

# **Corporate Bhavan**

## Why in News?

Union Finance and Corporate Affairs inaugurated the 'Corporate Bhavan' in New Town, Kolkata.

## **Key Points**

#### Corporate Bhavan:

- The seven-storey building spans approximately 13,239 square metres and was constructed at a cost of around Rs 150.43 crore.
- The Corporate Bhavan integrates key offices under the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under one roof, such as:
  - Regional Directorate (East), Registrar of Companies, Official Liquidator, Serious Fraud Investigation Office (SFIO), National Company Law Tribunal (Kolkata Bench), Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI).
- The Minister stated that the facility will act as a single-window interface for startups, investors, auditors, companies, and insolvency professionals.
- The Minister also emphasised the need for regulatory frameworks that:
  - Promote good governance
  - Support enterprise and formalisation
  - Build public trust in regulatory systems

#### PM Internship Scheme (PMIS) Facilitation Centre:

- The first-ever PMIS Facilitation Centre was also launched during the event, located on the 7th floor of Corporate Bhavan.
- The centre will serve as a **resource hub for aspiring interns** seeking guidance and support under the **PM Internship Scheme**.
- Objectives:
  - Established as a collaborative initiative between MCA and <u>Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)</u>.
  - Targets youth aged 21-24 who are not in full-time education or employment.
- Key functions:
  - Facilitating registration and application under PMIS
  - Offering professional career counselling and guidance
  - Matching candidates with suitable internships
  - Raising awareness through outreach programmes

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### **PM Internship Scheme**

- The scheme aims to provide students with internship opportunities to address <u>youth</u> <u>unemployment</u>.
  - It seeks to provide internships to 1 crore young people over the next five years.
- Applicants will get a monthly stipend of Rs 4,500 from the government, and an additional Rs 500 by companies as part of their <u>Corporate Social Responsibility</u> initiatives consisting of one year.
- A one-time grant of Rs 6,000 will be provided upon enrollment, along with insurance coverage under the PM Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana and PM Suraksha Bima Yojana.

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