

Singapore signs 7 MoUs to develop urban infra, IT parks

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Lucknow:Singapore, which was a partner country in the recently concluded Global Investors Summit, saw seven MoUs being signed with the UP government.

Facilitated by Enterprise Singapore, “these MoUs will enable the six companies to further their project investments and capture growth opportunities in line with the state’s efforts in developing urban infrastructure and waste management capabilities, IT parks and data centres as well as education,” a government spokesperson said.

Singapore’s ministry of trade and industry also signed an MoU with UP government

for collaboration across sectors of mutual interests, such as urban development, sustainable industry development and skills development. The Singapore ministry of trade released a statement saying: “The cooperation will enable Singapore and our companies to demonstrate our expertise while better understanding UP. One example is a pilot project in urban development, slated to be implemented in Kudha Keshavpur, Ayodhya, to demonstrate the efficacy of smart water technologies in enhancing UP’s water sustainability.”

An official said that this is the first MoU between the government of Singapore and the UP government. The two

have together identified set of five initial areas of cooperative activities. This includes urban development under which a pilot project will be implemented in Kudha Keshavpur in Ayodhya, sustainable industrial parks, upgradation and digitalisation of MSMEs, skill training in areas such as content development, training pedagogy, train-the-trainers, certification, and training of civil servants and government officials

“A Joint Partnership Committee (JPC) will be formed to plan, monitor, implement and review the cooperative activities of the MoU. The JPC will be co-chaired by senior officials from both Singapore and Uttar Pradesh.