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PRESS NOTE

Draft Defence Production and Export Promotion Policy 2020

In order to provide impetus to self-reliance in Defence manufacturing, multiple announcements were made under “ATMA NIRBHAR BHARAT PACKAGE”.

2. In order to provide an implementation framework to the above announcements and to position India amongst the leading countries of the world in Defence and Aerospace sectors, a draft Defence Production and Export Promotion Policy 2020 (DPEPP 2020) has been formulated. DPEPP 2020 is envisaged as MoD’s overarching guiding document to provide a focused, structured and significant thrust to defence production capabilities of the country for self-reliance and exports.

3. The policy has laid out following goals and objectives:

- 3.1 To achieve a turnover of Rs 1,75,000 Crores (US\$ 25Bn) including export of Rs 35,000 Crore (US\$ 5 Bn) in Aerospace and Defence goods and services by 2025.
- 3.2 To develop a dynamic, robust and competitive Defence industry, including Aerospace and Naval Shipbuilding industry to cater to the needs of Armed forces with quality products.
- 3.3 To reduce dependence on imports and take forward "Make in India" initiatives through domestic design and development.
- 3.4 To promote export of defence products and become part of the global defence value chains.
- 3.5 To create an environment that encourages R&D, rewards innovation, creates Indian IP ownership and promotes a robust and self-reliant defence industry.

4. The Policy brings out multiple strategies under the following FOCUS AREAS:

- 4.1 Procurement Reforms
- 4.2 Indigenization & Support to MSMEs/Startups
- 4.3 Optimize Resource Allocation
- 4.4 Investment Promotion, FDI & Ease of Doing Business
- 4.5 Innovation and R&D
- 4.6 DPSUs and OFB
- 4.7 Quality Assurance & Testing Infrastructure
- 4.8 Export Promotion

5. The draft DPEPP 2020 can be accessed at <https://ddpmod.gov.in/dpepp> or https://www.makeinindia.defence.gov.in/admin/webroot/writereaddata/upload/recentactivity/Draft_DPEPP_03.08.2020.pdf for public consultation and seeking inputs/comments from the stakeholders. Based on the comments received, the policy would be promulgated by the Ministry of Defence.

6. It is requested to kindly provide inputs/comments on the draft DPEPP 2020 latest by 17.08.2020 to the email id dirpnc-ddp@nic.in