

# State boost for women entrepreneurs

The state cabinet has approved an industrial policy for women entrepreneurs under which they will be given up to Rs 1 crore aid, subsidy in loan rates and cheap power. Besides, shops will be reserved for women in malls, commercial complexes and market yards, reports **Sujit Mahamulkar**. The aim, minister Subhash Desai said, is to double the number of women entrepreneurs to 18%. **P 4**