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Hon'ble Raksha Mantri releases EOI for items to be indigenized by BDL

In response to the clarion call given by the Hon'ble Prime Minister for creation of "Atmanirbhar Bharat", **Bharat Dynamics Limited (BDL)**, has been working relentlessly towards maximizing the indigenous components and sub-assemblies of missiles being manufactured under foreign collaboration.

Working towards this mission, BDL has indigenized few components and sub-assemblies of Anti-Tank Guided Missiles and Underwater Weapons, which were being imported by the Company.

The **Hon'ble Raksha Mantri Shri Rajnath Singh** today issued the 'Expression of Interest' for these components and sub-assemblies at a virtual event held at New Delhi in the presence of **Chief of Defence Staff General Bipin Rawat, Secretary (Defence Production) Shri Raj Kumar**, senior officials from the Ministry of Defence and **CMD, BDL Commodore Siddharth Mishra (Retd)**, Directors and senior officials present at Hyderabad.



These efforts would not only result in enhancing of self-reliance but also result in reduction of Foreign Exchange out-flows for the Nation besides achieving cost-competitiveness for the weapons produced. The indigenization efforts also help in

creating a larger supply chain (including MSMEs) for the company for its various projects.

High Temperature Carbon Composite manufacturing facility inaugurated



Dr G. Satheesh Reddy, Secretary, Department of Defence R&D and Chairman, DRDO laid the foundation for establishing **High Temperature Carbon Composite** manufacturing facility (HTCC) at an event held virtually today. The new facility will come up at the Ibrahimpatnam Unit of BDL.

Shri MSR Prasad, Director General (M&SS), DRDO, Dr MRM Babu, Director, ASL, Dr K H Sinnur, Director, HTCC were among the dignitaries present on the occasion. **Commodore Siddharth Mishra (Retd), CMD, BDL**, Directors and senior officials from BDL were present. The facility is being established for manufacturing 'critical components for future missiles with supersonic or higher velocities' which will help the country become 'Atmanirbhar' in this technology area.

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