

Gujarat Industrial Policy 2020
Scheme for Assistance for
Environment Protection Measures

Government of Gujarat
Industries & Mines Department
Resolution No.GID-102020-326811-G
Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar
Dated 01/09/2020

Read:

- 1) Government Resolution No.GID-102014-922884-G, Dated 19/01/2015.
- 2) Gujarat Industrial Policy 2020

Preamble:

The Gujarat Industrial Policy 2020 aims at promoting 'Gujarat' as a globally competitive and innovative industrial destination that stimulates sustainable development and inclusive growth. The primary mission of the Industrial Policy includes proactive support for development of industries, value addition on local primary sources and clean environment in the state with increasing share of Manufacturing in State GDP.

The Gujarat Industrial Policy incorporates specific interventions for development of industries which contribute significantly to the economy. Globally a very high degree of importance is attached to the fact that industrialization should have minimal negative externality. Industrial development and associated growth should therefore, be necessarily carried out in a process wherein no damage is done to the ecology and to the environment as a whole. Cognizance of this is more crucial for a state like Gujarat whose economy is largely driven by the industrial sector.

The state is more conscious about its responsibility in ensuring a clean and green environment. A Task Force was constituted to review existing schemes under the Industrial Policy 2015. The Task Force Committee

analyzed impacts of earlier schemes, conducted discussions with various Industries Associations/ Academia/ Research organizations and came out with suggestions for necessary modifications under Gujarat Industrial Policy 2020. In this context, the Gujarat Industrial Policy 2020 intends to provide assistance to encourage compliance with the environmental norms and standards.

1.0 Resolution:

In view of the strategy under Gujarat Industrial Policy, the Government is pleased to introduce a “Scheme of Assistance for Environment Protection Measures” which will come into force from the dt.7/08/2020 and will remain in operation for a period of five years i.e. upto 06-08-2025.

2.0 Definitions

2.1 Existing Enterprise:

Existing enterprise means an enterprise which has filed EM Part II or Udyog Aadhaar or Udhyaam Registration or IEM with the concerned authority and is in production.

2.2 Project Cost

Project Cost means the cost approved by Committee constituted under this resolution.

2.3 Eligible Fixed Capital Investment

Eligible Fixed Capital Investment means the capital investment made in plant and machinery, equipment and civil work (except building if required for the project such as erection) etc. during the operative period of the scheme.

3.0 Scheme – 1:

Scheme for assistance to Environment Management

3.1 Eligible Activities

1. Implementation of cleaner production technology in place of existing process such as substitution and optimization of raw material, reduction in water consumption or energy consumption or waste generation.
2. Any other environment management project with use of Clean, Efficient and Innovative Pollution Control Equipment.

3.2 Quantum of Assistance

The following quantum of assistance shall be provided:

Sr. No.	Eligible Activity	Quantum of Assistance per project
1	Implementation of cleaner production technology in place of existing process such as substitution and optimization of raw material, reduction in water consumption or energy consumption or waste generation	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Upto 35% of the cost of plant and machinery with a ceiling of Rs. 35 lacs during the operative period of the scheme for MSME.2. Upto 10% of the cost of plant and machinery with a ceiling of Rs. 35 lacs during the operative period of the scheme for large projects.
2	Any other environment management project with use of Clean, Efficient and Innovative Pollution Control Equipment	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Upto 25% of the cost of plant and machinery with a ceiling of Rs. 35 lacs during the operative period of the scheme for MSME.2. Upto 10% of the cost of plant and machinery with a ceiling of Rs. 35 lacs during the operative period of the scheme for large projects.



3.3 Sanctioning Authority

Assistance under the scheme will be sanctioned by State Level Empowered Committee and assistance will be disbursed by Industries Commissionerate.

4.0 Scheme – 2:

Scheme for assistance to encouraging “Green practices and environmental audit to MSMEs”

4.1.1 Eligible Enterprise:

Eligible Enterprise means existing Enterprise of MSME who intends to adopt green practices in its enterprise.

4.1.2 Eligible Activities

Sr.	Eligible Activity	Quantum of Assistance per project
1.	Periodic Environmental audits except those required to be carried out under the provisions of Act and Rules or direction of Court of law	
2.	Installation of online Continuous Stack Emission Monitoring system (CSEMS), online effluent quality monitoring system with connectivity to GPCB / CETP project for one time.	
3.	Industrial building of more than 2,000 sq. m. built up area which obtained green rating under Indian Green Building Council (IGBC /LEED) or GRIHA for one time.	
4.	Setting up of Environment Management System including setting up of Environment Management Laboratory	
5.	Purchase of new equipment/ system related to safety, occupational health or for environment compliances for common use of industries located in cluster of minimum 10 units.	
6.	Industries practicing at least 50% waste water recovery through Zero liquid Discharge as certified by GPCB.	

4.1.3 Quantum of Assistance

The following quantum of assistance shall be provided:

Sr. No.	Eligible Activity	Quantum of Assistance per project
1	Periodic Environmental audits except those required to be carried out under the provisions of Act and Rules or direction of Court of law	Up to 75% of fees of audit services with a ceiling of Rs.50,000/Audit whichever is less, once during the operative period of the scheme.
2	Installation of online Continuous Stack Emission Monitoring system (CSEMS), online effluent quality monitoring system with connectivity to GPCB / CETP project	Upto 25% of cost of system or Rs.5 lacs, whichever is less, once during the operative period of the scheme.
3	Industrial building of more than 2,000 Sq m built up area which obtained green rating under Indian Green Building Council (IGBC /LEED) or GRIHA	Upto 50% of consulting charges or Rs. 2.5 Lacs, whichever is less.
4	Setting up of Environment Management System including setting up of Environment Management Laboratory	Upto 50% of cost of Equipment, ceiling of Rs. 10 Lacs, once during the operative period of the scheme.
5	Purchase of new equipment/system related to safety, occupational health or for environment compliances for common use of industries located in cluster of minimum 10 units.	Upto 35% of cost of Equipment/system ceiling of Rs.35 lacs per cluster.
6	Industries practicing at least 50% waste water recovery through Zero liquid Discharge	Upto 50% one time capital subsidy on relevant equipment/system or Rs.

	as certified by GPCB	75lacs, whichever is less, once during the operative period of the scheme.
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The quantum of assistance under activity Sr. no. 1, 2 & 3 will be sanctioned and disbursed by the concerned District Industries Centre and activity at Sr. 4, 5 & 6 will be sanctioned by State Level Empowered Committee and assistance will be disbursed by Industries Commissionerate.

5.0 Procedure and General Conditions:-

- I. The applicant enterprise has to apply in the prescribed application form with the relevant documents to the Industries Commissionerate or concerned District Industries Centre.
- II. The applicant shall have to submit the application within 6 months from the date of completion of the activity/project.
- III. The eligible enterprise that avails incentive under this resolution shall not be eligible for any incentive for the same purpose/ process/ equipment under any other incentive scheme of the State Government, unless specified otherwise. However, the enterprise may avail the benefit of an incentive available under any of the schemes of the Government of India.
- IV. Assistance shall be disbursed after the verification of benefits as envisaged by the applicant.
- V. The enterprise shall have to operate and maintain plants and equipment for 5 years from the date of its commencement for which the assistance is availed.

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- VI. The enterprise has to provide the details of production, consumption of raw material/catalyst, water power and parameter of pollution as and when asked for by Industries Commissionerate/ GPCB.
- VII. The enterprise shall submit annual return of the performance of the project formulated by Industries Commissionerate.
- VIII. Industries Commissionerate shall issue detailed guidelines separately under the scheme.

6.0 State Level Empowered Committee (SLEC)

The assistance will be sanctioned by a State Level Empowered Committee constituted as under.

Industries Commissioner	Chairman
Addl. Industries Commissioner	Member
Chief Engineer, GIDC	Member
Director, GEMI	Member
Member Secretary, GCPC	Member
Technical Advisor (Chemical)	Member
Representative of GPCB	Member
Joint/ Deputy Industries Commissioner	Member Secretary

6.0 Budget Provision

The expenditure under the scheme will be met from the sanctioned grant of the respective financial year under the following budget head:

Demand No.	: 49
Major Head	: 2852 - Industries
Sub Major Head	: 80 - General
Minor Head	: (800) Other Expenditure
Sub Head	: (22) IND (3) – Development of Infrastructure Facilities Subsidies (C) to others (Plan)

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This issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide note dt.26/08/2020, received on this department file of even number.

By order and in the name of the Government of Gujarat.

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Joint Secretary,

Industries and Mines Department

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