Tata Sons chief praises ind-friendly policies of UP govt

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Lucknow: Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on Wednesday met Tata Sons Chairperson N Chandrasekaran in Lucknow and discussed industrial development, investment promotion, and future strategies for the state, aimed at positioning Uttar Pradesh as a hub for both domestic and foreign investments.

Chandrasekaran informed the CM that Uttar Pradesh is poised to play a pivotal role in the upcoming projects Tata Sons plans to implement. "This partnership is poised to accelerate local industrial growth, generate employment, and drive large-scale socio-economic development," he said. He also praised the UP govt for its industry-friendly policies, infrastructure advancements, and rapidly developing investment ecosystem, which is attracting investors from across the country and beyond.

Chandrasekaran assured the chief minister of active collaboration between Tata Group and the state government to establish UP as a premier investment hub. Yogi Adityanath, in turn, appreciated Tata Group's extensive investments in the state and assured the industrialist that the government is committed to fostering a conducive industrial environment in UP through continuous improvement and streamlined adminiThe CM
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He encouraged Tata Sons to expand its investment footprint in the state, particularly by setting up a Global Captive Centre in Lucknow. This initiative is expected to create high-tech and skill-based jobs, facilitate youth skill development, and promote economic empowerment.

Among the issues discussed were the progress of the proposed 'Temple Architecture Museum' project in Ayodhya, which is expected to preserve the state's religious and cultural heritage while significantly boosting tourism, and the Jewar Airport project, which is expected to bring transformative economic and commercial growth to western UP.

Discussions were also held on the potential establishment of a Maintenance, Repair, and Overhauling (MRO) facility for Air India, which would enhance the state's aviation services sector and generate thousands of employment opportunities.