcase the policy & regulatory environment, investment opportunities across focus sectors and the manufacturing prowess of the State. The schedule for the MIO Conclave 2018 to be held during November 11 – 15, 2018 at Bhubaneswar is as follows:



Golf Tournament

Coastal Fun Run

Heritage Walk



- a) Food Processing

b) Bhubaneswar and Rourkela Smart Cities

c) Logistics & Infrastructure

d) Tourism Investment



- a) MSME

b) ESDM & IT

c) Healthcare Investment

d) Textiles & Apparel

e) Skill Development

f) Chemicals & Petrochemicals

g) CSR

h) Downstream Industries in Metals

- TEDx Talk
- Startup Challenge
- Valedictory Session



- a) Agri-business Investment

b) Aerospace & Defence Manufacturing

c) Agri Marketing

d) Bhubaneswar as a Sports Destination

- Women Entrepreneurship
- Academic Meet
- Agribusiness Investment



- **24 Hour Hackathon**

Registrations for the conclave can be done through the MIO Microsite <http://mio.investodisha.gov.in/> or the Make in Odisha mobile application.

Did you Know?

Odisha produces chrome which is used in more than half of the shaving blades worldwide.

Odisha accounts for about 98% of the total proven chromite reserves of the country, of which about 97% occur in the Sukinda valley in Jajpur district. Sukinda has the largest open cast chromite ore mines in the world. Sukinda chrome is used globally in the manufacture of shaving blades.

Odisha in News

Odisha betters national rate in economic growth

A study titled "Political regime persistence and economic growth in Odisha: An empirical assessment of the Naveen Patnaik rule" published in the journal "Economics Bulletin" revealed that the State witnessed an upward shift in its economic growth in 2003 and since then, it has been notching up an average annual growth rate of about eight per cent. When compared to the

national economy and that of other States, the study found a significant positive differential trend in Odisha's growth rate. The State has grown faster than 15 other major states of the country.

State to set up riverine port on river Mahanadi

The State Government approved financial bidding process for a riverine port on river Mahanadi in Kendrapada district on Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode.

The High-Level Clearance Authority (HLCA) allowed four major port developing agencies--Hindustan Ports Private Limited, Adani Ports and SEZ Limited, Essar Ports and Navayuga Engineering Company Limited — to participate in the financial bidding. The port will create employment opportunities for 4,300 people in the first phase and for over 10,700 people in the second phase.

Taiwan's CPC Corporation visits Paradip to explore setting up a naphtha cracker

Taiwan's state owned petroleum company, CPC Corporation is exploring to invest ₹ 43,000 crore in setting up a naphtha cracker at Paradip which would help in setting up petroleum downstream units in the region. Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik assured all the necessary support in the implementation of the project.



Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik with
CPC Corporation President Mr. Shun-Chin Lee

Foundation laid for NALCO's ₹ 131 crore alloy wire rod unit

To address the rising demand of the power sector, particularly in power transmission, aluminium major NALCO laid the foundation stone to set up a ₹ 131 crore alloy wire rod manufacturing facility with an installed capacity of 40,000 TPY (Alloy Grade).

Ardent Steel Plans 1.2 MTPA Integrated Steel Plant at Keonjhar

Ardent Steel Limited plans to set up a ₹ 4,013 crore greenfield integrated steel plant at

Keonjhar. The project involves DRI, captive power plant, pipeline project, blast furnace, rolling mill, SMS and sinter plant.

Odisha can become centre of electronic manufacturing: Union Minister Prasad

Union Electronics and IT Minister Ravi Shankar Prasad, along with Union Petroleum Minister Dharmendra Pradhan, inaugurated the Software Technology Parks of India (STPI) - 'STPI ELITE' and Secondary Data Centre of National Data Repository at Bhubaneswar. 13 companies were given in-principle approvals to start BPOs in Bhubaneswar, Jaleswar, Cuttack and Balasore. More BPO centres will come up at Angul, Jajpur, Sambalpur and Jeypore.

Odisha's single-window portal receives 300 investment proposals

Launched in November 2017, Odisha's Single Window for Investor Facilitation and Tracking (GO-SWIFT) has received 300 proposals from investors across the country. The portal received the 300th proposal from Kerala-based Kitex Garments Ltd, who will invest ₹ 177 crore at Gopalpur in Ganjam district of the state to set up an apparel manufacturing unit. The project will create employment opportunities for over 5,000 people, with a majority of them being women.

Indian Oil Corporation Limited to invest ₹3,663 crore to lay pipelines in eastern sector

To ensure uninterrupted supply of the petroleum products for catering the growing demand in Odisha, Andhra Pradesh and Telangana, IOCL will invest ₹ 3,663 crore for laying two pipelines-

- **Paradip – Hyderabad Pipeline Line (PHPL)** to evacuate products such as motor spirits, high-speed diesel, kerosene and aviation turbine fuel (ATF) from its refinery at Paradip.
- **Dhamra-Haldia-Paradip LNG (DHPPL) pipeline** to ensure a dedicated supply of natural gas to Paradip and Haldia refineries for captive consumption.

Paradip Port Trust (PPT) sets ball rolling on ₹ 3,544 crore projects for Smart Port City

PPT has initiated work on projects valued at ₹ 3,544 crore on the port city spread over 700 acres of land. The city will house various projects across sectors including a multi modal logistics park, wood park, a dedicated food park for edible oils and 4 million tonne per annum pelletisation unit. Besides, PPT also aims to commission its full-fledged container terminal, to handle clean cargo, by the end of August 2018.

Odisha sweeps India Skills East Competition

The youth from Odisha won in 12 skill trades out of 24 at India Skills Regional Competition – Eastern Chapter held at Bhubaneswar. 225+ competitors from 22 States competed across 27 skills in the event. The winners from these competitions will compete at National Level with winners from other regions to win a chance of representing INDIA at World Skills 2019 in Kazan, Russia.

Foundation stone laid for India's first 'National Skill Training Institute' (NSTI) at Bhubaneswar

Union Minister Shri Dharmendra Pradhan laid the foundation stone for India's first NSTI at Bhubaneswar. The institute will be set up at a cost of ₹ 160 crore, on a 5 acre land and shall be equipped with state-of-the-art facility to impart skill development courses.

India's first 'Skill Museum' inaugurated in Cuttack

India's first Skill Museum, was inaugurated by Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik at Government Industrial Training Institute (ITI), Khapuria, Cuttack. The museum, established in an area of 2600 sq. ft. houses skill-based equipment, a world-class exhibition area and an auditorium constructed with an investment of ₹ 73 lakh.



**Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik
at the Skill Museum in Cuttack**

Odisha approves investment proposals worth ₹ 348.5 crore

The State Level Single Window Clearance Authority (SLSWCA) approved four investment proposals worth ₹ 348.5 crore which will help create employment opportunities for about 6,000 people. The proposals catered to sectors such as textile, pharmaceuticals, downstream industries in metals and minerals.

Odisha to get its own *Palace on Wheels*

Odisha is all set to join a list of states with its own luxury train which will be similar to "Palace on Wheels" and will showcase the beauty of popular tourist destinations in Odisha such as Puri, Bhubaneswar, Cuttack and Konark. This move will see Odisha join States such as Rajasthan, Maharashtra and Karnataka whose luxury trains attract a large number of tourists.

At ₹ 454 crore, FDI inflow to Odisha hits a high

In a significant development for Odisha, inflow of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) has hit a near-decade high in 2017-18. The FDI inflow got a booster dose in 2017-18 as the State received an eight year high of nearly ₹ 454 crores up from ₹ 84 crores 2016-17.

Odisha solar auction attracts competitive bids

Because of the low land acquisition challenges in Odisha, the State saw low tariffs in the range of ₹ 2.79 - ₹ 3.20 in the latest round of auctions where 200 MW solar power auction was conducted. The auctions saw interest from Aditya Birla Group, Eden Renewable Varenne, Acme Solar, Sukhbir Agro and Gupta Power. The auctions in the State saw tariffs lesser than UP, Karnataka and Gujarat.

GO SWIFT- Ensuring Investors' Delight

Frequently Asked Questions

GO SWIFT is one-stop solution for all required services by an investor during the investment life cycle of a project in a time-bound, hassle-free, paper-less and transparent manner. It also provides seamless integration with various IT applications developed by the Industries department. As part of our awareness campaign, we will cover some of the Frequently Asked Questions on GO SWIFT for the benefit of our readers from the investor community:

How do I track my application?

Users can track the real-time status of their applications via the Investor Dashboard. Email and SMS notifications are sent at all critical stages of the application.

Do I need to visit the departments for receiving my approved certificate?

Once the application is approved by the respective department, applicant will receive notification via email and SMS and the approved certificate can be downloaded without the need for any physical visit.

Testimonial

The design and interface of the online Single Window portal (GO SWIFT) is really simple and excellent for first-timers, who really have lot of apprehension while filling up any proposal online. The step-by-step procedure is a guideline to beginners and is self - explanatory. We hope many entrepreneurs shall benefit from this site. The guidance by the Invest Odisha team to facilitate the online application process is duly appreciated.

- Mr. Rakesh Singhal, Chairman, Tirupati Containers Pvt. Ltd.

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