

# Dispose of issues related to industries timely: CS

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Lucknow: Directing officials to dispose of matters related to industries in a time-bound manner and not to keep matters pending, chief secretary RK Tiwari on Monday asked the Gorakhpur Industrial Development Authority (GIDA) to take necessary action by January-end and issue a new policy to rationalise maintenance charges for industrial land bigger than 50 acres. The chief secretary was addressing a meeting of Invest UP in which seven matters pertaining to various industries were discussed and disposed of.

The direction to GIDA pertained to a case of Ankur Udyog Ltd but it would benefit other units operating under the Authority, an official said.

For waiver of mandi fee of JRG Foods in Amroha, additional chief secretary, agriculture, Devesh Chaturvedi said the provision for reduction in rate of mandi fee had been abolished and under the Industrial Investment and Employment Promotion Policy-2017, all eligible units would get full exemption from mandi fee for five years.

In a case of pending electricity bill of Sadhari Shakti Pvt Ltd, Fatehpur, it was decided that the outstanding dues should be recovered from the old unit and related financial institution and not from the purchaser.

Tiwari directed officials to issue a government order to define liabilities of the purchaser before the sale or transfer of an old unit.

Additional chief secretary, energy, Arvind Kumar said a list of defaulters had already been made available on the portal to help a purchaser get information about a unit before auction.

