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9 mega industrial zones on the anvil

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In a bid to attract big-ticket private investments across sectors, the Uttar Pradesh government plans to develop nine mega industrial zones to integrate skill development, employment, industry, and entrepreneurship.

The project will cover all major towns including Lucknow, Varanasi, Agra, Noida, Gorakhpur, Meerut, Ayodhya, Aligarh, Ghaziabad, and Prayagraj.

Under the flagship Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Employment and Industrial Zone (SVPEIZ) project, each zone will be developed around a hub-

and-spoke model, aligning with its industrial strengths, available resources, and investment potential. A Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) will be constituted for each hub.

Of the 16 SVPEIZ, five will be developed by the MSME (micro, small and medium enterprises) department, five by the Uttar Pradesh State Industrial Development Authority, two by the Uttar Pradesh Expressways Industrial Development Authority, two by Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development Authority, one by Greater Noida Industrial Development Authority, and another by Gorakhpur Industrial Development Authority.