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Subject: Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the Month of Dec 2023 (Unclassified) - Reg.

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- 1.1 To promote indigenization drive through MSMEs, GRSE organized a conclave on 15th December 2023 at OFB, Rajarhat Complex at New Town, Kolkata in association with AWEIL and YIL to showcase the indigenization scope and opportunities for the MSMEs through presentations and interpersonal interaction.
- 1.2 A comprehensive policy framework document (JSG 0829:2023 Quality & Reliability Assurance Framework Procedure for Design, Development, Production and Sustenance of Land Systems (QRAFP-DDS-LS)) has been structured and published through DoS. It contains uniform QA procedures for Land Systems for all three services based on standards, MoD guidelines/Policies, primarily for the Defence Industry to take forward the 'Make in India' initiative.
- 1.3 In line with India's Defence Export Strategy to enhance defence exports, 178 Export Authorisations were issued to 37 countries during the month, having value of Rs. 1790.99 crores by private Companies and Rs. 583.85 crores by DPSUs bringing the total value of export to Rs. 10468.8 crores in FY 2023-24.
- 1.4 A total of 15 Industrial License applications were disposed off by the Standing Committee on Private Sector Participation.
- 1.5 BEL won The Institution of Engineers (India) Industry Excellence- Gold Award instituted by 'The Institution of Engineers (India)'. The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh handed over the award to BEL in a ceremony on 27th Dec 2023.
