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HYDERABAD METRO RAIL BECOMES THE FIRST METRO TO PROVIDE ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

L&T Metro Rail (Hyderabad) Limited is happy to announce the provision of Electric Vehicle Charging Stations at Metro stations, along with its valued partner, Power Grid Corporation of India Limited. HMR becomes the first metro to provide Electric Vehicle Charging Stations.

This is a first of its kind initiative to promote Electric Vehicles (EVs) which are necessary for energy security and protecting climate change. Further, with Vehicle to Grid (V2G) concept, EVs can also help in stabilization of grid. With this adoption of EV, per capita electricity consumption shall improve substantially.

In our endeavour to reduce the Carbon footprint, LTMRHL has moved a step further and signed the Contract with POWERGRID to promote these Electric Vehicle Charging Stations for the first & last mile connectivity at Metro Stations. To start with, POWERGRID shall develop charging stations at Miyapur and Dr. B R Ambedkar Balanagar Metro Stations.

Mr. KVB Reddy, MD & CEO, LTMRHL stated, *“We are committed to provide best in class eco-friendly green Metro services to the citizens of Hyderabad and this is a step in that direction. The running cost is also considerably low compared to the vehicles run on fossil fuels. As India is aiming at high renewable energy penetration, channelizing this energy to EV, the net CO2 generation can be brought down to almost zero. I thank LTMRHL team and its partners, for making this happen.”*

POWERGRID shall subsequently develop EV charging stations across the entire Metro Corridors. To cater to the needs of currently available vehicle types, POWERGRID shall deploy Bharat Charger DC-001.

As market evolves POWERGRID shall deploy compatible chargers meeting international standards for all type of Electric Vehicles.

POWERGRID is also developing an App which shall help the consumer to locate and share the status of availability of the charging station and facilitate online payment towards EV Charging for seamless operation with least waiting time. These EV charging stations shall be monitored and operated remotely by Power Grid.



Bharat Charger DC-001



Mr. KVB Reddy, MD & CEO, LTMRHL and Mr. S. Ravi, General Manager (Power Grid) exchanging the signed agreement, also seen Mr. Anil Kumar Saini, COO, LTMRHL along with LTMRHL & Power Grid teams.

About L&T Metro Rail (Hyderabad) Limited:

L&T Metro Rail (Hyderabad) Limited is a subsidiary of Larsen & Toubro, an Indian multinational engaged in technology, engineering, construction, manufacturing and financial services with over USD 17 billion in revenue. It operates in over 30 countries worldwide. A strong, customer-focused approach and the constant quest for top-class quality have enabled L&T to attain and sustain leadership in its major lines of business for over seven decades.

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