Digital India Week
Punjab CM launches Invest Punjab Portal in Chandigarh

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Chandigarh, July 2, 2015: As part of Digital India week, Parkash Singh Badal, Chief Minister Punjab launched the 'Invest Punjab Portal' here today. With the launch of this portal, the progress of High Value Projects would be monitored electronically and also the status of the projects would be available on the portal.

Through the Invest Punjab Portal the investors would be able to apply online for setting up their projects. The portal would act as a single window for getting approvals from different departments, the complete status of the application filled by the investor would be available online.

Subsequently the Department of Governance Reforms organized presentations on existing e-Governance initiatives of the state viz. Punjab Wide Area Network, State Data Centre, e-District, eSSDI, Gateway and Capacity Building followed by new initiatives viz. Sava Kendra, eOffice and Human Resource Management System which are expected to take off in few weeks time. The participants were informed about the e-Governance projects and the benefits that have occurred to common citizen. This event was conducted at MGSIPA Sector 26 Chandigarh; it was attended by 23 representatives from all the departments of the government. The Presentations were given by the officers of the State Mission Team and National Informatics Centre.

R.K. Verma, IAS Secretary presided over this function during his talk he apprised the participants about vision of Digital India programme, the benefits of digital infrastructure as a utility tool for the citizens, digital empowerment, good governance and service on demand.

More events in connection with the digital week events would be held in the following days up to 7th July 2015.