

# 'UP became eco powerhouse in last 8 yrs under Yogi'

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**Lucknow:** The last 8 years have scripted the growth chapter of Uttar Pradesh under the leadership of Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath, said an official spokesperson on Thursday.

"Over the past eight years, UP underwent an extraordinary transformation to become an economic powerhouse. In fact, the state not only emerged as a key engine of India's economy but also as a preferred investment destination. The turnaround, driven by the Yogi Adityanath-led govt, aligns with Prime Minister Narendra Modi's vision of Reform, Perform, and Transform, which has been relentlessly pursued since 2017," the official said. Adding that strategic policies and robust governance played a crucial role in attracting industrial investments, enhancing business ease, and generating employment opportunities, he

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said: "The push for industrial expansion also led to a notable increase in the state's Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP). It doubled from 2017 levels, reaching Rs 27.51 lakh crore and is expected to soon surpass Rs 30 lakh crore. The state also attracted investment proposals worth Rs 45 lakh crore, out of which Rs 15 lakh crore already materialised, generating employment opportunities for 60 lakh youth."

Referring to UP's resolve to become a one trillion-dollar economy, the official said the state placed special emphasis on policy reforms to accelerate industrial growth. "The govt prioritised 'ease of doing business' and implemented the Industrial Investment and Employment Promotion Policy-2017, offering tax exemptions, subsidies and easier land allocation for investors. Additionally, the state implemented 33 sectoral policies, turning Uttar Pradesh into a major industrial hub," he said.