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## Government clears six town planning schemes for Dholera SIR near Ahmedabad

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AHMEDABAD: The Dholera special investment region (SIR) received the much needed impetus after the state government cleared six town planning (TP) schemes in the SIR. Dholera is being developed as one of the important nodal hub of the Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor (DMIC). Nearly 43 per cent of the corridor passes through Gujarat.

Nearly Rs 3,000 crore has been earmarked for the development of the region. Both the central government and the state government would develop infrastructure in the nearby areas. "The six TP schemes were a necessity as many companies who wanted to invest in Dholera asked for these details," says a senior official in the industry and mines department. Nearly 70,000 acres of land has been already handed over to the regional town development authority recently.

The Dholera SIR has also been given environmental clearance recently claim officials.

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