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Jaxay Shah to take over as CREDAI prez

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Ahmedabad: City-based developer **Jaxay Shah** is all set to take over as the national president of top industry body Confederation of Real Estate Developers Associations of India (CREDAI) after being its president-elect for two years.

Shah, who is the managing director of Savvy Infrastructures, will take over as president for two years at the CREDAI National Investiture Ceremony at Mahatma Mandir in Gandhinagar on Sunday.

Union urban development minister M Venkaiah Naidu, chief minister Vijay Rupani, deputy chief minister Nitin Patel, and top developers from across the country and state will attend the ceremony. Shah said that his focus as CREDAI president will be on affordability, accountability, employment and revenue generation for driving growth in the real estate sector.

"As a mark of support to the government's 'Housing for All' Mission, CREDAI will launch 250 affordable housing projects in 80 to 100 cities at the Investiture ceremony. This will create a considerable inventory of affordable homes, which will help tackle shortage and also enable consumers and developers to avail benefits of various government schemes," Shah said.

CONTRIBUTION TO SWACHH BHARAT

Shah further said that he and his team would give a push to zero-garbage projects, which are already being undertaken in a number of cities, including Ahmedabad, to contribute to the Swachh Bharat mission in the next two years.



PUSH FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT

Shah said that on the occasion, 1,500-plus developers across 170 cities will take a pledge to empower the Skill India movement by undertaking skill development for over one lakh construction workers and unemployed youth.

"**We have** already covered 30,000 workers under the skill development training, and aim to cross one lakh during my term," he said.