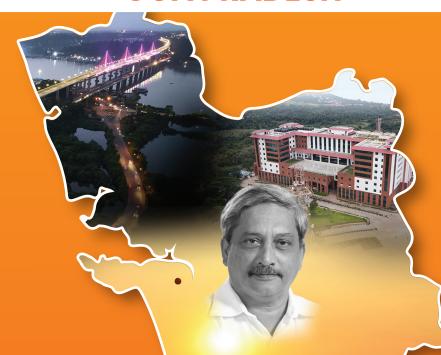






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Our Sankalp for a Swayampurna Goa 22 SANKALP

01 Empowering Goa's Homemakers

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02 Housing for all Goans

We shall **provide good quality housing for all Goans** in the next five years by providing **home loans** for deserving families at an interest rate of **2% for women** and **4% for men** and developing & providing residential plots.

03 Government of the Common Man

We shall **not increase the state duties on petrol and diesel** for the next three years.

04 Enhancing the Ease of Living for All

We will introduce the **Manohar Parrikar Kalyan Fund**, which will be a Common Development Fund of up to ₹3 crore for every Panchayat and upto ₹5 crore for every municipality to boost infrastructure.

05 Making Tourism 'Uniquely Goan'

We will introduce a **homestay scheme** which will provide an **interest free loan of ₹5 lakh and training** for those local residents of Goa wishing to provide homestay facilities.







06 Empowering the Future of Goa

We will provide 100% EPF and EPS subsidies upto ₹5,000 per month per employee to entrepreneurs employing local youth in their establishments and also conduct job fairs to facilitate employment in the state.

07 Goa - A Perfect Tourist Destination

We shall double the number of annual tourist arrivals in the state in the next five years by harnessing the potential for inland tourism, medical tourism and promoting heritage and spiritual tourism, while augmenting the current infrastructure around adventure sports and beach tourism.

08 Goa as the MICE Capital of Asia

We will make Goa the meetings, conventions and exhibitions hub (MICE) of Asia, further boosting the tourism sector.

09 Restarting Mining

Within six months of returning to power, we will start mining in the state through the Goa Mineral Development Corporation and auction of iron ore blocks through transparent leasing and by following the due process of law.

10 Grow Together, Thrive Together

With the aim of completely eliminating multidimensional poverty in the state over the next five years, we will **deliver social welfare benefits** to the poor in a **timely manner** and through **Direct Benefit Transfers**.We will increase the old age pension under DSSY to ₹3000/- per month.

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We will launch "Mission Gold Coast" to create an Olympic gold medalist for India from Goa.







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Transforming Goa into an International Football Destination

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We will, through our constant efforts, propel Goa to a growth trajectory that will enable the state to become a \$50 billion economy in the next 10 years.

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We will transform Goa into the **Health and Wellness hub of the country** and make Goa a **premier destination** for **co-working spaces and remote working** in the post-pandemic world.

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We will promote Goa as a destination for high-end technological research.

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We will **revamp the Chief Minister's Apprenticeship Programme** to provide every unemployed graduate of Goa with an apprenticeship wherein they can obtain the skills necessary for gainful employment with a provision of a ₹5,000 stipend during the apprenticeship period.

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The state will achieve universal coverage for healthcare and eliminate stunting and malnutrition among children.





GOA SANKALP PATRA 2022



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We shall aim at doubling the income of horticulturists by providing incentives up to ₹10 lakh to new export oriented FPOs. We shall also build 20 cold storage facilities across Goa.

Supporting the Fisheries Industry

We will aim to make Goa the leading exporter of seafood in the country by supporting fishing activity in the state.

To Create Self-Reliant Women

We are committed to making women equal partners and beneficiaries of Goa's progress and prosperity. We will formulate & implement a comprehensive action plan aimed at drastically increasing female workforce participation over the next ten years through a comprehensive package of incentives for female entrepreneurs, especially in the tourism sector.

Empowering the Women of the State

In an effort to support the women of the state, we will enable Women Self-Help Groups to establish Annapoorna canteens for affordable food, short-stay homes for working women and shops across the state to exclusively sell SHG made products. Every GTDC Hotel will have these exclusive shops.

Cleaner Transport for a Greener Goa

We shall build a world class eco-friendly transportation infrastructure for Goa. We will reduce end-to-end travel time to less than an hour by harnessing the state's inland waterways for both passenger and cargo transportation







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Message to the people of Goa

Dear brothers and sisters,

It is my immense pleasure to present to you, our Sankalp Patra-2022 for Goa, a comprehensive document that lays out the vision for a Golden Goa. In the past 10 years, your BJP Government, under the guidance of our Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi and led by the vision of our role model, Shri Manohar Parikkar, has seen many milestones being achieved. The infrastructural changes that the BJP has been able to bring about is significant. The state has seen unparalleled development in every sector. This document is a commitment to continue on that journey of stability, prosperity and development.

It is a result of a months-long process, in which the Bharatiya Janata Party set about on a campaign to collect the aspirations of the people. We also held wide ranging consultations with a variety of social organizations and industry bodies. The aim of this Sankalp Patra is to not merely serve as an election related announcement, but as a guiding document for the future administration of the state.

We are also putting forth today "Our Sankalp for a Swayampurna Goa", a list of 22 Sankalpas that cover all major sectors and lay a path forward for Goa. These Sankalpas are based on the solid foundation that the BJP has laid forth in Goa in the past 10 years, and we aim to surpass the high standards we have already set for ourselves. These Sankalpas are the sure path to create a Swayampurna Goa and an Atma Nirbhar Bharat. Let us all work together to achieve the vision of a Stable, Prosperous and Golden Goa and lead the BJP to another victory in the coming Elections!

With Best Regards, Sadanand Shet Tanavade President, BJP Goa Pradesh



INFRASTRUCTURE

A. Major Infrastructure

- We will turn Vasco Da Gama into a modern mobility hub which will be the convergence point of railway, roadways and waterways.
- 2. We will establish the 'Goa Infrastructure War Room' under the CMO for speedy implementation of infrastructure projects.
- 3. We will ensure the completion of all **major road infrastructure projects** in the state in a time bound manner:

| Sr.no. | NAME | LENGTH | COST |
|--------|------------------------------------------|--------|--------------|
| 1 | Patradevi-Karaswada-Bam- bolim | 21 km | ₹ 1487 crore |
| 2 | Panaji to Karnataka via Mollem | 62 km | ₹ 7000 crore |
| 3 | Bhatpal Bridge and Ortho- pond Bridge | _ | ₹ 8.67 crore |

4. We will upgrade all roads in urban areas of the state to 100% concrete roads in a phased manner.



B. Urban Development

- 1. We will build Affordable Rental Housing Complexes (ARHCs) in every municipal corporation of Goa to ensure that the urban poor of the state have access to affordable quality housing, and we will also ensure that projects under PMAY Urban will be completed on a fast track mission mode.
- 2. We will carry forward the planned development of towns and cities of Goa through the 'Golden Goa Smart Town Project'.
- 3. We will install **CCTV units** across all urban areas, in order to improve safety and policing.
- 4. We will set-up Wi-Fi hotspots across the state so as to provide internet connectivity that will cover all of Goa.

C. Rural Development

- 1. We will embark on a mission to develop all the villages of the state on the lines of the 'Smart Village Program'.
- 2. We will ensure the fast track construction of all remaining houses under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Gramin to ensure that the rural populace of the state has access to affordable and quality housing.

D. Electric Goa Mission

- 1. We will set up 100 Electric Vehicle Charging Stations across the state to boost our commitment in creating a carbon neutral state.
- 2. We will provide a subsidy of upto ₹6 lakh per vehicle to those drivers who have held a taxi permit in Goa for more than 5 years, to purchase electric taxis in order to promote sustainable tourism.
- 3. We shall incentivise local youth to purchase and run mini e-buses by providing them with a subsidy upto ₹10 lakh per vehicle and free charging for one year.





E. Energy

- All necessary investments in power infrastructure-transmission and distribution will be made to ensure high quality power supply around the clock for both household and industrial needs.
- We will ensure 20% of the total power production in the state is through Renewable energy.
- We will ensure round the clock availability of electricity for all through the expansion of the successful microgrid initiative.

F. Transportation

- We will expand and modernize all the 12 Ferry Systems in the state to match international standards.
- India's first floating jetty on the Mandovi river will be upgraded and the construction of the floating jetties in Campal and Chapora will be expedited.
- We will expand the ro-ro ferry system in the state to serve as an environmentally sustainable and tourist-friendly form of public transport.
- 4. We will develop a smart transport mobile application that will allow Goans to avail the services of the Kadamba Transportation Corporation at their fingertips.

G. Vision Statement

1. We shall build a world class eco-friendly transportation infrastructure for Goa. We will reduce end-to-end intra-state travel time to less than an hour by harnessing the state's inland waterways for both passenger and cargo transportation, establishing green mobility corridors and replacing all state RTC vehicles with new age electric public mobility.





WOMEN WELFARE

A. Economic Empowerment of Women

- 1. We will provide three free LPG cylinders to every household in Goa to ease the burden on the homemakers of the state.
- 2. In an effort to support the women of the state, we will enable Women Self-Help Groups to establish Annapoorna canteens for affordable food, short-stay homes for working women and shops across the state to exclusively sell SHG made products. Every GTDC Hotel will have these exclusive shops.
- 3. 33% of future recruitments in the public sector shall be reserved for women.
- 4. In order to empower the female-run SHGs of the state, we will provide female volunteers of SHGs in every village of the state with free smartphones to integrate them into the Sarkar Tumcha Dari scheme.

B. Ensuring Women's Safety

- We will establish a women-only police station in every Taluka in the state, as part of the effort to reduce crimes against women and promote ease of access to law enforcement offices.
- 2. We will endeavour to have the highest conviction rate in the country for crimes against women.
- 3. In order to ensure complete safety for women around the clock, we will create a comprehensive women's safety platform called 'Suraksha' that will be connected with local police stations and women's helpline numbers. We will ensure GPS tagging of all public transport and also equip them with **CCTVs and SOS buttons**.









- 4. We will organise sensitisation programmes for upskilling of law enforcement officers and health professionals who deal with victims of crimes against women.
- 5. We will establish a fast track court in the state dedicated to hearing cases pertaining to crimes against women and children and formulate a law to safeguard the life, honor and dignity of the women of Goa.

C. Securing Women's Wellbeing

- We will aim to reduce the number of anaemic women by half in the next decade.
- 2. We will build 100 new public toilets with sanitary pad vending machines to provide hygienic and clean toilets for women.
- 3. To help and enable nursing mothers to travel with ease without worrying about the nourishment of their children, we will establish 34 Lactoriums at public transport transit spots that will ensure safe and hygienic places for breastfeeding mothers while they travel with their infants.
- **4.** We will establish **creches in Government Offices** to ensure that working mothers can continue with their jobs without any hassle.

D. Vision Statement

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SOCIAL WELFARE

A. Welfare of Sailors, Labourers and **Unorganised Workers**

- 1. We will establish a Sailors Welfare Corporation with a corpus fund of ₹10 crore to ensure the welfare of retired seafarers including pension.
- 2. We will ensure the effective utilisation of the Labour Welfare Fund.
- 3. We will establish a Goa Taxi Drivers Welfare Board with a corpus fund of **220 crore** for the welfare of taxi drivers.
- 4. We will provide life insurance coverage for taxi drivers & bike pilots up to ₹2 lakh.

B. Welfare of Senior Citizens

- 1. We will create a force of dedicated health workers for senior citizens who will be trained to monitor their health status, conduct relevant tests and provide medicines.
- 2. We shall increase the old age pension for senior citizens to ₹3,000 per month.
- 3. We shall provide free health checkups every year worth ₹4,000 under the "Atal Health Checkup Scheme".
- 4. We will establish Chief Minister Matru-Pitru Kalyan Kendra in both districts for enabling special assisted living facilities for destitute senior citizens.







C. Welfare of Marginalized Sections

- 1. We will expand the **self-employment scheme for Scheduled Tribes** from ₹10 lakh to ₹25 lakh so as to empower more members of the community.
- 2. We will ensure the **effective disbursal of benefits** from the District Mineral Fund to beneficiaries.
- 3. We will establish a **Transgender Community Forum** to ensure that there is no discrimination against transgenders and secure their welfare.

D. Welfare of Public Servants

- We will introduce a two day holiday in every quarter of the year for all government employees, to enable them to spend quality time with their parents under the 'Matru-Pitru Vandana Yojana'.
- 2. We will implement the recommendations of the Seventh Pay Commission for Gram Panchayat Employees.
- 3. We will **rationalise the working hours of police personnel** and ensure that they have a work-life balance.





E. Welfare of Divyangs

- We will establish a World Class Para Athletic Center to promote games for Divyang sportspersons of all ages.
- 2. We will ensure that all major beaches in Goa are made Divyang-friendly with wheelchair ramps providing for easy access to the water, allowing everybody to experience the serenity of the seas.
- 3. We will fully enforce the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, by ensuring all government offices and buildings in Goa are **fully accessible for Divyangs**.

F. Vision Statement

 With the aim of completely eliminating multidimensional poverty in the state over the next five years, we will deliver social welfare benefits to the poor in a timely manner and through Direct Benefit Transfers.





INDUSTRIES AND EMPLOYMENT

A. Industrial Infrastructure and Logistic Development

- 1. We will develop the Goa Fin-Tech Hub (GFH) which will create 5,000 new jobs in the state.
- 2. We will expedite the completion of the **Greenfield Electronics Manufacturing Cluster** to transform Goa into an electronics manufacturing hub and thereby create 10,000 jobs in the next decade.
- 3. To realize our vision of a Swayampurna Goa Atma Nirbhar Bharat, we will aim to establish a "One Taluka, One Product" initiative.
- 4. We will establish a state of the art **Container Depot at Mormugao** to provide better cargo storage facilities in the state.
- 5. In all 23 industrial estates of Goa, we will provide connectivity and **product evacuation infrastructure**.





B. Startups, Entrepreneurship and Employment

- We will provide 100% EPF and EPS subsidies upto ₹5,000 per month per employee to entrepreneurs employing local youth in their establishments and also conduct job fairs to facilitate employment in the state.
- 2. We will make all efforts in the state to reduce unemployment and create gainful employment for all in the next decade.
- 3. We will further promote the Goa Umbrella scheme to boost economic growth in the state by providing additional incentives.
- 4. We will make Goa the startup capital of the country by doubling the number of startups in the next five years in line with the vision of the Goa **Startup Policy**, 2017.
- 5. We will kick-start the Goa Technology Mission to make Goa a model Tech hub to boost the growth of New Age technology businesses.
- 6. We will establish two additional IT parks in the state to promote Goa as a hub for the Information Technology Industry.
- 7. We will promote Goa as a second home for Tech professionals through a scheme to take advantage of the post-pandemic trend of remote working in the technology sector across the world.

C. Industrial & MSME Promotion

- 1. We will implement the policy of 'One State, One Clearance, One Compliance' in Goa wherein all industrial and commercial clearance mechanisms in the state will be brought under one common portal through the Investment Facilitation Portal.
- 2. We will allow deemed approval to new MSME entrepreneurs after 30 days of application for any government permission.









- We will ensure that MSMEs can continue availing category-specific state government incentives for a period of five years upon graduating to the next MSME size category.
- 4. We will establish a biotech hub in the state to revitalise the Pharma Industry and attract more R&D units.
- We will launch e-Com assistance centres in both districts to help traditional and small traders transition to e-commerce websites.

D. Mining

1. We have already announced the new mining policy in the state that will allow for the utilisation of low-grade ore stacked across Goa. We have taken steps to auction iron ore blocks in the state and also established the Goa Mineral Development Corporation, which will undertake mining in the state. The imminent revival of mining activities within the next six months in the state will massively benefit the people of Goa through the creation of job opportunities and the revitalization of the economy.

E. Vision Statement

- 1. We will, through our constant efforts, propel Goa to a growth trajectory that will enable the state to become a \$50 billion economy in the next 10 years by:
 - a. Transforming Goa into the **Health and Wellness hub of the country** and doubling the industry from ₹18,000 crore to ₹36,000 crore in the next ten years.
 - b. Making Goa a **premier destination** for **co-working spaces and remote working** in the post-pandemic world.
- 2. Within six months of returning to power, we will revive mining in the state through the Goa Mineral Development Corporation and undertake the auctioning of iron ore blocks through transparent leasing and following due process of law.
- 3. We will provide 100% EPF and EPS subsidies upto ₹5,000 per month per employee to entrepreneurs employing local youth in their establishments and also conduct job fairs to facilitate employment in the state.





HEALTHCARE

A. Strengthening Goa's Healthcare System

- 1. We will expand the scope of Deen Dayal Swasthya Seva Yojana to double the insurance cover in a phased manner.
- 2. We shall upgrade the health infrastructure across the state by adding inpatient facilities in all primary health centres and upgrading both district hospitals to provide speciality level services.
- 3. We will further promote medical education in the state by expanding the number of undergraduate and postgraduate seats in Goa Medical College.
- 4. We will establish e-ICU beds at all Urban Health Centres and Community Health Centres to provide high quality specialist health care. We will establish two new medical colleges in PPP mode to increase the availability of trained medical professionals.

B. Building a More Resilient Healthcare **Infrastructure**

- We will establish a Medical Tourism and Wellness Park to promote medical tourism in the state on a Public-Private Partnership model and turn Goa into a model state for healthcare in the country.
- 2. We will establish the 'Manohar Parrikar Centre for Cancer Research' to provide research and healthcare facilities for cancer patients across the state.
- 3. We will construct a Research Institute of Cardiovascular Diseases in Goa to cater to patients with heart diseases.





- We will establish 40 Jan Aushadhi Kendras across the state to facilitate affordable medicines for all.
- 5. We will set up six new blood & plasma banks and collection centres at the CHC level to improve the supply of blood with the regular organization of blood donation camps as well.
- We will establish a Centre for Genetics and Health in Goa Medical College for diagnosis, prevention and treatment of genetic disorders in the state.
- 7. We will provide convalescence centres in the state for recovering patients utilizing the state's attraction as a tourism hub.

C. Traditional Medicine

- We will establish a state-of-the-art Dada Vaidya AYUSH Research Centre in Goa for promotion and research of traditional medicine practices.
- We will certify AYUSH practitioners through a duly recognized bridge course to serve as mid-level care providers with a special focus on providing community health services.

D. Vision Statement

1. The state will achieve universal coverage for healthcare and eliminate stunting and malnutrition among children.





FISHERIES AND AGRICULTURE

A. Farmers' Welfare

- 1. We will augment the PM KISAN Yojana by providing an annual top-up of ₹2,000 in the state of Goa, for the already existing beneficiaries of the scheme, as well as all other agriculturists in the state.
- 2. We will provide a subsidy to marginal and small scale farmers on the purchase of agricultural implements and other necessary farm equipment.
- 3. We will establish a mobile application to provide farmers with a comprehensive and expeditious grievance redressal system, filing insurance claims and market linkage.
- 4. We shall implement a comprehensive Khazan Land Management Policy to incentivise the use of Khazan land for agricultural purposes.
- 5. We will undertake a special effort to revitalize indigenous varieties of rice and other grains.





B. Boosting the Fisheries Sector

- We will promote Inland Fishing in the state through the Integrated Freshwater Fisheries Scheme.
- We will incentivise sustainable fishing by creating a programme to recycle fishing utilities that will also provide items at a lower cost to fishermen of the state.
- We will introduce an Open Ocean Aquaculture, prescribing the standards, permissions and procedures for fish farming in Goa's offshore waters.

C. Animal Husbandry

- We will establish a Government Veterinary College and research institute in the state under the aegis of Goa University.
- 2. We will provide infrastructural support for piggery, goat herding and cattle farming activities worth ₹50,000 to all the landless labourers of the state by leveraging the MGNREGA scheme.
- We will support the dairy farmers of the state and provide them with an increased cattle feed subsidy to boost the production of milk in the state.

D. Horticulture and Floriculture

- The government will make efforts to get GI recognition for Mankur (Mankurad), Mangelar and Mussarat mango varieties.
- We shall formulate a comprehensive horticulture policy to promote horticulture production and its export.
- 3. We will enable **Women SHGs to establish apiaries** in the state.







E. Market Access, Supply Chain and Export Orientation

- We will incentivise agricultural marketing and supply chain management startups in the state to build a healthy ecosystem in the agriculture sector.
- 2. We will establish drive-in **Krishi Markets** in Panaji, Mormugao, Mapusa, Ponda and Margao with a facility to provide greater access to fresh produce.
- 3. In order to promote export-oriented development in the state, we will match investment up to ₹10 lakh to new export-oriented Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs).
- **4.** We will explore all possibilities to make the **Sanjivani Sugar Factory** in Sanvordem operational.
- 5. We will establish a ₹100 crore fund to expand the **cold storage facilities** in the state.
- We will formulate a Coconut Cluster Policy to promote and expand the state's coconut industry.
- 7. We will establish hygienic **retail fish outlets** with state of the art facilities in all major urban centres of Goa.
- 8. We will introduce a separate **State Agriculture Export Policy** to integrate processors and exporters with farmers to ensure better returns and a stable market.

F. Vision Statement

- We shall aim at doubling the income of horticulturists by providing incentives up to ₹10 lakh to new export oriented FPOs. We shall also build 20 cold storage facilities across Goa.
- 2. We will aim to make Goa the leading exporter of seafood in the country by supporting fishing activity in the state.





EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT

A. Higher Education

- We will augment the Manohar Parrikar Scholarship to support Goan students who get admitted into the top 100 Universities in the world and Top 10 NIRF Universities of the country.
- 2. We will increase **financial assistance for higher education** of students with exemplary academic performance.
- We will undertake multiple initiatives and schemes to make Goa University one of the Top 50 universities in India on NIRF rankings.
- 4. In line with the BJP's vision to empower the youngsters of Goa and provide them with the opportunities that they need, we shall set up a Training Institute providing coaching for students attempting Civil Services Examinations, complete with accommodation, study rooms, and library facilities.

B. Secondary Education

- We will launch "Mission Kaushal" program to focus on integrating Skilling and Vocational Education from 6th Grade to 12th Grade in both Government and Private schools of the state.
- 2. We will set up 30 more "Atal Tinkering Labs" under the Atal Innovation Mission initiative started by the Union Government to provide an environment conducive for innovative thinking among students.
- 3. To ensure the Goan youth are employment ready in the new age scenario, we will introduce skill development courses including courses on advanced manufacturing and machine learning among others to meet the demands of Industry 4.0 across Goa.







4. We will launch a Student **Virtual Exchange Program** for students to have more exposure and exchange ideas and thoughts with students across different states to promote national integration.

C. Primary Education

- We will equip every government school in Goa with a smart classroom aided with a high-speed internet connection to create an interactive learning environment.
- 2. Bhau Daji School of Academic Excellence will be established to provide gifted school students from all economic backgrounds identified through a special exercise, an opportunity to get accelerated learning opportunities through a challenging academically advanced curriculum.
- We will introduce a Desh-Seva Curriculum in schools, especially focused on national and Goan heroes.

D. Implementing the Vision of NEP

- We will complete the implementation of the visionary National Education Policy, 2020 in the state.
- 2. We will ensure that all necessary steps are undertaken to **fulfill NEP's** vision of providing all children with access to **Early Childhood Care**.
- 3. We will undertake half-yearly taluka level teacher training workshops to improve teaching skills as envisioned by NEP 2020.





E. Teacher Recognition and Employment

- We will expeditiously fill all vacant teaching posts in all government educational institutions.
- 2. To commemorate the role of teachers in building societies, we shall introduce the "Vasishtha Guru Puraskar" which will be awarded to 15 teachers, with a cash prize of ₹1 lakh every year and they will be supported by the state for further training abroad.

F. Culture and Heritage Promotion

- 1. We will fund academic and archaeological research regarding the past of Goa and elevate the Goa State Museum to international levels.
- 2. We shall encourage the **translation** of **Konkani literature** into other languages to make the wealth of Konkani literature accessible to all.
- 3. We will institute an **authorship grant of ₹10 lakh** to each author for books published in local languages.

G. Vision Statement

1. We will promote Goa as a destination for high-end technological research.





SPORTS AND YOUTH AFFAIRS

A. Youth Empowerment

- 1. We will revamp the Chief Minister's Apprenticeship Programme to provide every unemployed youth graduate of Goa with an apprenticeship wherein they can obtain the skills necessary for gainful employment with a provision of a ₹5,000 stipend during the apprenticeship period.
- 2. We will establish modern **study rooms/hybrid libraries** in different talukas of Goa for the improvement of youth affairs and skill development, which will provide easy access to both books and online resources like journals, newspapers, magazines and data portals.
- 3. We will establish Job Cafes in both districts that will have separate co-working spaces with new-age digital infrastructure.
- **4.** We will introduce the **Chief Minister Fellowship Programme** in the state to involve young professionals in solving the most pressing development challenges of the state.
- **5.** We will initiate a **Youth in Governance program** as a platform for young policymakers to increase their participation in governance.
- We will constitute the 'State Youth Commission' for all-round development of the youth of the state.
- 7. We will collaborate with top national and international universities to introduce a **Youth Exchange program** in the state.





8. We will augment the CM Trophy into an annual youth sports and arts festival engaging about 10,000 youth volunteers across all 191 Gram Panchayats.

B. Sports Promotion

- 1. We will work closely with the All India Football Federation (AIFF) to bid for the FIFA U-20 World Cup.
- 2. We shall implement a **Talent Identification Programme** in all schools to identify student-athletes who will be provided training and scholarships to become Olympic athletes and prospective medal winners.
- 3. We will strive to **make Goa** into a **national and international sporting hub** by building world-class sporting infrastructure in the state.
- 4. We will develop Goa to become a prime training centre for pre-season warm-up camps and post-season cooldown camps considering the state's picturesque landscape that is acclaimed for its serenity and beauty.
- **5.** We will **enhance the sporting infrastructure** in the state to prepare it for international competitions.
- **6.** We shall develop **sports complexes** in **every gram panchayat** of the state.

C. Vision Statement

- 1. We will launch "Mission Gold Coast" to create an Olympic gold medalist for India from Goa.
- 2. We will revamp the Chief Minister's Apprenticeship Programme to provide every unemployed youth graduate of Goa with an apprenticeship wherein they can obtain the skills necessary for gainful employment with a provision of a ₹5,000 stipend during the apprenticeship period.
- We will establish a brand new International Football Stadium and Football Academy in the state, and host the FIFA U-20 World Cup in the upcoming years.







TOURISM AND HOSPITALIT

A. Making Tourism More Vibrant

- 1. We will introduce a homestay scheme which will provide an interest free loan of ₹5 lakh for those local residents of Goa wishing to provide homestay facilities.
- 2. We will launch a comprehensive programme by the name "Goa Beyond Beaches", which will advertise the hidden gems of Goa.
- 3. We will establish a temple tourism circuit to highlight the cultural and spiritual heritage of Goa.
- 4. We will revamp Bird Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries, to initiate wildlife tourism and diversify the tourist arrivals in the state.
- 5. We will introduce Caravan Tourism through Goa Tourism Development Corporation (GTDC) to facilitate travelers to embark on a once-in-a-lifetime experience involving the luxury of caravans.
- 6. We will establish safe and secure camping sites across Goa for youth and families to travel and explore their state and be in touch with nature.
- 7. We will organise a Feni Festival in March to facilitate the promotion of Feni and boost "Beverage Tourism".
- 8. We will introduce Feni Distillery Tours that will be a tourist attraction, where tourists can witness the production process of Feni.
- 9. We will endeavour to provide renewed impetus for the growth of the Rangbhumi culture of Goa by promoting Utsavi Rangbhumi.
- 10. We will introduce special vehicles and tour packages under GTDC that will run spiritual tours in the state.





- 11. We will set up an Amusement Park in Goa and we will construct the Goa Marine Planet with an underwater Tunnel Aquarium/Zoo on a PPP basis.
- **12.** We will introduce an **Online Content Initiative** to incentivise content creators to create content about unexplored tourist destinations.
- **13.** In the same vision, we will develop a **butterfly garden and insect museum** in Goa.

B. Tourism Infrastructure

- 1. We will operationalize Aerocity at Mopa including the state of the art business & convention center to promote business tourism in the state.
- 2. We will introduce Goa Tourism Skill Development Mission to conduct regular skill development programs under the Ministry of Tourism to train destination guides, guides at religious places, women guides, artisans at village haats free of cost.
- 3. We will introduce comprehensively equipped **first aid care centres** that will improve the first responder time and will greatly benefit both tourists and residents across the beaches in Goa.
- 4. We will incentivise public transport **shuttles** from the nearest bus stations to the **major religious centres** of Goa to ease travel for devotees.
- We will launch a scheme in the state for the renovation of religious centres along with their surroundings to facilitate easy access for devotees.
- 6. In line with our policy of honouring Goa's heritage, we will renovate and restore places of historical significance like forts and monuments across the state.



C. Vision Statement

- 1. We shall double the number of annual tourist arrivals in the state in the next five years by harnessing the potential for inland tourism, medical tourism and promoting heritage and spiritual tourism, while augmenting the current infrastructure around adventure sports and beach tourism.
- 2. We will introduce a homestay scheme which will provide an interest free loan of ₹5 lakh for those local residents of Goa wishing to provide homestay facilities.
- 3. We will make Goa the meetings, conventions and exhibitions hub of Asia, further boosting the tourism sector.





EASE OF LIVING

A. Swachh Goa, Sustainable Goa

- 1. We will **not increase the state duties** on **petrol and diesel** for the next three years.
- We will roll out the Goa Beautification Plan and tenders to Goan landscaping businesses to beautify Goa's villages.
- 3. We will launch a mission similar to **Namami Ganga** for cleaning and maintaining all the rivers of Goa.
- 4. We will set up **Green ATMs** on beaches that will dispense cash for returning plastic waste, bottles, and glass bottles that will ensure cleaner beaches, to establish a cleaner and greener Goa.
- 5. We will convert all diesel buses into CNG buses to improve public transport facilities in the state and reduce vehicular pollution within a year.
- 6. To create a value chain for garbage, provide employment to local youth and also solve Goa's garbage pile-up issue, we will introduce the Goa Municipal Waste Management and Disposal Policy on the lines of sustainable development goals.
- 7. To ensure the proper disposal of bio-medical waste produced in the state, we will enhance the capabilities of existing Bio-Medical Waste Treatment Plants, to ensure it is prepared to meet future demands.
- 8. To create a plastic free Goa, we will ensure a **complete ban on single use** plastic across the entire state in a phased manner





B. Public Infrastructure

- We will introduce the Manohar Parrikar Kalyan Fund, which will be a Common Development Fund of up to ₹3 crore for every Panchayat and upto ₹5 crore for every municipality to boost infrastructure for ease of living.
- 2. We will create a "Water Supply Grid" to ensure equitable distribution of water to all regions of the state.
- To reduce further unorganized expansion of urban areas of the state, efficient and dense housing will be encouraged through urban governance reforms.
- 4. We will ensure 100% 4G mobile and broadband connectivity in every corner of the state.
- All necessary regulatory and administrative measures will be fast tracked to enable 5G internet connectivity in the state on a priority basis.
- 6. To promote hygiene measures in public places, we will set up sanitary napkin vending machines at public ladies' washrooms across beaches and public transit stations.

C. Less Government, More Governance

- Taking inspiration from PM Shri Narendra Modi's vision of 'Bhrashtachar Mukt Bharat', we will remain committed towards zero tolerance on corruption and to that effect we will set up a '24x7 anti-corruption helpline' directly under the CMO to help citizens report instances of corruption.
- 2. We will widen the scope of the Goa Right to Public Services Act which will create a robust digital first citizen grievance redressal system and enable swift resolution of ease of living related issues.
- 3. We will establish a freelancing portal through which Goan citizens will be able to engage in contract work from the government, quasi-government, and private institutions and earn from home, along with prospects of future employment.





D. Governance for All

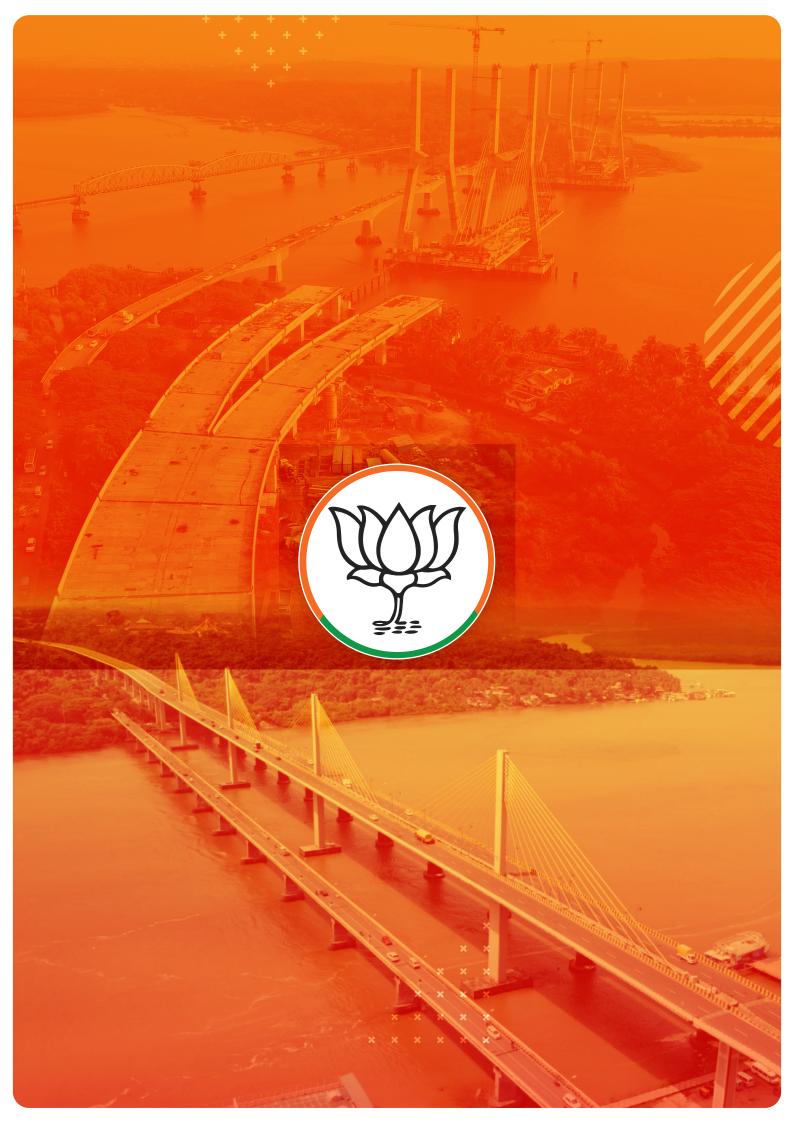
- We will undertake a comprehensive e-Governance mission in Goa to revamp and streamline the relevant administrative procedures and ensure that all government offices are completely paperless by 2027.
- 2. We will **strengthen the Official Languages Department** in Goa to ensure ease of communication for citizens in administrative matters.
- 3. We will **train all civil servants working in Goa in Konkani** in order to optimise administration in the state.

E. Vision Statement

- We shall provide good quality housing for all Goans in the next five years by providing home loans for deserving families at an interest rate of 2% for women and 4% for men and developing & providing residential plots.
- 2. We shall **not increase the state duties on petrol and diesel** for the next three years.
- 3. We will introduce the Manohar Parrikar Kalyan Fund, which will be a Common Development Fund of up to ₹3 crore for every Panchayat and upto ₹5 crore for every municipality to boost infrastructure for ease of living.

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