

Special Package for employment generation in Leather & Footwear Sector approved by Government of India – IFLADP 2017-2020

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The flagship scheme 'Indian Leather Development Programme (ILDPP)' which was implemented by Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion, Government of India during XII Five Year Plan period 2012-17 with an outlay of Rs.1145.01 Crores, has come to end on 31.03.2017. The CLE had been vigorously pursuing with the DIPP, Government of India requesting for continuation of the ILDP for the next 3 years period 2017-2020, and extend a special package to the leather sector. Accordingly, the DIPP in consultation with stakeholders has submitted Note/Proposal to the Union Cabinet for consideration and approval for implementing IFLADP for 3-year period 2017-2020.

In this background, Union Cabinet chaired by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji has approved

the special package for employment generation in Leather and Footwear sector (PIB Press Release dated 15.12.2017). The package involves implementation of Central Sector Scheme "Indian Footwear, Leather & Accessories Development Programme (IFLADP)" with an approved expenditure of Rs.2600 Crore over the 3 financial years from 2017-18 to 2019-20. It is a very happy and momentous occasion for Leather sector, as the outlay of Rs.2600 Crores is more than double the outlay given to the Leather Sector during the XII Five Year Plan period 2012-2017. It is also pertinent to note that XII Plan period /outlay was for 5 years, and whereas approved outlay of Rs.2600 Crores is for next 3-year period 2017-2020. The special package also includes measures of simplification of labour laws and incentives for employment generation.



18.12.2017 (sent to members by Email and hosted in CLE website www.leatherindia.org) which has brief details on the sub-schemes of IFLADP.

As the industry body, the CLE would be coordinating with DIPP, Government of India for effective implementation and utilization of the sub-schemes for overall growth and development of the industry.

The sub-schemes of IFLADP and outlay approved for 2017-2020 is given below:

Sl.No	Name of the Sub-Schemes	Outlay (Rs. in Crore)
1	Human Resources Development (HRD)	696.00
2	Mega Leather, Footwear & Accessories Cluster (MLFAC)	360.00
3	Integrated Development of Leather Sector (IDLS) Scheme	425.00
4	Leather Technology, Innovation and Environmental Issues	782.00
5	Establishment of Institutional Facilities	147.00
6	Promotion of Indian Brands in Leather, Footwear & Accessories Sector	90.00
7	Additional Employment Incentive for Leather, Footwear & Accessories Sector(AEILFA)	100.00
	Total	2600.00

The scheme guidelines of each of the above sub-schemes would be notified by DIPP, Government of India in due course. Please refer to CLE Circular dated

