

Press Release

NSIL signs Contract with HAL (lead member of HAL-L&T consortium) for production of 05 nos of PSLV-XL

As part of Space reforms announced by Govt. of India under “Unlocking India’s potential in Space sector”, NewSpace India Limited - NSIL [a CPSE under Department of Space], has been mandated to enable Indian Industries to scale up high-



technology manufacturing and production base for meeting the space needs of the country including production of launch vehicles.

As part of its mandate of productionizing ISRO’s Launch vehicles, NSIL undertook the activity of Production of five (5) nos. of Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle (PSLV-XL) through Indian Industry and selected HAL and L&T consortium for the same. NSIL has signed and exchanged the contract with HAL (lead member of HAL-L&T consortium) for the production of 05 nos of PSLV-XL on 5th Sep 2022 during Bengaluru Space Expo 2022.

As part of the contract, the first fully Industry produced PSLV-XL would roll out within 24 months and subsequently, the remaining 04 vehicles will be delivered every 6 months.

This is a historic milestone for NSIL, ISRO and the Indian space industry sector as this initiative would enable Indian Industry to undertake production of the workhorse launcher of ISRO on an End-to-End basis.

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