“Start-up Opportunities for Bihar”

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ABOUT

Bihar is a state in eastern India. Bihar is divided into 9 divisions and 37 districts, and has Patna as its capital. It has a very rich history, and is also an attraction for travelers and tourists. Almost 58% of Biharis are below the age of 25, which is the highest proportion in India. Bihar has always been a land of attractive economic opportunities.

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Geography

- Bihar lies between 24° 20' and 27° -31' North latitude and 82° 19' and 88° 17' East longitude. With a total area of 94,163 square kilometers, Bihar is the 12 largest state in India.

- Bihar is situated in the Indo – Gangetic plain and has a logically lush soil. Bihar is chiefly a gigantic elongation of very productive even land.

- Bihar plain is divided into two unequal halves (North Bihar and South Bihar) by the river Ganges[4] which flows through the middle from west to east. Bihar's land has average elevation above sea level is 173 feet.

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Climate

‰Bihar climate is in accord with the climate prevailing in other parts of the Indian sub continent. The place enjoys extreme cold with rains and intense summer season as well. This is what makes Bihar rich in its climatic patterns.

‰The hot weather season (March to mid-June), Southwest monsoon (mid-June to October) and cold weather (November-February) are well delineated climate sequence in Bihar.

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The advantageous features of the State are:

- ¾ Responsive administrative set up
- ¾ Skilled and hardworking labour force
- ¾ Diversified agricultural and industrial base
- ¾ Excellent infrastructure network
- ¾ Investor friendly environment
- ¾ Vast and rapidly expanding consumer markets etc.

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1. Food Processing and Agro-based Industries

2. Textile Industry (Handloom & Silk)

3. Tourism related Industries

4. Sugarcane Industry

5. Leather based Industries

6. Energy / Non-Conventional Energy

7. Mines & Mineral Industries

Food Processing and Agro-based Industries

The economies of Bihar state is highly agrarian in nature, characterized by larger dependence of majority of people on the agriculture sector. Hence, concentration on improving the productivity in the agriculture sector and increasing farm income are imperative to bring about an overall development in this state.

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Bihar’s agro-based industry is expected to be a major growth driver for the economy, engendering large-scale employment in rural areas and high returns for the farmers.

Agro based industries:

- Cattle feed
- Jute, hemp, sisal and other fabrics
- Tea cultivation, processing and packaging
- Paper
- Floriculture

The people of Bihar are largely dependent on agriculture and allied activities for earning their livelihood. Due to flow of several rivers and streams, the land is most fertile over here.

Bihar is the leading State in the production of fruits and vegetables. It is the first largest producer of vegetables and second largest producer of fruits in the country. There exists huge scope of investment in the food-processing sector in the State.

The present government has constituted a separate “Agriculture Cabinet”, the first of its kind in India.

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