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## **Brief Industrial Profile of Shravasti District**

### **1. General Characteristics of the District**

Situated on the banks of river Rapti, the origin of Shravasti can be traced back to the 5th century but it became a district in the beginning of 21st century. The journey for this district has just begun & a lots need to be done. This town is closely associated with the life of Lord Buddha. It is said that the mythological king Sravast founded this town. Shravasti was the capital of Kosala Kingdom during 6th century BC to 6th century AD. This prosperous trading center was well known for its religious associations. The 'Sobhanath' temple is believed to be the birthplace of Jain Tirthankar 'Sambhavanath' making Shravasti an important center for the Jains.



Buddha is believed to have spent 24 monsoons in this city. Age-old stupas, majestic monasteries and several temples near the village of "Sahet-Mahet" establish Buddha's association with Shravasti. Moreover, Shravasti is the holy land of all the four Kalyanakas – *Chayan*, *Birth*, *Diksa* and *Attainment* of omniscience of Bhagawan Samabhavanath.

#### **1.1 Location & Geographical Area**

Shravasti is a newly created district carved out from districts of Gonda and Bahraich . Besides these two districts, Shravasti shares its border with district Balrampur in the east and Nepal in the north. The district is a part of Devipatan Division. Bhinga, the District Headquarter of Shrawasti, is approximately 175 Km away from the State capital, Lucknow. Geographical Area: 1126.0 Sq. Km.



## 1.2 Topography

Shravasti has a relatively subtropical climate with high variation between summer and winter temperatures. The average temperature is 30°C-43°C in the summer and 6°C-18°C in the winter. The weather is pleasant in rainy season from July to October.

## 1.2 Availability of Minerals.

As reported by the DEPT. OF MINES & GEOLOGY, Shravasti, the district is devoid of mineral deposits

## 1.4 Forest

The total forest area in Shravasti district is 34,238 hectare. This area is divided into four forest ranges for the purpose of management. One of these four ranges falls in Shravasti forest division and 2 ranges fall in Sohelwa forest division. The area bears mainly Dry Sal forests. One of the main species of the area is Sal (*Shorea Robusta*). The other species found are - Sheesham, Jamun (*Sizizium Cumini*), Rohini, Asana, Gutel, Haldu, Semal (*Bombex Ceiba*), Mahua (*Mahuca Indica*), Khair (*Acacia Catechu*), Bel (*Agel Marmelos*) etc. Teak plantations in large areas have been taken up during recent past. Apart from the above mentioned species, many shrubs, creepers and grasses are also found in this area.

## 1.5 Administrative set up.

A district of Shravasti is headed by a district magistrate (DM). As the district magistrate, he is responsible for maintaining law and order situation in the district. As the collector he is the chief revenue officer of the district responsible for revenue collection and recovery. The police administration in the district is under the control of superintendent of police (SP). To decentralize the authority in administrative setup a district is divided into 02 tehsil, 07 blocks.

## 2. District at a glance

| S.No     | Particular                   | Year | Unit     | Statistics       |
|----------|------------------------------|------|----------|------------------|
| <b>1</b> | <b>Geographical features</b> |      |          |                  |
| (A)      | Geographical Data            | 2011 |          |                  |
|          | i) Latitude                  | 2011 |          | 27.04° to 28.24° |
|          | ii) Longitude                | 2011 |          | 81.6° to 82.9°   |
|          | iii) Geographical Area       | 2011 | Hectares | 238090           |
| (B)      | Administrative Units         |      |          |                  |
|          | i) Sub divisions             | 2011 | Nos.     | -                |
|          | ii) Tehsils                  | 2011 | Nos.     | 02               |
|          | iii) Sub-Tehsil              | 2011 | Nos.     | -                |

|           |   |         |                   |         |
|-----------|---|---------|-------------------|---------|
|           | iv) Patwar Circle (Blocks)                        | 2011    | Nos.              | 07      |
|           | v) Panchayat Simitis                              | 2011    | Nos.              | 54      |
|           | vi) Nagar nigam                                   | 2011    | Nos.              | -       |
|           | vii) Nagar Palika                                 | 2011    | Nos.              | -       |
|           | viii) Gram Panchayats                             | 2011    | Nos.              | 32      |
|           | xi) Revenue villages                              | 2011    | Nos.              | -       |
|           | x) Assembly Area                                  | 2011    | Nos.              | 02      |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>Population</b>                                 |         |                   |         |
| (A)       | Sex-wise  |         |                   |         |
|           | i) Male   | 2011    | Nos.              | 594318  |
|           | ii) Female  | 2011    | Nos.              | 520297  |
| (B)       | Rural Population                                  | 2011    | Nos.              | 1058985 |
| <b>3.</b> |   |         |                   |         |
| A.        | Land utilization                                  |         |                   |         |
|           | i) Total Area                                     | 2010-11 | Hectare           | 192887  |
|           | ii) Forest cover                                  | 2010-11 | “                 | 8667    |
|           | iii) Non Agriculture Land                         | 2010-11 | “                 | 19315   |
|           | v) Cultivable Barren land                         | 2010-11 | “                 | 164905  |
| <b>4.</b> |   |         |                   |         |
|           | (i) Forest  | 2010-11 | Hectare           | 34353   |
| <b>5.</b> |   |         |                   |         |
| A.        | <b>Cattle</b>                                     |         |                   |         |
|           | i) Cows   | 2007    | Nos.              | 130366  |
|           | ii) Buffaloes                                     | 2007    | Nos.              | 84127   |
| B.        | <b>Other livestock</b>                            |         |                   |         |
|           | i) Goats  | 2007    | Nos.              | 85875   |
|           | ii) Pigs  | 2007    | Nos.              | 6934    |
|           | iii) Dogs & Bitches                               | 2007    | Nos.              | -       |
|           | <b>iv) Railways</b>                               |         |                   |         |
|           | i) Length of rail line                            | 2010-11 | Kms               | 0       |
|           | <b>V) Roads</b>                                   |         |                   |         |
|           | (a) National Highway                              | 2010-11 | Km                | 0       |
|           | (b) State Highway                                 | 2010-11 | Km                | 150     |
|           | (c) Main District Highway                         | 2010-11 | Km                | 140     |
|           | (d) Other district & Rural Roads                  | 2010-11 | Km                | 158     |
|           | (e) Rural road/ Agriculture Marketing Board Roads | 2010-11 | Km                | 20      |
|           | (f) Kachacha Road                                 | 2010-11 | Km                | 20      |
|           | <b>(VI) Communication</b>                         |         |                   |         |
|           | (a) Telephone connection                          | 2010-11 | Nos.              | 1682    |
|           | (b) Post offices                                  | 2010-11 | Nos.              | 106     |
|           | (c) Telephone center                              | 2010-11 | Nos.              | 02      |
|           | (d) Density of Telephone                          | 2010-11 | Nos./1000 persons | 02      |
|           | (e) Density of Telephone                          | 2010-11 | Nos. per Km.      | 01      |
|           | (f) PCO Rural                                     | 2010-11 | Nos.              | 131     |
|           | (g) PCO STD                                       | 2010-11 | Nos.              | 70      |
|           | (h) Mobile  | 2010-11 | Nos.              | 110460  |
|           | <b>(VII) Public Health</b>                        |         |                   |         |

|  |         |      |     |
|--|---------|------|-----|
| (a) Allopathic Hospital                  | 2010-11 | Nos. | 21  |
| (b) Beds in Allopathic hospitals         |         | Nos. | 85  |
| (c) Ayurvedic Hospital                   |         | Nos. | 15  |
| (d) Beds in Ayurvedic hospitals          |         | Nos. | 0   |
| (e) Unani hospitals                      |         | Nos. | 01  |
| (f) Community health centers             |         | Nos. | 07  |
| (g) Primary health centers               |         | Nos. | 14  |
| (h) Dispensaries                         |         |      | 0   |
| (i) Sub Health Centers                   |         | Nos. | 0   |
| (j) Private hospitals                    |         | Nos. | 03  |
| <b>(VIII) Banking commercial</b>         |         |      |     |
| (a) Commercial Bank                      |         | Nos. | 28  |
| (b) rural Bank Products                  |         | Nos. | 23  |
| (c) Co-Operative bank products           |         | Nos. | 04  |
| (d) PLDB Branches                        |         | Nos. | 01  |
| <b>(IX) Education</b>                    |         |      |     |
| (a) Primary school                       |         | Nos. | 922 |
| (b) Middle schools                       |         | Nos. | 427 |
| (c) Secondary & senior secondary schools |         | Nos. | 40  |
| (d) Colleges                             |         | Nos. | 03  |
| (e) Technical University                 |         | Nos. | 0   |

## 2.1 Existing Status of Industrial Areas in the District Shravasti

| S. No. | Name of Ind. Area             | Land acquired (In hectare) | Land developed (In hectare) | Prevailing Rate Per Sqm (In Rs.) | No of Plots | No of allotted Plots | No of Vacant Plots | No. of Units in Production |
|--------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| 1      | Mini Industrial Estate, Ekona | 1.1492                     | 1.14                        | 12917                            | 52          | 26                   | 26                 | 06                         |
|        | <b>Total</b>                  | <b>1.1492</b>              | <b>1.14</b>                 | <b>12917</b>                     | <b>52</b>   | <b>26</b>            | <b>26</b>          | <b>06</b>                  |

Source – DIC, Shravasti

## 3. INDUSTRIAL SCENERIO OF SHRAVASTI

### 3.1 Industry at a Glance

| Sl. No | Head                       | Unit | Particulars |
|--------|----------------------------|------|-------------|
| 1.     | Registered Industrial Unit | Nos. | 1055        |

|    |  |        |       |
|----|--|--------|-------|
| 2. | Total Industrial Unit  | Nos.   | 1055  |
| 3. | Registered Medium & Large Unit   | Nos.   | NIL   |
| 4. | Estimated Average Number of Daily Workers Employed in Small Scale Industries | Nos.   | 4253  |
| 5. | Employment in Large and Medium Industries                                    | Nos.   | NIL   |
| 6. | Number of Industrial Area  | Nos.   | 01    |
| 7. | Turnover of Small Scale Industries   | IN Lac | 23250 |
| 8. | Turnover of Medium & Large Scale Industries                                  | IN Lac | NIL   |

### 3.2 YEAR WISE TREND OF UNITS REGISTERED

|       | YEAR      | NUMBER OF REGISTERED UNITS  | EMPLOYMENT | INVESTMENT (lakh Rs.) |
|-------|-----------|---|------------|-----------------------|
| Up to | 1984-85   | <b>District Shravasti was formed in Year 1997 hence no data from 1984-85 to 1995-96 is not available.</b> |            |                       |
|       | 1985-86   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1986-87   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1987-88   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1988-89   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1989-90   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1990-91   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1991-92   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1992-93   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1993-94   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1994-95   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1995-96   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1996-97   |   |            |                       |
|       | 1997-98   | 53  | 160        | 30.80                 |
|       | 1998-99   | 52  | 178        | 38.50                 |
|       | 1999-2000 | 62  | 258        | 35.70                 |
|       | 2000-01   | 65  | 247        | 68.00                 |
|       | 2001-2002 | 67  | 358        | 74.00                 |
|       | 2002-03   | 79  | 280        | 136.50                |
|       | 2003-04   | 86  | 268        | 168.50                |
|       | 2004-05   | 81  | 415        | 162.00                |
|       | 2005-06   | 84  | 332        | 175.00                |

|  |              |             |             |                |
|--|--------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
|  | 2006-07      | 86          | 382         | 165.50         |
|  | 2007-08      | 85          | 412         | 180.00         |
|  | 2008-09      | 87          | 380         | 215.50         |
|  | 2009-10      | 83          | 286         | 335.00         |
|  | 2010-11      | 85          | 297         | 388.00         |
|  | <b>Total</b> | <b>1055</b> | <b>4253</b> | <b>2163.00</b> |

Source: DIC, Shravasti

### 3.3 DETAILS OF EXISTING MICRO & SMALL ENTERPRISES AND ARTISAN UNITS IN THE DISTRICT

| NIC CODE NO. | TYPE OF INDUSTRY                                | NO. OF UNITS | INVESTMENT (Lakh Rs.) | EMPLOYMENT  |
|--------------|---|--------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| 20           | Agro based                                      | 754          | 1514                  | 2970        |
| 22           | Soda water                                      | -            | -                     | -           |
| 23           | Cotton textile                                  | -            | -                     | -           |
| 24.          | Woolen, silk & artificial Thread based clothes. | -            | -                     | -           |
| 25.          | Jute & jute based                               | -            | -                     | -           |
| 26.          | Ready-made garments & embroidery                | 35           | 20                    | 180         |
| 27.          | Wood/wooden based furniture                     | 17           | 08                    | 55          |
| 28.          | Paper & Paper products                          | 15           | 08                    | 48          |
| 29.          | Leather based                                   | -            | -                     | -           |
| 31.          | Chemical/Chemical based                         | -            | -                     | -           |
| 30.          | Rubber, Plastic & petro based                   | 08           | 16                    | 35          |
| 32.          | Mineral based                                   | -            | -                     | -           |
| 33.          | Metal based (Steel Fab.)                        | 45           | 50                    | 277         |
| 35.          | Engineering units                               | 26           | 60                    | 75          |
| 36.          | Electrical machinery and transport equipment    | -            | -                     | -           |
| 97.          | Repairing & servicing                           | 58           | 36                    | 205         |
| 01.          | Others  | 97           | 451                   | 408         |
|              | <b>Total</b>                                    | <b>1055</b>  | <b>2163</b>           | <b>4253</b> |

Source: DIC, Shravasti

|  |   |            |
|--|---|------------|
| <b>3.4 Large Scale Industries / Public Sector undertakings</b> | - | <b>NIL</b> |
| <b>3.4.1 Major Exportable Item</b>                             | - | <b>NIL</b> |
| <b>3.4.2 Growth Trend</b>                                      | - | <b>NIL</b> |
| <b>3.4.3 Vendorisation / Ancillarisation of the Industry</b>   | - | <b>NIL</b> |

**3.5 Medium Scale Enterprises** - **NIL**

**3.5.1 List of the units in Shravasti & Near By Area** - **NIL**

**3.5.2 Major Exportable Item** - **NIL**

### **3.6 Potential for Development of MSMEs**

Sravasti district is industrially backward. There is huge scope of forest and agro-based industries in this district. However, basic infrastructure like industrial estate and transportation facilities is required to be developed. The supply position of electricity is also inadequate. Lack of entrepreneurship among educated youth is another important respect responsible for slow industrial development in the district. The district is endowed with which natural resources, historical monuments, famous temples, pilgrimage centres. These attractions if developed properly would make the district very important tourist and pilgrim destination.

#### **3.6 .1 Service Enterprises**

Some of the service areas having potential for development in the district are:

- i. Computer Centre
- ii. Tent house
- iii. Laundry
- iv. General Engg.
- v. Workshop
- vi. Tool Room
- vii. Beauty Parlour
- viii. Hotels and Restaurants

#### **3. 6.2 Potential for new MSMEs**

- i. Agro based industries,
- ii. Fruit processing units,
- iii. Dairy product,
- iv. Readymade garment,
- v. Cement jali,
- vi. Wooden furniture,
- vii. Cattle Feed etc.

**4. Existing Clusters of Micro & Small Enterprise - NIL**

**4.1 ` DETAIL OF MAJOR CLUSTERS - NIL**

**4.1.1 Manufacturing Sector - NIL**

**4.2 Service Sector – - NIL**

**5. General issues raised by industry association during the course of meeting**

1. Shortage of electricity

2. Availability of finance

### '8. STEPS TO SET UP MSMEs

Following are the brief description of different agencies for rendering assistance to the entrepreneurs.

| S.<br>No | Type of assistance  | Name and address of agencies  |
|----------|---|---|
| 1.       | Provisional Registration Certificate<br>( EM-1) & Permanent Registration Certificate<br>( EM-II)                                    | District Industries Centre at District Level.   |
| 2.       | Identification of Project Profiles, techno-economic and managerial consultancy services, market survey and economic survey reports. | 1. Br. MSME – Development Institute, Chandpur Indl. Estate, Varanasi.<br>2. District Industries Centre at District Level,<br>3. Khadi & Village Industries Commission, Varanasi |
| 3.       | Land and Industrial shed  | 1. UPSIDC   |

|     |  |  |
|-----|--|--|
|     |  | 2. UPSIIC<br>3. District Industries Centre at District Level.  |
| 4.  | Financial Assistance                             | a) UPFC for Plant & Machinery<br>b) Nationalised Banks for Working Capital<br>c) Khadi & Village Industries commission<br>d) PICKUP, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow<br>e) SIDBI<br>f) NSIC   |
| 5.  | For raw materials under Govt. Supply             | 1. UPSIC, Varanasi<br>2. District Industries Centre at District Level.   |
| 6.  | Plant and machinery under hire / purchase basis. | NSIC, Naini, Allahabad   |
| 7.  | Power/ Electricity                               | UP State Electricity Board at District Level.  |
| 8.  | Technical Know –how.                             | 1. Br. MSME – Development, Chandpur Indl. Estate, Varanasi.<br>2. District Industries Centre at District Level, .<br>3. Khadi & Village Industries Commission, varanasi  |
| 9.  | Quality & Standard                               | Bureau of Indian Standard, Kanpur/Lucknow.   |
| 10. | Marketing /Export Assistance                     | 1. Br. MSME – Development, Chandpur Indl. Estate, Varanasi.<br>2. District Industries Centre at District Level, Shravasti.<br>3. Khadi & Village Industries Commission, Varanasi<br>4. DGFT, Varanasi<br>5. EGCG, Varanasi |
| 11. | Other Promotional Agencies                       | 1. Entrepreneurship Development Institute, Varanasi.   |