



<b>Name of Project</b>	<b>Agri Export Zones (AEZs)</b>
<b>Project Location</b>	Ganjam
<b>Investment</b>	Not decided
<b>Land Area</b>	Not decided
<b>Employment</b>	NA
<b>Mode of Development</b>	Government
<b>Project contours</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• State has only one AEZ at Kandhamal for ginger and turmeric</li><li>• Ganjam AEZ will be developed for Kewda and cashew,</li><li>• Development of AEZs will benefit the units manufacturing the products immensely and will lead to:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Strengthened backward linkages with a market oriented approach,</li><li>• Better product acceptability,</li><li>• Increased value-addition,</li><li>• Reduced cost of production,</li><li>• Improvement in product quality and packaging,</li><li>• Enhanced trade related research and development</li><li>• Increased employment opportunities</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Investment Opportunities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Will be developed in Government Mode</li></ul>
<b>State Incentives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Eligible for financial assistance from the Central Government agencies like APEDA, NHB, Department of Food Processing Industries, and the Ministry of Agriculture</li></ul>
<b>Nodal agency</b>	IDCOL, Department of MSME, Agriculture and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority, APICOL