

GOVERNMENT OF GUJARAT  
INDUSTRIES AND MINES DEPARTMENT  
RESOLUTION No.APN-102003-1161(6)-I  
Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar  
Dated 10th JUNE 2004

Read: Gujarat Industrial Policy - 2003  
Industries & Mines Department GR No.APN-102001/1228/I dated  
5.3.2003.

## **1.0 Preamble**

Gujarat Industrial Policy 2003 lays emphasis towards infrastructure development as a priority of the State Agenda. The State Government has introduced several schemes towards infrastructure development including setting up of Industrial Parks, upgradation of infrastructure facilities in GIDC estates besides development of infrastructure facilities for industry. The State Government also intends to encourage Industries Associations to take up specific infrastructure development projects in their respective industrial area which are need based and critical but not covered under plan schemes. A separate scheme in this regard was introduced as a part of Gujarat Industrial Policy 2000. It has been decided to introduce a modified scheme for the purpose.

Through this scheme it is proposed to enable the industrial clusters to address to their comprehensive infrastructural needs and initiate steps for fulfilling their needs by utilizing this scheme. To ensure commitment and complete involvement of the benefiting units it is necessary to expect financial involvement of the units collectively with a contribution upto 50% of the project cost, directly and also through financial institutions.

## **2.0 The Scheme**

The scheme will be known as Assistance to Critical Infrastructure Projects and will come into force from introduction of the GR & remain in force for 5 years.

## **3.0 Eligible Institution**

Any Industries Association, Chamber of Commerce, Federation of Industries or group of industrial units which are registered under Societies Act, Trust or The Companies Act will be eligible to avail assistance. Any large project/Industry House will also be eligible if the project is approved by the Implementation Committee.

## **4.0 Eligible Activities**

4.1 Infrastructure facilities as may be required in an industrial estate, industry clusters or any industrial area such as:

- Approach road from industrial estate/area to Airport, Port or Highway.
- Over bridge on road on road/railway.
- Upgradation of existing roads/widening of road.
- Construction of by pass road
- Setting up of Earth station/Communication facilities.
- Water distribution network and related facilities.
- Gas/electricity/energy distribution network and related facilities.
- Any other infrastructure facility required in the area specific to industry.
- Setting up of warehousing facilities and related facilities.
- Facilities Centre, Product Development Centre, Training Center, Testing Centre, R&D Institution and/or any common facilities centre.

4.2 Assistance from the State Government for upgradation of infrastructure facilities in GIDC estates through industries associations will be considered under the scheme.

- 4.3 State Government component for Infrastructure Upgradation in industries clusters under GoI Scheme.
- 4.4 Undertaking specific studies by Industries Commissioner for any industries/industrial development activity assigned to any professional institution/consultancy firm. All expenditure towards such studies will be reimbursed under the scheme.

### **5.0 Eligible Investment**

Fixed capital investment in the project proposal will be considered for approval by the Implementation Committee.

The components of investment in the project and rates will be decided by the Implementation Committee.

### **6.0 Quantum of Assistance**

Under the scheme, assistance will be considered depending upon the requirement of State contribution in the project and normally upto at the rate of 50% of the project cost, maximum of Rs 5 crore per project.

The implementation Committee will stipulate conditions for the project.

The project proposal has to be approved by Industries Commissioner before commencement of the project. The project which has not been granted prior approval will not be eligible under the scheme.

The project which availed assistance under any other scheme of the State Government will not be eligible for assistance under the scheme. However, if assistance is availed under Central Units Scheme, both the assistance together, should not exceed 80% of the project cost.

The disbursement of the amount sanctioned will be proportionate to the expenditure incurred and only after the contribution of the Applicant is

fully utilized. The applicant should prepare a comprehensive project report , clearly highlighting the overall infrastructural needs ,both physical and social, the project cost and the means of financing in terms of their contribution, contribution from financial institutions and the component of assistance under this scheme. The report should also indicate mode of repayment of the loan taken from Financial Institution.

The assistance under this scheme will be not more than 50% of the project cost subject to a maximum of 5 crores. In order to ensure commitment of the applicant to the project, the applicant should commit financial participation of minimum 20%.

## **7.0 Approval Committee**

An Implementation Committee consisting of following members is constituted for approval of project and assistance under the scheme.

Minister of State for Industry	Chairman
Principal Secretary(Industries)	Member
Principal Secretary(Finance)	Member
Principal Secretary(Ports)	Member
Secretary(R&B)	Member
Secretary(Water Resources)	Member
Industries Commissioner	Member
VC&MD, GIDC	Member
Principal Chief Industrial Advisor	Member – Secretary

The above Committee will monitor the progress of the implementation of the project for which assistance is sanctioned.

## **8.0 Procedure**

The applicant institution/Industries Association will be required to forward the proposal to Industries Commissionerate. The Industries Commissionerate will process the proposal and place before the Committee for consideration.

Pending application received under GR No.APN/102001/1228/I dated 5.3.2003 will be considered under this GR.

The decision of the Committee will be communicated by the Industries Commissionerate.

The expenditure on this account will be met from the sanctioned grant of the respective financial year under the following Budget - Head:

Demand No.49  
Major Head; 2852-industries  
Minor Head (800) other expenditure  
Sub Head (22) IND -3  
Development of Infrastructure Facilities  
Grant-in-Aid(C)-Others

This issues with the coinsurance of F.D. dated 28-5-2004 on this department file to even no.

By order and in the name of Governor of Gujarat

R.S.Dave  
Section Officer,  
Industries and Mines Department.

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7. Industries Commissioner, Udyog Bhavan, Gandhinagar.
8. Sales Tax Commissioner, Ashram road ,Ahmedabad.
9. Managing Director ,Index -B, Udhog Bhavan, Gandhinagar.
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