Ayodhya airport to be ready by December 15, says Yogi

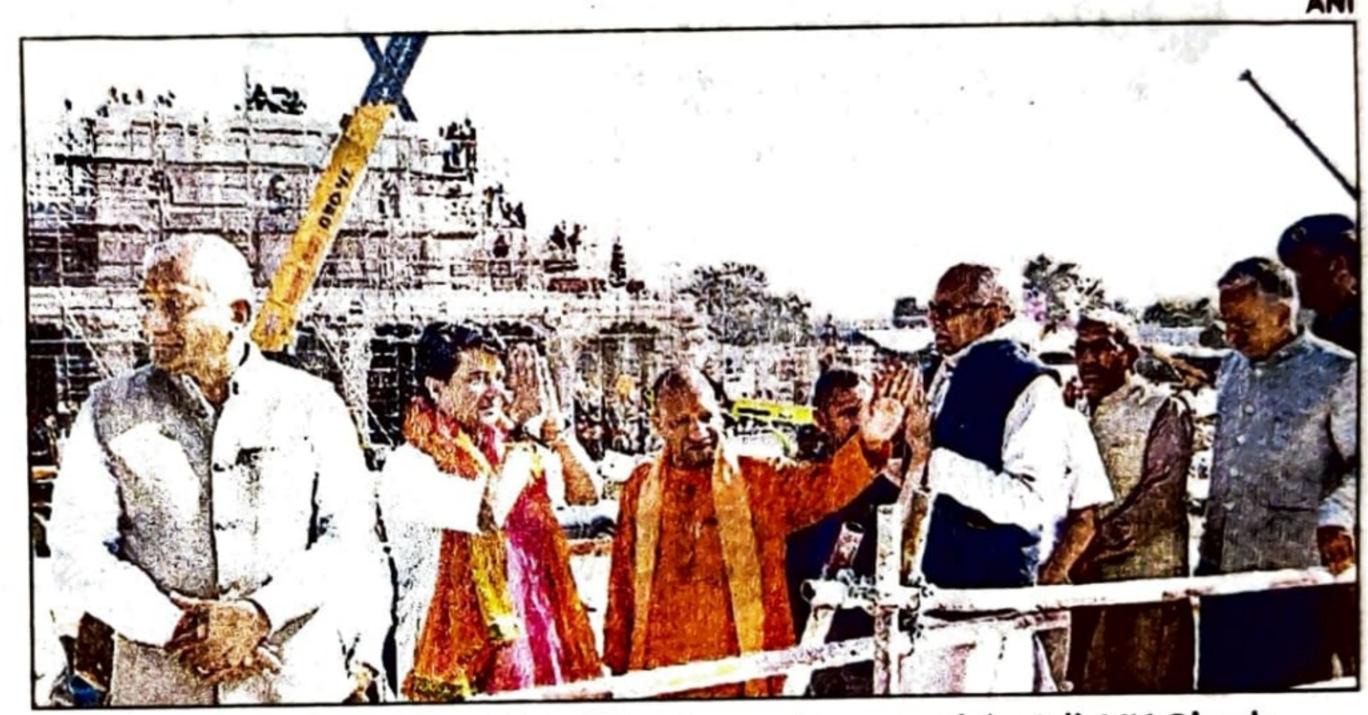
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Ayodhya: The first phase of Ayodhya international airport will be completed by December 15 – a month before the opening of the Ram Temple, Uttar Pradesh chief minister Yogi Adityanath said on Saturday.

Yogi made the announcement after inspecting the construction work at Maryada Purushottam Shri Ram International Airport along with civil aviation minister Jyotiraditya Scindia and Union minister of state for civil aviation General V K Singh (retd).

The CM and the Union ministers also held a review meeting with officials related to the airport's construction.

Talking to reporters, CM Yogi said the holy city



Union ministers Jyotiraditya Scindia and General (retd) VK Singh along with CM Yogi Adityanath visit Ram temple construction site, in Ayodhya on Saturday

of Lord Shri Ram, according to Prime Minister Narendra Modi's vision, is becoming a new Ayodhya of new India.

The chief minister said that earlier there was a very small airstrip in Ayodhya measuring only 178 acres, adding it has now been designed as a big international airport. He said the construction work of the new airport is going on a warfooting by the Airports Authority of India after the state government provided 821 acres of land.

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