



## MP role model for development

### 45% budget on poverty alleviation

- Antyodaya Melas to be held in every district
- Senior officers to reach out to villages
- State's first district Antyodaya Mela held

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The national president of BJP Nitin Gadkar commended the pro-poor policies and programmes of the state government saying that the service to people, good governance and development would be the milestones of the future politics.

He said that the Madhya Pradesh govt led by Shivraj Singh Chouhan has made a new beginning in this regard. Corruption, poverty and hunger would be effec-

tively addressed by applying the philosophy of Antyodaya, he added.

Gadkari said that Madhya Pradesh is one among the few states where farmers are getting loan for farm inputs on three per cent rate of interest.

The state has clean and honest government. Positive impact of schemes like Ladli Laxmi has been commended nationwide. A new beginning has been made from Rewa district. Madhya Pradesh has presented an ideal example in the

country in respect of development.

Speaking on the occasion Chief Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan said that 45 per cent population of Madhya Pradesh is poor, so it has been decided to spend 45 per cent of state budget on poverty alleviation schemes. He said that Antyodaya Melas will be held in every district to provide benefits of welfare schemes to people at their doorsteps. Chouhan said that senior officers from Mantralaya would visit villages for this purpose.