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- In line with India's Defence Export Strategy to enhance defence exports, 120 Export Authorisations were issued to 29 countries during the month, having value of Rs. 1178.56 crores bringing the total to Rs. 8094.03 crores and 1310 Export authorizations in FY 2023-24.
- HAL, BEL and DRDO Labs participated in India Manufacturing Show 2023 organised by Laghu Udyog Bharathi, Karnataka involving MSMEs at Bangaluru from 02nd to 04th Nov 2023. The event was inaugurated by Hon'ble Defence Minister, Shri. Rajnath Singh. Various indigenous products and major products of BEL were put on display at the exhibition.
- 1.3 BEL participated in Dubai Airshow held at Dubai, UAE from 13th to 17th Nov 2023. Hon'ble Raksha Rajya Mantri. Shri Ajay Bhatt among other dignitaries visited BEL stall during the event. The Dubai Airshow featured more than 1400 exhibitors from over 95 countries.
- 1.4 The first INDUS X Investors Meet was conducted on 8th November 2023 in Delhi, serving as prelude to the 2+2 Ministerial Dialogue. This event was distinctive platform for governments. Startups, industries, investors, VCs and others to engage in meaningful interactions.
- 1.5 The INDUS X Educational Series (Gurukul) was also launched by Director. DIU and COO, iDEX at this event, to educate startups about the policies/opportunities in the defence ecosystems of both nations and joint efforts to drive technological advancements to foster innovation.
- 1.6 BEL signed an MoU with M/s Elettronica, Italy for cooperation in development of the New Generation EW systems and their subsequent production & commercialization.
