

'Thales to fulfil PM's dream to make India atmanirbhar'

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“The company has taken forward its commitment made during the Defence Expo in Uttar Pradesh,” he said. “Chief minister Yogi Adityanath’s efforts in ease of doing business has dramatically improved the state’s ranking from 12th to second in four years and results have begun showing. Thales’ technology transfer to indigenous companies would fulfil PM Narendra Modi’s dream and chief minister’s efforts to make India “atma nirbhar” (self reliant) in defence production, he said. Thales India, country head, Emmanuel de Roquefeuil, said, “We are excited about the opportunity to manufacture devices like radar, electronics voice system, cockpit display system, power generation system for air convoys like Rafale. In addition, defence, aeronautics, space, transportation are also contributing to digital identity and security market.” French ambassador to India Emmanuel Lenain, representative of Thales Group of India, Africa and Central Asia Jean Marc Budin also participated in the event. The MSME minister has been pursuing foreign companies to set up industrial units, campuses and offices in Uttar Pradesh and has held over 12 video conferencing meets with over 100 companies straddling 15 countries in last few months to market state’s industrial potential.