



State Policy Conclave-2021

Why in News

- On December 7, 2021, Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan virtually interacted with the ministry in the **State Policy Conclave - 2021 organized by PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry at Hotel Le Meridien New Delhi.**

Key Points

- The Chief Minister said that the country will become self-reliant only when the states are self-reliant. **A four-point based road map** has been prepared for **self-reliant Madhya Pradesh**. These 4 points are:
 - Physical infrastructure
 - Good governance
 - Health and education
 - Economy and employment.
- The Madhya Pradesh government has **two major goals-**
 - First, to develop entrepreneurship qualities in the youth of Madhya Pradesh, so that they become job creators and not job seekers.
 - Second, to make Madhya Pradesh the most attractive state for investment.
- **Atal Expressway** and **Narmada Expressway** are being constructed **from the east to west border of the state** with the **aim of giving a better environment for investment** to the investors in the state.
 - **Industrial centers** and **industrial townships** will be developed around the expressway.
- **With the aim of providing skilled human resources** in the state, a **Global Skill Park** is being built in collaboration with Singapore.
- The concept of '**Start Your Business in 30 Days**' is being implemented. In this, permission will be given to set up industry in 30 days.
 - Madhya Pradesh is **a state providing surplus electricity.**
- In the first phase of **Bharatmala** project, it has been decided to set up **multi modal logistic parks at Indore and Bhopal.**
- In the era of Covid, there has been **an increase of 49 percent in industrial units** in Madhya Pradesh **in comparison to 2019 in 2021.** There has been **an increase of 33 per cent in allotment of land to industries, 67 per cent in proposed investment and 39 per cent in employment.**
- Madhya Pradesh is **among the first 5 states to avail additional loan amount** due to successful implementation of **Ease of Doing Business reforms.**
- Madhya Pradesh has secured **first position in the western region.** This has provided additional financial resources of Rs 2,373 crore to the state. To accelerate industrial development, '**Dewas Investment Zone**' and '**Ratlam Investment Zone**' have been created.
- The **Medical Device Park** has been **approved by the Government of India in the Mohasa-Babai industrial area of Hoshangabad district of Madhya Pradesh.**
- **16 clusters** have been identified **for laying a network of micro, small and medium**

industries in the state, out of which **13 clusters have been approved by the central government**. In these activities like furniture, textile, powerloom, toys, jaggery, namkeen will be encouraged. **Approval has been given for a furniture cluster in Indore.**

- In order to make **vocal from local**, specific products have been selected for each district of the state under the '**One District-One Product**' scheme.
- **For guidance and publicity** to exporters, '**MP Trade Portal**' and '**Export Helpline**' have been launched.
- The state of **Madhya Pradesh has successfully implemented 1,896 reforms** to reduce the regulatory compliance burden while remaining among the leading states. Online land allotment process has been implemented in industrial areas with a **GIS based land allotment system**.

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