

15 industrial zones set to come up in 11 districts: Govt

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THE STATE government has decided to set up 15 industrial zones — focused on Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) — across 11 districts, officials said on Wednesday.

A draft blueprint prepared by the MSME department outlines that a total of 764.31 acres will be developed for these industrial estates. Across these estates, 872 industrial plots will be available for investors to set up their enterprises. The move is aimed at strengthening the MSME sector in the state and chipping in towards achieving the \$1-trillion-dollar economy target.

The department's roadmap involves a state-wide campaign to create a substantial land bank. As part of this, the process of making land available for the 15 MSME estates in the 11 districts

is underway, officials said.

The roadmap also includes several key land allocations.

The Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development Authority (YEIDA) is also working on a major plan to boost the MSME sector. YEIDA has reserved 500 acres for setting up MSME units in its forthcoming development zones, said officials.

The Greater Noida-based Flatted Factory Complex to be developed by YEIDA in Sector 28 of Gautam Buddha Nagar at a cost of Rs 125 crore, will offer state-of-the-art, multi-storey factory spaces. The construction process is expected to begin soon, with the master plan and other technical reports currently in progress. The complex will be spread over 38,665 square metres and completed within 24 months, providing modern, well-equipped units for MSME enterprises.

LAND EARMARKED

The 11 districts are: Aligarh, Etah, Firozabad, Kanpur Dehat, Lalitpur, Mahoba, Rae Bareilly, Mau, Mirzapur, Pratapgarh and Prayagraj

Aligarh (Gabhana)	116 acres
Etah (Jalesar)	6.8 acres
Firozabad (Tundla)	19 acres
Sirsaganj	10 acres
Kanpur Dehat (Akbarpur-Kumbi)	59 acres
Duwari	172 acres
Lalitpur (Bighakhet)	9.8 acres
Pulwara	44 acres
Jharar	8.6 acres
Mahoba	37 acres
Prayagraj (Sadar)	8 acres
Pratapgarh (Raniganj)	39.7 acres
Mirzapur (Chunar)	35 acres
Mau (Sadar)	84 acres
Rae Bareilly (Sadar)	58 acres

