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Dear Sir/ Madam,

Sub: Updates- Press release by the Company

Please find enclosed herewith a press release of the Company.

This update is provided for the information to our stakeholders.

We request you to kindly take the above on record.

**Thanking you,
For Apollo Micro Systems Limited**

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PROGRAMME SNAPSHOT

AWARD TYPE	PROGRAMME SAVIOR-ASW Autonomous Vessel	CLIENT
Make-II Prototype Sanction Order		Indian Navy

Apollo Micro Systems Secures Make-II Prototype Sanction Order from Indian Navy for SAVIOR-ASW Autonomous Underwater Surveillance System

Company expands the autonomous maritime warfare domain with landmark indigenous defence contract

Apollo Micro Systems Limited (AMS) today announced that it has been awarded a Make-II Prototype Sanction Order (PSO) by the Indian Navy for the development of the **SAVIOR-ASW** the Semi-Submersible Autonomous Vessel for Intelligence, Operations and Reconnaissance. This award marks AMS's formal entry into the rapidly expanding domain of autonomous maritime and underwater warfare systems, and stands as one of the most significant indigenous defence technology milestones in the company's history.

What is the Make-II PSO?

The Make-II category is one of India's most progressive defence procurement pathways under the Defence Acquisition Procedure (DAP). Indian companies are invited to develop fully funded indigenous prototypes of advanced military systems with the Government committing to procure successful prototypes at scale. A Prototype Sanction Order is the formal green light to begin this development, backed by the full procurement intent from the Indian Navy.

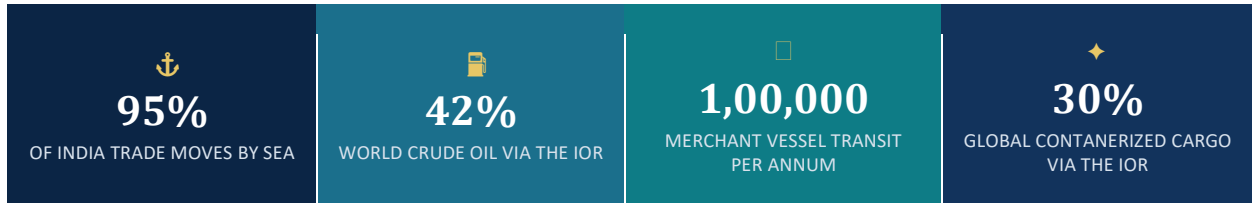
For Apollo Micro Systems, this PSO is more than a contract. It is the Indian Navy's formal endorsement of AMS as the company capable of designing and delivering a world-class autonomous maritime surveillance system entirely from Indian soil a true Atmanirbhar Bharat achievement in advanced defence technology.

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What is the SAVIOR-ASW System?

SAVIOR-ASW is India's first indigenously developed semi-submersible autonomous vessel designed specifically for Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW) surveillance. It is an unmanned, self-powered maritime platform, yet capable of patrolling the ocean independently for longer period. It operates silently beneath the sea surface, using a sophisticated hydrophone array to listen for submarines and underwater threats, and transmits intelligence continuously to Naval command centres ashore and aboard ships entirely without human presence onboard.

Why This Matters for India's Strategic Security?



The Indian Ocean lies at the heart of the Indian Ocean Region (IOR), one of the world's most strategically important maritime corridors and a vital artery of global commerce. Nearly 100,000 merchant vessels transit its waters each year, carrying around 30% of global containerized cargo and 42% of the world's crude oil traded from and within the region. The region is also home to several of the world's busiest ports and major shipping fleets, while its abundant marine and mineral resources further reinforce its economic importance. For India, the stakes are particularly high, about 95% of the country's trade by volume and nearly 68% by value is transported by sea. As the largest economy in the IOR, India has a critical interest in ensuring the security of key sea lanes and strategic chokepoints, where any disruption could have far-reaching economic and national security consequences. As submarine deployments and undersea threats continue to grow in the IOR, persistent underwater surveillance and anti-submarine warfare capabilities have become central to safeguarding India's maritime interests and ensuring the security of critical sea lanes and chokepoints.

The SAVIOR-ASW directly addresses this challenge: -

- SAVIOR-ASW provides persistent autonomous underwater surveillance, strengthening India's anti-submarine warfare (ASW) capabilities in the Indian Ocean Region.
- Conventional ASW frigates cost several thousand crore rupees to build and require substantial operating and maintenance expenditure over their service life. In contrast, autonomous unmanned platforms can deliver continuous surveillance at a fraction of the acquisition and operating cost keeping India's eyes and ears open beneath the waves.
- Instead of deploying expensive frontline warships for routine surveillance, a fleet of SAVIOR-ASW vessels can monitor vast maritime areas autonomously for extended periods, allowing high-value naval assets to focus on combat and strategic missions.
- Multiple autonomous platforms can be deployed simultaneously to provide wider underwater coverage than a limited number of manned warships, improving surveillance density without proportionally increasing costs.

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By combining persistent surveillance with lower operating costs, SAVIOR-ASW enables the Navy to enhance maritime domain awareness while optimizing capital allocation and reducing the total cost of ownership compared with relying solely on conventional ASW vessels.

Statement from the Managing Director

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The award of this Make-II Prototype Sanction Order from the Indian Navy is a defining moment for Apollo Micro Systems. We have spent years building deep capability in indigenous defence electronics and mission-critical systems. The SAVIOR-ASW programme is the culmination of that journey a statement of our conviction that India must own the technologies that protect its maritime boundaries. We are not simply building a product; we are contributing to India's sovereign capability to see, hear, and respond beneath the seas. At Apollo, we firmly believe the next frontier of warfare will be autonomous, intelligent, and networked and we are committed to ensuring India leads that transformation from the front. We have been contributing on underwater Warfare systems through DRDO Programmes and I take this platform as an opportunity to thank DRDO for giving us the knowledge and spirit to aspire to build such complex systems. I am also happy to share that many build blocks which form part of this critical technology are built and configured by Apollo Micro Systems Limited."

Mr. Baddam Karunakar Reddy | Managing Director, Apollo Micro Systems Limited

Market Opportunity and Business Potential

The global autonomous maritime systems market is among the fastest-growing segments in the worldwide defence industry. Apollo's addressable opportunity spans multiple customers and geographies. We estimate the overall potential of Autonomous Maritime Systems is \$10 Bn by 2032.

Note: Market estimates are indicative and based on publicly available information. Actual programme values are subject to Government procurement decisions

The Future of Autonomous Maritime Warfare — Apollo's Vision

The world's leading naval powers the United States, United Kingdom, Australia, and China are already deploying autonomous maritime systems as core components of their naval strategy. India stands at an inflection point: the choices made today in autonomous maritime technology will shape India's strategic advantage at sea for the next three decades. Apollo sees three powerful forces converging to define the future of sea power:

 AUTONOMOUS SWARMS	 AI-DRIVEN INTELLIGENCE	 PERSISTENT, AFFORDABLE PRESENCE
01 Fleets of intelligent unmanned vessels operating in coordinated groups, each sharing data and sensor coverage to create a real-time battlespace picture no single platform can achieve. SAVIOR-ASW is built ground-up for exactly this mode of operation.	02 The volume of acoustic and sensor data in modern maritime operations far exceeds what human analysts can process in real time. AI models like those embedded in SAVIOR-ASW are becoming the primary intelligence filter through which navies detect and respond to threats at machine speed.	03 Autonomous systems fundamentally change the economics of naval power months of continuous surveillance across wide ocean areas, at a fraction of the cost of a conventional warship, freeing high-value assets for their primary warfighting mission.

About Apollo Micro Systems Limited

Apollo Micro Systems Limited (NSE: APOLLO | BSE: 540879) is a 41-years-old pioneer in defence technology, specializes in the design, development, and manufacture of advanced electronic, electro-mechanical, and engineering systems. With multi-domain, multidisciplinary capabilities and robust infrastructure, the company is equipped to build cutting-edge defence technologies and produce them at scale for national strategic needs. Building upon capabilities of subsidiary companies, AMS as a group position itself as a Tier-I Original Equipment Design Cum manufacturer.

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