

## MESSAGE FROM CMD LAUNCH OF P17A YARD 3024 (VINDHYAGIRI)

The Launch of Yard 3024 by our Hon'ble President Smt Droupadi Murmu shall be etched in the annals of GRSE as a red-letter event, considering that this is the first time the President of India has launched a warship. The momentous event also stands testimony to the shipbuilding prowess of our shipyard.

That the ship was launched with a high level of completion despite numerous challenges including the cascading effect of covid pandemic on supply chain reflects professionalism, perseverance and result-oriented approach of Team GRSE and all external stakeholders.

I congratulate the entire 'Team GRSE' on this commendable achievement. This is a defining moment for GRSE as we move forward towards our goal of being recognised as one of the best warship builders in the world. The good work must continue and we need to maintain delivery schedules for these Frigates, the ASW SWCs, Survey Vessels Large as well as the zero-emission ferry. At the same time, we will have to gear up to start construction of the Next Generation Offshore Patrol Vessels.

Team GRSE has put up a wonderful performance till now and I have no doubts that we will continue to lead the way in this sector.

Well Done Team GRSE.

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Jai Hind!

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Chairman & Managing Director

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