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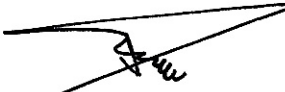
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CIRCULAR FOR DRONE WORKSHOP

1. Refer to DQA(WP) Circular 12575/DGQA/WP-TC dated 31 Jul 19 regarding conduct of Drone Workshop.
2. The workshop for firms involved in manufacture / testing of Drones and their sub-systems including payloads/weapons has been rescheduled to 21 Aug 19 instead of 09 Aug 19, and will be held at 1400hrs at DRDO Bhavan, New Delhi.
3. The Draft Notification, Guidelines and Expression of Interest for setting up Drone Testing Facility have been uploaded on the website vide circular mentioned ibid. All firms involved with manufacture / testing of Drones are requested to go through these documents. The workshop would discuss the following issues:-
 - (a) Testing facilities held. Tests presently being carried out in other laboratories.
 - (b) Test facilities required in the future.
 - (c) SPV formation and 25% contribution of project cost.
 - (d) Provisioning of Land.
 - (e) Bank guarantees for disbursement of Grant-in-aid.
 - (f) Any other relevant issues/ constraints envisaged.
4. All companies are requested to forward their inputs on issues at para 3 by 09 Aug 19 at the email address dqawp@navy.gov.in. They are also to forward following particulars of their representatives attending the workshop:-

<u>Sl</u>	<u>Name, Age</u>	<u>Company Name & Address</u>	<u>Company's Profile & Drone Portfolio</u>	<u>Telephone/ email add</u>

5. Inputs received from your organization would help in finalizing the Scheme at an early date. Thanking you.


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