

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

Industries & Commerce Department- Industrial Promotion - EODB - Creation of Investor Facilitation Cell - Orders - Issued.

INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (IP & INF) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 35

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Read the following :

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In the reference read above, the Commissioner of Industries, Hyderabad has stated that department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP) has communicated the proposed business reform action plan for EODB-2017. The reform nos. 5 & 6 of the EODB reform 2017 mandates creation of an Investor Facilitation Cell in state and its working procedures. Already an investor facilitation cell/Entrepreneur Guidance cell is working at Commissionerate of Industries and in all District Industries Centers to facilitate the entrepreneurs in setting up the units specially first generation entrepreneur. After formation of new Telangana state, Industrial activity received a boost and the state has become a aspiring investment destination as a result of transparent and investor friendly environment created by the Government. With a view to attract international and national investments in the industrial sector and to create employment opportunities even in the backward areas of the state, the Government of Telangana has taken innovative initiatives and framed the New Industrial Policy with the adage of "minimum inspection and maximum facilitation". The Salient features of the policy are Effective industrial clearance mechanism, Attractive incentive package, Creation of Industrial land bank, Development of Industrial Parks with state-of the art infrastructure with focus on MSMEs. Currently, the Entrepreneur Guidance Cell at Commissionerate of Industries and District Industries Centres are working in similar capacity providing guidance and documentation services to the entrepreneurs disseminating information regarding resource availability and entry procedures, provide prospective investors, especially first generation entrepreneurs the necessary information and educate investors about Government policies. Government of Telangana as a part of Ease of Doing Business (EODB) introduced number of reforms across all the departments and stood 1st in the EODB state ranking for the year 2015-16. In order to improve ease of doing business further and to facilitate investors across the Globe who invests in Telangana, Government of Telangana established "Investor Facilitation Cell" which acts as a nodal agency for prospective investors, in this regard he requested the Government that the "Investor Facilitation Cell" shall be setup at the Commissionerate of Industries and will be headed a Joint Director of Industries under overall supervision of Commissioner of Industries.

2. Government after careful examination in the matter hereby decided to constitute the "Investor Facilitation Cell" at the Commissionerate of Industries and will be headed by a Joint Director of Industries under overall supervision of Commissioner of Industries. Technically qualified officers will provide the following Information to the entrepreneurs for setting up of industrial ventures in the State:

1. Elaborate on Project ideas. Feasibility guidance/ study
2. Providing information on availability of local resources, human resources, list of existing anchor units, mega/large industries which will be useful for ancillary units to come up
3. Provide information regarding Industrial Plots Availability, activity specific approvals required with applicable fees
4. Infrastructural facilities resources of raw materials
5. Assist in financial closure by interacting with financial institutions
6. Inform the Policies of State and Central Governments
7. Inform the investor about TS-iPASS single point approval system and

- provide information regarding activity specific approvals required and applicable fees - Provide escort services till the unit is grounded
8. Receive Foreign investors, inform them about available industrial lands, arrange meetings with Government wherever necessary and provide escort services till unit is grounded.
 9. Provide machinery suppliers list
 10. Preparation of publicity material for supporting to market Telangana State as an attractive and investment friendly state
 11. Arranging road shows in other states and countries
 12. Suggest and keep inform the Government about investment promotion initiatives followed by other states
 13. Conducting entrepreneur development programmes in association with MSME, APITCO, NiMSME, APPC etc., to create awareness among the educated youth for taking up self ventures
 14. Organizing industrial seminars / workshops / road shows / trade fairs in association with local chamber of commerce and industrial associations
 15. Promotion of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises in the state.
 16. Follow up prospective investors, especially first generation entrepreneurs to pro-actively offer solutions to various establishment issues faced by the investors.
 17. Facilitating Industries in securing various industrial clearances at a single point through TS-iPASS Act.
 18. Guiding entrepreneurs in filing online application for various services of Industries Department
 19. Offer helpline services for investors such as handling queries regarding the application and approval process, query recording and ticketing and resolving the issues within 3 days.
 20. Offer help line services over phone.
4. The Commissioner of Industries., Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

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To

The Commissioner of Industries, Hyderabad.

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The Finance (EBS.VII) Department, Hyderabad.

PS to Prl Secy to Chief Minister.

P.S. to Prl. Secretary to Government & CIP., Ind. & Com. Department

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