

Bundelkhand to get facelift with ₹4.27L cr investments

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Lucknow: Riding high on investment projects that have come through UP Global Investor Summit, Bundelkhand region is set to script a story of change. Data showed that about 13% of over Rs 33 lakh crore investment intents received by the government have been received by districts in the Bundelkhand region.

“Bundelkhand, one of the underdeveloped regions of the state marred by scarcity of water, poor infrastructure and lack of progress, has been witnessing steady and rapid development,” a government spokesperson said on Tuesday.

It added that the Yogi government has not just succeeded in supplying safe tap water to every house in the region, including in rural areas, but has also done remarkable work in terms of infrastructure. “As a result of the government’s efforts, Bundelkhand has today received 424 investment proposals worth Rs 4,27,873 crore, which is 13% of the total investment proposals received by the state,” the spokesperson added.

Officials in the industry department said that the investments are set to give the region a new flight in terms of growth, creating 3,33,992 employment opportunities in the region.

Interestingly, four of Bundelkhand’s districts are among the top 20 districts in terms of volume of investments received. Jhansi is at 6th position whereas Chitrakoot is at 11th, Jalaun at 14th and Lalitpur at 20th position.