

## Over 70 per cent owners agree to give land for Jewar airport

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Over 200 land owners in Jewar agreed Saturday to give their lands for a proposed international airport in [Gautam Buddha Nagar](#) district, taking the overall consent of affected families to 71 per cent, local MLA Dharendra Singh said.

According to the provisions of Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013, the consent of at least 70 per cent of land owners is mandatory for government to proceed with acquisition of land in any such project.

Over 1,300 hectare of land from five villages - Rohi, Parohi, Dayanatpur, Ranhera and Kishorpur - is to be acquired during the first phase of green field project. A total of 5,000 hectares of land is to be acquired for the green field airport estimated worth Rs 15,000 to Rs 20,000 crore.

"As many as 202 landowners submitted their consent letter to Arunveer Singh, the chief executive officer of [Yamuna Expressway](#) Industrial Development Authority and District Magistrate Brajesh Narayan Singh today," MLA Dharendra Singh said.