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Gati Shakti National Master Plan BISAG-N Physical Training Program conducted at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala from 10-12 August 2022



PM-Gati Shakti National Master Plan has been developed as a Digital Master Planning tool by BISAG-N (Bhaskaracharya National Institute for Space Applications and Geoinformatics) and has been prepared in dynamic Geographic Information System (GIS) platform wherein data on specific action plan of all the Ministries/Departments (both Central Government and State Government) is being incorporated within a comprehensive database.

As part of capacity building programs conducted in this regard, The Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce along with BISAG-N organized a physical training workshop for familiarizing use of BISAG-N portal for preparation of State Master Plan for Network Planning Group officials at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala from 10th August 2022 to 12th August 2022. The training program was facilitated by KSIDC and the venue for the training was Parijatham Hall, Institute of Management in Government (IMG), Thiruvananthapuram. The program was attended by Shri. S Bharadwaj Dy. Director-General, Ministry of Commerce, Government of India.



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‘Udyam’ registrations for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises

‘Udyam’ registration is now required for micro, small and medium enterprises. Udyam registration is free. Any person starting a business can take Udyam registration through the portal <https://udyamregistration.gov.in/>. PAN, Aadhaar, Aadhaar linked mobile number and bank account number are mandatory for registration. Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises registered with Udyam can get many benefits introduced by government schemes like subsidies, loan approvals, etc.

Udyam registration is completely paperless. No false entry of information or deliberate concealment of information shall be made at the time of registration.



K-SWIFT won the Chief Minister’s Innovation Award.

The K-Swift Single Window Portal of KSIDC received the CM Innovation Award. KSIDC Managing Director Shri. S Harikishore IAS received the award from Chief Minister during a function held at Institute of Management in Government (IMG), Thiruvananthapuram. Under this award, Government institutions and agencies were considered for the awards in 4 categories: delivery of services to the public, improvement of procedures, development interventions and management of bureaucracy.



Half a lakh enterprises registered within five months of the launch of the State Government's Entrepreneurial Year scheme

More than 50,000 enterprises, 3,000 crores worth of investment, 1, 10,000 job opportunities created through the scheme. The State launched license/loan/subsidy fairs in the month of August, which resulted in the surge in the number of enterprises. Great strides have also been made in terms of women starting enterprises. Out of the 50,000 enterprises launched, 16,000 are owned by women.

7500 new enterprises have come into existence in the field of agriculture and food processing. There was an investment of Rs.400 crores. 19500 people got employment through these units. So far 2100 enterprises have been started in electrical and electronics sector during the entrepreneurial year. An investment of Rs. 120 crore has been made in this sector. 3900 jobs were created.

6000 enterprises have been started in the textile sector since the beginning of the entrepreneurial year on April 1 last. 200 crore investment and 12000 jobs created.

Sustained efforts to strengthen MSMEs have led to recruitment of 1,155 interns at the panchayat level to assist the entrepreneurs. They operate help desks for entrepreneurs on Mondays and Wednesdays, providing them with information regarding schemes, licenses and subsidies. The industries department offers interest subvention on loans up to ₹10 lakh so that entrepreneurs can avail them at 4% interest. The State government is celebrating 2022-23 as Entrepreneurship Year and the loan scheme is part of the initiative.



Sector	Number of Enterprises	Investment	Jobs Created
Agriculture & Food Processing	7500	400Cr	19500
Textile	6000	120Cr	3900
Electronics & Electrical	2100	200 Cr	12000

Handicrafts MSME Exhibition

inaugurated by Minister P. Rajeeve

The Directorate of Industries and Commerce launched a handicrafts exhibition and sale on August 27 at the Ernakulathappan Ground, Ernakulam. The site will have an exhibition of goods from small businesses, and the festival will run until September 7.



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K-SWIFT

Single Window Interface for
Fast & Transparent Clearance



Registered Entrepreneurs	Total Common Application Form	Proposed employment	MSME Clearances
45603	6268	20486	22182

More features planned during launch of KSWIFT 3.0: Integration of more services from FSSAI, CZMA, Drugs Control, Health, etc. and launch of KSWIFT Mobile App