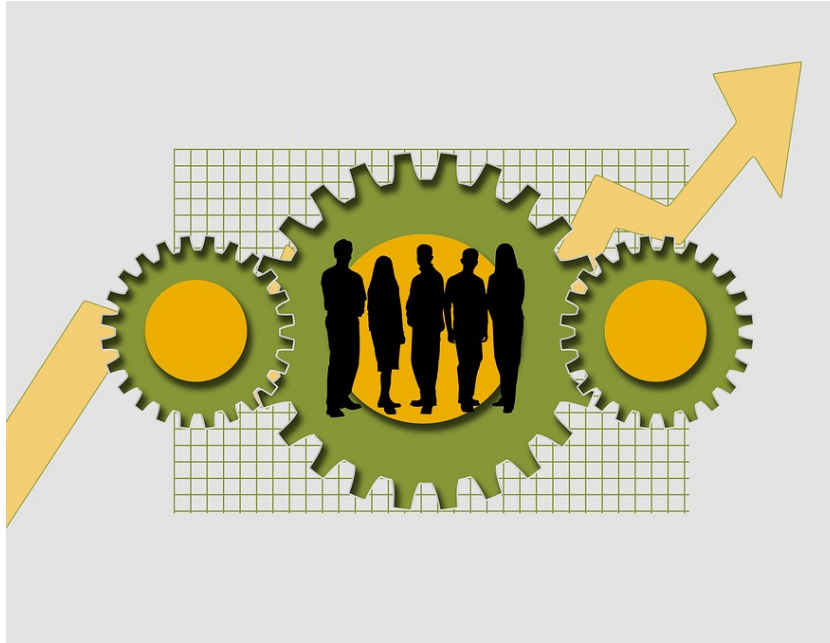







FORMAL SECTOR IN MEXICO






-  #GoodNews 377,694 formal sector jobs were created in Mexico in the first quarter of 2017. To date, 2.7 million jobs have been created during this administration. Click here to read more bit.ly/2p2RbGj
-  National GDP grew by 2.5% annually in the first quarter of 2017, surpassing predictions. bit.ly/2p2RbGj
-  #LearnMore exports grew by 11% in the first quarter of 2017, the highest rate in the past 5 years.
-  The unemployment rate in #Mexico dropped from 5% in November 2012 to 3.2% in March 2017, the lowest rate in 9 years. bit.ly/2p2RbGj
-  #DidYouKnow that the minimum wage in #Mexico has regained 12.2% of its purchasing power? bit.ly/2p2RbGj

Source: [Office of the President Blog](#)







BETTER CONNECTIVITY

-  #DidYouKnow that better connectivity, especially of the priority areas for national development, integrates #Mexico as a logistics platform and gives added value to our competitiveness. #LearnMore bit.ly/2ptKHUj
-  #LearnMore construction of the new Mexico City International Airport is on track for operations to begin in 2020. For more information, click here bit.ly/2ptKHUj
-  Seawater desalination projects are essential for increasing the availability of water resources in coastal areas.
-  The beaches of the Riviera Nayarit are clean, certified, and respectful of the flora and fauna, giving it added value as a tourist destination bit.ly/2ptKHUj

Source: [Communications and Transportation Ministry Press Release](#)



WHEAT PRODUCTION

-  Wheat production in #Mexico increased 14.6% from 2013 to 2016 thanks to the most modern agronomic policies and practices designed for the sustainable use of the available resources. bit.ly/2p52Uot
-  Wheat accounts for 12.9% of the national total by volume of the grains produced in #Mexico, with a total value estimated at 14.167 billion pesos bit.ly/2p52Uot
-  Wheat production increased from 3.352 million tons in 2013 to 3.841 million tons last year. bit.ly/2p52Uot
-  The five most important #Mexican states for wheat production are Sonora, Baja California, Sinaloa, Guanajuato and Michoacan bit.ly/2p52Uot

Source: [Agriculture Ministry Press](#)

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