

*Federation of Industries' Associations, Silvassa
UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli*

**FEDERATION OF
INDUSTRIES** 
ASSOCIATIONS SILVASSA

Date:- 17.10.16

Sanjeev Kapoor
President

To,
Shri Madhup Vyasji, I.A.S.
Hon'ble Administrator,
Dadra & Nagar Haveli,
Silvassa.

**Sub: - Brief submission of the Industrial Scenario prevailing in
UT of DNH.**

Ajit Deshpande
Vice President

Hon'ble Sir,
Federation of Industries Associations, Silvassa; which represents all the three industries associations i.e. Silvassa Industries Association, DNH Industries Association and Silvassa Industries & Manufacturers Association, extend its hearty and warm welcome to you at this lovely, small but beautiful Union Territory and wish that during your tenure, under your dynamic leadership, there will be tremendous all round growth and development of the territory and quality of life of inhabitants will witness great enhancement. Associations pledge their full cooperation to your initiatives.

Dr. R.B. Shelke
General Secretary

As this territory is gifted with enchanting natural beauty and is having varieties of flora & fauna and with its tranquil environment attracts number of tourists from neighboring states and the territory is now established as a tourist destination in the map of India.

The UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli was liberated from Portugal Regime on 2nd August 1954 and is under direct control of Ministry

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of Home Affairs, Govt. of India. Being union territory, the Govt. of India nourished this territory from very beginning. So, immediately after liberation the Government of India offered various incentives and schemes to ensure the upliftment of tribal who are main inhabitant of this UT. To provide job opportunities to the local resident Govt. of India offered fiscal benefits in form of 15 year Sale Tax exemptions and 5 years Income Tax exemptions to attract the industries to set up their plants in these areas.

Due to this, number of industrial units have been setup in this area and this industrial development has played a very significant role in development of this UT and the said development has played a very important role in socioeconomic growth of the people of this area.

But we regret to inform you that, since last couple of years, the functioning and working of the Administration has become lethargic and the entire administration has been totally paralyzed. This approach and attitude of the Administration has caused hardship and has hampered the growth of industrial sector which has resulted in deceleration of expansion and growth of existing units. It is a fact on record which reveals that, we have failed to attract any new investment in last couple of years.

In last couple of years, though the Government of India has declared various schemes and programmes like "Make in India", "Ease of Doing Business", E-Technology", "Online Clearance System", etc to give thrust to growth of industries and commerce

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and all the States and UTs of our country have tightened their belts to attract more investments in their area.

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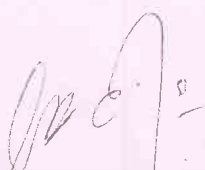

But we would like to state that, our Administration has failed in implementing the said schemes and programmes in its true letter and spirit which has resulted in failure to attract any new significant investment in our region. On the contrary, it transpires that, number of industries have wind up their operations and have moved out to the other states, where the conducive atmosphere has been provided by the concern State Government.

This is very alarming situation for the growth of our territory and if such approach of the Administration is not improved then it is our apprehension that, number of industries may be migrated from our territory.

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So we would like to request your honor to take call on the issues and initiate the corrective and appropriate measures to generate a very conducive atmosphere for industrial sector which will help us not only to retain the existing industries but also we shall be able to attract new investment.

For this, we humbly request your good self to immediately intervene in the subject and ensure that, the policies, schemes, programmes of Government of India like "Make in India", Ease of Doing Business", etc. are implemented in its true letter and spirit with proper monitoring to ensure that industrial sector get the requisite

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permissions, NOCs, consent in transparent and time bound manner.

We are sure that, your good self shall take the necessary action and if require we the representatives of industries can also join in this drive of Administration.

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Vice President

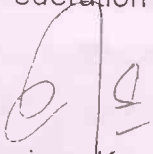
We assure our full cooperation and support to your good self and Administration for any cause which will be for betterment and upliftment of people of this UT.

Thanking you,

With regards,

For Federation of Industries Association, Silvassa

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