

Pondicherry

Infrastructure

Industrial Estates

Industrial estates were to be the pillar of industrial policy in the Union Territory. At present there are six industrial estates in Pondicherry, and an electronic estate In Thirubuvanai ready for plot allotment. Moreover, a modern growth centre-cum Industrial estate is at the final stages of completion at Polagam in Karaikal. In additon to these industrial estates, there are a number of industrial areas home to many industries. Industrial estates in particular were meant to provide a good infrastructural base to industries located within them. Besides good roads, assured water and power supply, was to be the norm. PIPDIC, moreover, has leased plots at concessional rates to industries and is in charge of continual maintenance of the estates.