

UP bags status of 'achiever state' in LEADS survey report 2023

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Lucknow: Uttar Pradesh has bagged the status of Achiever State in the LEADS Survey Report 2023 for the second consecutive year.

The state has been declared an 'achiever' in the category of landlocked states in the 'Logistics Ease Across Different States' (LEADS) report. The report, released by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry report, measures the level of multimodal connectivity, improvements in logistics efficiency and the uninterrupted movement of people and goods in

each state.

"LEADS is an indigenous data-driven index to assess logistics infrastructure, services and human resources across all 36 states and Union Territories. All states are ranked under four categories," said a government spokesperson. The categories include 'achievers', 'fast movers' and 'aspires' for coastal states, landlocked states, North-eastern states, and Union Territories.

2ND TIME IN A ROW

According to the 2023 LEADS report, Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu

and Karnataka have been recognized as achievers in the coastal category. In the landlocked category, the achievers include UP, Haryana, Telangana and Punjab. Among North-eastern states, the winners include Assam, Sikkim and Tripura, while the Union Territory category includes Chandigarh and Delhi as achievers.

In the coastal category, Kerala and Maharashtra are 'fast movers', while the landlocked category includes the states of MP, Rajasthan and Uttarakhand. Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland have won in the North East cate-

gory, while Andaman Nicobar, Lakshadweep, and Puducherry have been named in the Union Territory category.

Under the 'aspires' category, Goa, Odisha and West Bengal have been listed as coastal states. Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Himachal Pradesh and Jharkhand have been named in the landlocked category. In the North East category, Manipur, Meghalaya and Mizoram have been listed while in the Union Territory category, Daman and Diu, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh have been listed.