

PRESS RELEASE

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▼ Naval Group in India contributes to the Indian Prime Minister's National Relief Fund (PMNRF)

On March 12th, Naval Group in India contributed to Prime Minister's National Relief Fund (PMNRF)*. This initiative's main objective is to participate to India's national effort and provide immediate relief and support to families affected by natural calamities.

A successful industrial cooperation in India

Naval Group in India's Chairman and Managing Director Rear Admiral RK Shrawat (Retd.) handed the contribution to Shri Agnikumar Das, Under Secretary, PMNRF Wing. Through its subsidiary, Naval Group, a global leader in naval defence and marine renewable energy brings support to victims hit by natural calamities and to the families of freedom fighters. For instance, this initiative creates new funding available for medical assistance.

Rear Admiral Shrawat (Retd.), Chairman and Managing Director of Naval Group in India noted: *"Naval Group in India is honoured to contribute to the Prime Minister's National Relief Fund (PMNRF). We belong to the Indian society as we work with the utmost dedication toward the complete self-reliance of Indian Navy. The submarines under P75 program of Kalvari class are being made in India by Mazagaon Dock Shipbuilders Limited and it allowed Indian teams to develop advanced and unique skills. Today, we build on this positive legacy and touch the heart of Indian society by bringing support to those in distress under the able guidance of our honourable Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi."*

Naval Group's commitment to the society

Social responsibility is deeply-rooted in Naval Group's corporate endeavours. With ten years presence in India, Naval Group and its subsidiary are participating to the empowerment of the Nation. "Make in India" has always been the core inspiration of Naval Group while working closely with its partner Mazagaon Dock Shipbuilders Limited and with its customer, the Indian Navy.

Last year, the company took part in the 'Clean Ganga Fund'. This year's donation to PMNRF is a step forward in Naval Group's contribution to the empowerment of Indian society. With this action, Naval Group participates in its own way to "Sankalp se Siddhi" (Pledge for New India), which express the vision of India

reaching the heights of success and development.

About Naval Group

Naval Group is a European leader in naval defence and a major player in marine renewable energies. As an international high-tech company, Naval Group uses its extraordinary know-how, unique industrial resources and capacity to arrange innovative strategic partnerships to meet its clients' requirements. The Group designs, builds and supports submarines and surface ships. It also supplies services to shipyards and naval bases. In addition, the Group offers a wide range of marine renewable energy solutions. Attentive to corporate social responsibility, Naval Group adheres to the United Nations Global Compact. The Group reports revenues of €3.2 billion and has a workforce of 12,800 employees (2016 data).

The company has been successfully providing Transfer of Technology to Indian shipyard Mazagaon Dock Shipbuilders Limited for P75 Program. The first of class, *INS Kalvari* was commissioned by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi into Indian Navy on 14 December 2017, the second in the series, *Khanderi* is undergoing sea trials, while the third one *Karanj* got launched on 31 January 2018 and will enter different phases of trails in coming weeks.

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About Naval Group in India

Naval Group in India is a 100 % owned subsidiary of Naval Group (previously DCNS), which is headquartered in Paris, France.

Established in September 2008 as DCNS India Pvt. Ltd., it has its presence in 2 major cities: Mumbai and New Delhi. The main purpose of Naval Group in India is to support the Indigenisation through 'Make in India' activities for Scorpene® submarine equipment; to develop the Indian defence eco-system, as well as to develop design services in India with talented Indian engineers.

The endeavour of Naval Group India is to be a visionary and to further its involvement in empowering more and more industries by creating a robust eco-system that can cater to the varied defence needs of the country.

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* Prime Minister's National Relief Fund, which was initially established in 1948. The funds are now utilised to provide emergency relief to families of those killed in natural calamities, victims of major accidents, riots and special cases of major medical treatment such as heart surgeries, kidney transplantation, cancer treatment and acid attack etc. with the approval, operation and guidance of the Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi.