Punjab launches its version of Digital India

CHANDIGARH: As a part of nationwide 'Digital India' week, Punjab chief minister Parkash Singh Badal on Thursday launched the state Portal ePMS (Electronic Projects Management System) here at his official residence.

The project was kicked off to fast track infrastructure development, enhance efficiency, bring transparency, boost the investor confidence, revive the investment cycle, eliminate the human interaction, and improve the communication between industries to Government (E2G), State to Centre (S2G), or vice versa (C2B).

A spokesperson of the Chief Minister's Office said that Badal appreciated the initiative taken by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi to hasten the industrial and infrastructural growth in the country. He hoped that this state portal would act as a catalyst to seek clearances from various central agencies expeditiously required for the timely implementation of the ongoing development projects and welfare schemes in the state thereby cutting down inordinate delay. This unique project would automate the entire tracking of stalled investment project issues from submission to commission on time.