

Industries Commissionerate Industries & Mines Department Govt. of Gujarat

§ Scheme Summary/key features:

Gujarat, owing to its inherent strength of widespread entrepreneurial spirit has gained a significant spot in the national start-up ecosystem. The incentives under the previous scheme created a strong network of nodal institutions. This supported several start-ups in setting up/expanding their operations both in national and international markets. The new scheme aims to further accelerate and strengthen the start-up ecosystem in the state.

§ Amount or Percentage of Subsidy:

Acceleration Programs: Dedicated acceleration programs will be conducted in the state as per the provisions of the scheme. Additionally, the policy would support start-ups up to INR 3 lakhs to attend other national/international acceleration programs. The policy will also support in organizing acceleration programs.

Promotional Events: The scheme aims to organize focused workshops, seminars, bootcamps, hackathons, grand challenges etc. across the state with support from various stakeholders. For this, the policy will provide support up to 75% of the total expenditures up to INR 5 lakhs. However, in case of events specific to women entrepreneurship, the policy will support up to 90% of total expenditures up to INR 5 lakhs.

Nodal Institutes and Mentoring Assistance: The Gujarat Start-up Cell would also identify and establish association with Nodal Institutes across the state. Fiscal support to these Nodal institutes mentoring approved start-ups will also be given as part of the policy.

Mentoring assistance of INR 1 lakh per start-up will be given to Nodal institutes up to a maximum of INR 15 lakhs per annum. In addition to this, a dedicated portal detailing the facilities of various nodal institutes and Government bodies will be created for the start-ups to avail them. These facilities include: testing labs, 3-D printing, library, co-working space etc. at a subsidized rate. Moreover, "Gujarat e-marketplace" will be made operational on the Start-up Gujarat Portal, where the start-ups supported by state government can promote their products and services

•Eligibilit
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Start-up
units in
the state
of
Gujarat