



## Highlights of the Month

- GIFT City crossed 8000+ Jobs, Making GIFT one of the fastest growing Business District
- GIFT City conferred with SKOCH Order of Merit and SKOCH Urban Governance Award 2018
- TATA Chemicals commence operations @ GIFT City
- GIFT City participated in "Smart Cities – The Leadership Meet" organized by FICCI
- Senior representatives of Dubai Mercantile Exchange visited GIFT City
- Greening initiative with tree mapping and digital tagging @ GIFT City
- Landscaping of the Platinum Mile
- Celebrating World Environment Day 2018
- Box Cricket League tournament organized under My Day Friday events
- "International Yoga Day" celebrated @ GIFT City's Balvatika
- Progressive development @ GIFT City. A Snapshot

## MD & Group CEO's Message

Dear Patrons,

When GIFT City was envisioned, one of the key objectives was to create avenues and opportunities for employment, both direct and indirect. From ~1000 employees in 2015 to ~8000+ today, GIFT City is at the forefront of job creation in the region.

The increasing number of IT/ITES and Financial businesses setting up base in the City further attests to GIFT's proposition as a multi-services business hub. The City is attracting and nurturing talent from around the region and the Country.

Apart from developing world-class infrastructure and facilities, GIFT has been making progress by attracting domestic global businesses especially in the IFSC. In addition, it is also creating ecosystem for new business propositions that will strengthen GIFT's financial services value proposition.

GIFT City is in an advance stage to implement the Green Transformation of the City. The unique landscaping is under implementation in the City with smart technologies, design and innovation. Thereby complimenting and adding to the quality of life and walk-to-work philosophy. Keeping true to its 'quality of life' aspect, GIFT City has been creatively engaging with its citizens through "My Day Friday" initiative.

As India's first operational Smart City, GIFT City continues to win accolades and recognitions from various prestigious organizations. GIFT City recently received the Order of Merit and Urban Governance Award from SKOCH.

In the coming weeks, GIFT will make some very significant announcements. We thank you for your continued patronage and support.

Best Wishes,

Ajay Pandey



## GIFT City crossed 8000+ Jobs, Making GIFT one of the fastest growing Business Districts

GIFT City – India's First Operational Smart City and IFSC, has been generating large number of employment opportunities in the region. Considering the consistent growth in the number of businesses at GIFT and therefore jobs in the past few years, the City is emerging as one of the fastest growing business districts of the country.

The 8000+ employees working at GIFT City are a testament to GIFT City's stature as a promising business and services hub for the IT/ITeS, BFSI and Technology sectors. This means that various businesses across the BFSI and IT/ITeS segment have considered GIFT City as the preferred destination to establish and expand their respective operations.

Currently, many leading BFSI and IT/ITeS companies have set up their operations in GIFT City Domestic Services Zone and also at the GIFT IFSC-SEZ, where they carry out international operations.



## GIFT City was conferred with SKOCH Order of Merit & SKOCH Urban Governance Award 2018

Under the visionary leadership and excellent governance of the State of Gujarat, GIFT City, the first operational Smart City and IFSC, has come to be known as a pioneer in urban development projects under the PPP model.

Turning this vision into a reality, GIFT City was conferred with SKOCH Order of Merit and SKOCH Urban Governance Award 2018 during the 52nd edition of SKOCH Summit on State of Governance held at the Constitution Club of India, New Delhi on June 21, 2018.

The Awards were received by Mr. Loveleen Garg (AVP-Environment, GIFT City). The Awards were based on four rounds of qualification including delegates voting during the Summit.



## TATA Chemicals commence operations @ GIFT City

Recently TATA Chemicals shifted its regional office to GIFT City, Domestic Services Zone considering the world-class infrastructure, quality of life, operational cost efficiency etc. The Regional Office of Tata Chemicals at GIFT City harbours Global Finance Office, Chemicals Marketing Head Quarter for India Operations and International Finance back office.



**TATA CHEMICALS LIMITED**

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GIFT City – India's first Operational Smart City - was invited by FICCI to present the development of GIFT City as an Indian case study.

Mr. Sunil Joshi (President, GIFT City) presented the case study and then participated in the panel discussion on July 4, 2018 at Bengaluru.



## Senior representative of Dubai Mercantile Exchange visited GIFT City

Recognizing the favorable regulatory framework and special tax incentives for businesses operating at GIFT IFSC, Mr. James Lear (Director, DME) visited GIFT City on June 26, 2018.

During their visit, Mr. Dipesh Shah (Head, IFSC & Strategy, GIFT City) discussed various opportunities for DME in the Capital Market segment at GIFT IFSC.



## An interactive session was organized by Shri Upendra Vasishth, Zonal Development Commissioner with SEZ/IFSC units on 25 June, 2018 at GIFT City.







## Landscape Transforming GIFT

### Tree mapping & digital tagging at GIFT

GIFT City is on its way to transform itself into a livable and a vibrant City in its true sense and spirit. To complement the City's growth, green corridors are being prepared with shaded roads and walkways, conservation plan, recycling of resources etc. that will encourage the "Walk-to-Work" vision.



In an attempt to create awareness about the green corridor, trees are being tagged within GIFT City through Quick Response (QR) coding system. Through this approach, one can get information about the tree, its species and its habitat, seasonal variation, date of plantation, its geographical location (Geo reference) and also brief information of the person who planted the tree.

### Landscaping of the Platinum Mile

The 1st phase of prime access to GIFT City which is also called as the "Platinum Mile" has been completed. The development of Phase 2, a 1.2 km stretch, has commenced as an initiative to promote "Green Mobility and Walkability" in the areas where development has been completed or nearing completion.



### Celebrating World Environment Day 2018

A total of 600 tree saplings were planted during World Environment Day (June 5, 2018) which was celebrated with lots of zeal and enthusiasm.







## Life @ GIFT City

The MY DAY FRIDAY continues to add fun and excitement to the life of GIFT Citizens. This time, a Box Cricket League was organized under My Day Friday events. The winning team of the tournament was from TCS. The event continues to gain popularity and has witnessed increased participation from GIFT Citizens.



International Yoga Day was celebrated at GIFT City's "Balvatika" on June 21, 2018. "Balvatika" is a part of GIFT City's CSR initiative which has also received various domestic and international recognition and awards.



~16 Mn Sq Ft : Allotted  
~ 2 Mn Sq Ft : Operational  
~3 Mn Sq Ft : Under Construction  
~11 Mn Sq Ft : Under Designing & Planning

**Total Committed Investment**  
**Rs. 11,000 Cr.**

## Progressive Development @ GIFT City

GIFT CITY IN THE MAKING

**TODAY**  
Actual Image of GIFT City

Vision

