OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Requirement of Industrial Licence for Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO) activities.

The undersigned is directed to state that the issue of grant of Industrial License for Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO) activities in Defence Sector was under consideration in this Department, it has now been decided with the approval of Competent authority, that Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO) activities in Defence sector may be treated as Services and should not be subjected to the Industrial License under IDR Act unless it actually involves manufacturing of any components/sub-assemblies which are licensable and that product should remain the property of the same customer after MRO operation.

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