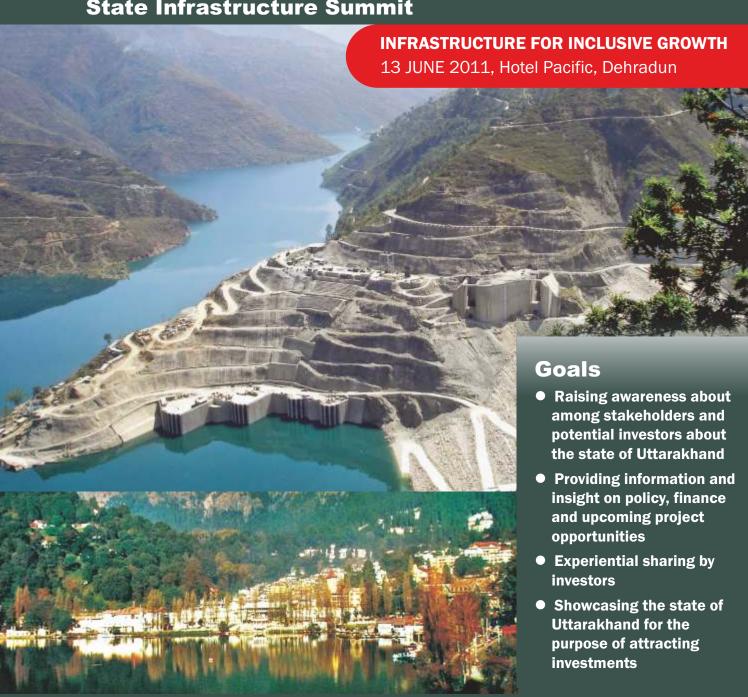


# Uttarakhand

**State Infrastructure Summit** 



**Chief Guest** Shri. Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Uttarakhand

# **Invest in Uttarakhand**

Formed in November 2000, Uttarakhand the 27th state of India is best known for its scenic surroundings, rich mineral deposits and rare bio-diversity which make it amenable for a variety of commercial opportunities in horticulture, floriculture and agriculture.

With good connectivity to the neighbouring states and to the capital, the state offers wide range of tax benefits and exemptions, financial assistance and promotional concessions. Infrastructure, such as roads, power, airports and rail connectivity, is well developed. Human resources are available in abundance, and in a short span Uttarakhand has emerged as a destination for investments across tourism, infrastructure and manufacturing sectors. Some of the government's initiatives and policy measures include extension of incentives to encourage flow of investments in varied sectors of its economy, single window approval mechanism, etc.

Some of the leading names from India's corporate world from the ICT industry, agro and food processing industry, FMCG sector and Engineering and allied industry have already made significant investments in Uttarakhand. The Tata Group, with an existing Nano car plant in Pantnagar, has already planned to invest in the state's power, housing, tourism and IT sectors.

Governor of Uttarakhand Margaret Alva has called for a 10-year action plan on the state's infrastructure. A focus on infrastructure challenges in the state should include electricity generation and tourism, and the state is poised to make concrete plans to boost the infrastructure to attract investments. Other projects such as a series of hydro power projects, decentralised watershed project, and a rail infrastructure plant, are set to come up.

PHDCCI and ASAPP Conferences, along with the Government of Uttarakhand are organizing a one-day **Uttarakhand State Infrastructure Summit**. The Summit will ensure a congregation of a large number of government agencies, industry practitioners, investors and independent experts, facilitating a meaningful interaction among the various stakeholders that will result in a set of recommendations for the state.



# **Uttarakhand: Key Drivers for Investment**

- Focus on increasing the share of railways in cargo and passenger transport
- New international airport
- Border roads and development of road infrastructure for inclusive development
- Development of helipad in each district
- Well developed telecommunication and IT Industry, IT Park and IT Incubation Centre under development
- Power generation capacity of 1,758 MW, controlled by the private sector
- Plan to develop Monorail for intercity linkage routes
- Single window approval mechanism





# Presentations and Panel Discussions

- Infra potential in Uttarakhand
- Capacity addition and increased distribution systems for better power infrastructure
- Hydro power: A vision for the state, a vision for the country
- Tourism: Uttarakhand's mainstay
- Urban infrastructure: Uttarakhand's initiative in solid waste management
- Water reform in Uttarakhand:
  The terrain challenge
- Opportunities for SMEs and infrastructure ancillary units
- Border roads: Critical paths to infra growth
- Land acquisition policy in Uttarakhand
- PPP in infrastructure projects in Uttarakhand
- The Uttarakhand Experience

# **Why Attend**

The one day state summit offers an excellent opportunity for participants across all major industry groups who are looking at Uttarakhand as an investment destination. The Summit offers an opportunity to interact with business leaders, officials from the government, officials from SIDCUL, policy makers, thought leaders, experts from the industry and will offer a perspective on the various investment opportunities that the state of Uttarakhand has to offer. The one day summit will have sectoral sessions. If you are a key industry player looking at capitalizing on the investment opportunities that Uttarakhand offers, this is a not to be missed opportunity.

#### Who Will Attend

The Uttarakhand State Infrastructure Summit will bring together Chief Investment Officers and Heads of Investments from domestic and international investment banks and financial institutions to capitalise on Uttarakhand's robust economic growth. This summit will also host government authorities, real estate developers, construction companies, architects, designers, consultants, utility companies and cross industry experts who are involved in all aspects of city development.



# **Summit Committee**

- Mr AK Dinkar, Chief Engineer, Ganga Ghati Projects, Irrigation Department, Government of Uttarakhand
- Mr Anil Taneja, Resident Director, Dehradun, PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- Mr GB Patel, Managing Director, Uttarakhand Jal Vidyut Nigam Ltd
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- Mr Rajeev Singh, Associate Vice President, IDFC Foundation (Uttarakhand Infrastructure Development Company Ltd)

- Dr Ranjeet Mehta, Secretary (Infrastructure, Energy, Housing & Urban Development), PHD Chambers of Commerce and Industry
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