

QuEST receives govt notification for SEZ

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QuEST Global, a provider of outsourced engineering services and manufacturing, said today that it has received the central government's notification for its special economic zone (SEZ) in Belgaum, Karnataka.

QuEst Global has also received approval for units that are coming up in phase 1 of the SEZ.

The company's SEZ will be a sector-specific precision engineering economic zone, cov-

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ering over 300 acres in the initial phase.

This notification allows QuEST to lease out the land and also provide build-to-suit requirements in the SEZ to other prospects, who would like to set up their business units in QuEST Global's precision engineering SEZ.

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mainly on aerospace and automotive-related industries.

Phase 1 of the zone will be operational by December this year and Phase-II is expected to be operational by June 2009.

QuEST Global has already signed up three clients, namely QuEST Global Engineering, QuEST Global Manufacturing and Aerospace Processing India (API), a joint venture be-

tween QuEST and Magellan Aerospace for establishing special aerospace processing capabilities in India.

At the economic zone in Belgaum, API's facility of 17,500 sq ft will support activities such as chromic acid anodising line and titanium etching in the initial phase. QuEST Global Manufacturing will expand its existing precision machine operations that are currently set up in Bangalore and QuEST Global Engineering will set up an engineering services facility, to provide low cost engineering services.