

Gujarat Filming Incentive Scheme 2022

This Incentive Scheme is applicable for local, regional, and international films. Film makers/ Production companies across the globe are eligible to apply for this incentive scheme. The film (part/ full) should be shot in Gujarat to claim the incentive under this scheme.

The extend of Incentive is 25% of eligible Cost of Film Production (CoP) in Gujarat to eligible film making projects. The following motion pictures/ films are eligible to claim incentives under this scheme are (1) Prestigious (Big Budget) Films (2) Feature Films (3) Brand Affiliated Films (4) Documentary films (5) Web Series and TV serials.

Eligible Projects:

Mentioned below are the minimum eligibility criteria for eligible film making/ motion picture projects to claim incentives under this scheme:

Sr. No.	Particular	Minimum shooting days or Eligible CoP in Gujarat;	Minimum Film Budget	Minimum Running time	Must be released in at-least
1	Feature Film/ Prestigious (Big Budget) Films	30 days OR INR 1.5 crore	INR 50 Crore	90 minutes	75 screens
2	TV & Web Series	75 days OR INR 3 crore	INR 10 Crore	150 minutes	5 OTT (paid users & downloads)
3	Documentary	7 days OR INR 50 Lakhs	INR 50 Lakhs	30 minutes	NA
4	Brand Affiliation	15 days OR INR 0.75 Lakh	NA	90 minutes	75 screens

Mentioned below film making/ motion picture projects are not eligible to claim incentives under this scheme:

- Dubbed version of a Films/Documentary/Web Series or TV Serials etc.
- Films/TV Serials/Web Series that are derogatory to Gujarat/Culture/People/Places, etc. or poses any threat to National integrity, Sovereignty and Religious harmony and nudity explicitly.

*Please refer GR/ policy booklet of Cinematic Tourism for detailed Information on conditions/ criteria.

For film shooting permissions and clearance:

- Film makers shall make the application through IFP: www.ifp.gujarat.gov.in
- Film makers shall apply on www.filmcell.gujarattourism.com after making application for film shooting permissions/ clearance on IFP portal for smooth co-ordination by FFC, TCGL

To claim the incentives under this scheme:

- Filmmakers/ Producers, and Investors shall make an online application with relevant documents on following portal: www.tourism.gujarat.gov.in

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Cultural test is applicable for OTT content and Documentary. A prior approval (approval before starting the shoot) from SLIC is mandatory for Documentary project to claim the incentive under this scheme.

Please find the following relevant information pertaining to the eligibility of film making projects under this incentive scheme:

- The project must be shot or filmed in Gujarat
- Applicants receiving benefits under other central schemes shall not be eligible to apply for the Reimbursement under this scheme
- Applicants shall be entitled to apply for one (1) Reimbursement per project. Each season or series of the same production shall count as a separate Project.
- To be eligible for this incentive, projects need to fulfill the minimum criteria of film budget, days of shooting or Eligible Cost of Production in Gujarat, Movie running length, along with release on at-least defined numbers of screen for all respective projects
- The film must be shot in Shot with 4k or higher resolution with Dolby Digital 5.1 (or advanced) surround sound
- Approval from the committee for content quality and suitability is mandatory to all film projects
- Film projects must have U or U/A Certification by Central Board of Film Certification (CBFC) or as applicable for OTT Platforms, as applicable
- Documentary projects and Prestigious Films require prior approval from SLIC before starting shooting to be eligible for the incentive
- Web-series/ TV shows must take 20 Gujarati artists/ crew and 10 tourist destinations from Gujarat

Please refer GR of Cinematic Tourism Policy for detailed Information pertaining to this incentive scheme: https://tourism.gujarat.gov.in/Document/News/cinematic_tourism_policy_gr_2022-202712092022033156.pdf

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