

**PRESS RELEASE**

**BEL registers 46% growth in 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter**

Navratna Defence PSU Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) has achieved a Net Turnover of Rs. 2431.73 Cr, during the 2nd quarter of FY 2017-18, registering a growth of about 46%, over the Net Turnover of Rs. 1664.38 Cr recorded in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Profit Before Tax (PBT) during the 2nd quarter of FY 2017-18 stood at Rs. 587.03 Cr, registering a growth of about 26% over the Profit Before Tax (PBT) of Rs. 464.07 Cr recorded in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Profit After Tax (PAT) during the 2nd quarter of FY 2017-18 stood at Rs. 412.39 Cr, registering a growth of about 19% over the Profit After Tax (PAT) of Rs. 346.25 Cr recorded in the corresponding period of the previous year.

**Six months' period**

The Company has achieved a Net Turnover of Rs. 4126.28 Cr, up to First Half of the FY 2017-18, registering a growth of about 64% over the Net Turnover of Rs. 2518.69 Cr recorded in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Profit Before Tax (PBT) for the First half of FY 2017-18 stood at Rs. 766.30 Cr, registering a growth of about 49% over the Profit Before Tax (PBT) of Rs. 512.66 Cr recorded in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Profit After Tax (PAT) for the First half of FY 2017-18 stood at Rs. 537.71 Cr, registering a growth of about 41% over the Profit After Tax (PAT) of Rs. 382.34 Cr recorded in the corresponding period of the previous year.

The order book position of the company as on 1st October, 2017 stood at Rs. 41746 Cr.

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