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Dated: 8th March, 2024

Respected sir,

With reference to D.O. letter No.502/1/2/2014-CA-V dated 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 of Cabinet Secretary, the following significant activities in the Ministry of Heavy Industries (MHI) for the month of February, 2024 are highlighted:

- 1. Hon'ble Minister of Heavy Industries chaired the meeting of 'Consultative Committee for Ministry of Heavy Industries' on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2024, in Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi on the subject "Role of PSUs under MHI In the Era of New Technology". Selected CPSEs under MHI i.e. M/s Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd. (BHEL), Engineering Projects (India) Ltd. (EPIL) & Instrumentation Ltd. (IL) made presentations before the Committee and noted the valuable suggestions of Hon'ble Members.
- 2. I chaired the 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Apex Committee, held on 08<sup>th</sup> February 2024, to discuss new project proposals under Scheme for Enhancement of Competitiveness in Indian Capital Goods Sector- Phase-II. Based on the proposals received, projects worth Rs. 25 Crores (approx.) are under sanction.
- 3. I reviewed the performance of operational CPSEs upto Q3 for FY2023-24 held at MHI on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2024. This review is a part of the Ministry's ongoing efforts to evaluate the efficacy of CPSEs towards fulfilling their core objectives, assessing their progress & achievements, including hand holding, wherever required.
- 4. Pre-bid meeting for 10 GWh (MHI) PLI ACC capacity was successfully held on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2024, at IFCI Tower with all the stakeholders. It witnessed participation from industry stakeholders and government organizations including NITI Aayog, M/o Power, MNRE and industry association IESA. The meeting was attended by more than 45 participants from 18 companies. The bidders had been allowed to send their queries till 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2024.

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- 5. MHI has been one of the sponsorers for 'Bharat Mobility Global Expo' held from 1<sup>st</sup> February to 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2024, at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. In this expo, PLI approved OEMs and Component Champions showcased their products.
- 6. MHI along with applicant companies participated in the stakeholder meeting for all PLI Schemes which was organised by DPIIT, under chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister of Commerce and Industry on 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2024, at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi.
- 7. Under PLI ACC Scheme, site visit of OCTPL (Ola) and RNEBSL (Reliance) was carried out by Independent Engineer (IE) i.e. Engineers India Limited (EIL) on 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 and 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 respectively to review the progress.
- 8. Issue of GST concession certificate is one of the important services provided by MHI under its citizen's charter. In February, 2024, a total of 464 GST concession certificates were issued.
- 9. A Joint Venture (JV) Agreement between BHEL & Coal India Limited (CIL) was signed on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024, to jointly set up a Coal Gasification Project, utilizing BHEL's in-house developed PFBG Technology.

10.BHEL during the current financial year has booked order worth Rs. 60,300 Crores (all time high) up to February, 2024.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Kamran Rizvi)

Shri Rajiv Gauba, Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi.