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PRESS RELEASE

Mr. Sankaralingam assumes office as MD, BGR Energy

Chennai, Sept 8, 2009: Mr. T. Sankaralingam, former Chairman and Managing Director of NTPC, has assumed office on Monday as Managing Director of BGR Energy Systems Limited ('BGR Energy'), the EPC Company for Power projects.

Mr. Sankaralingam holds a bachelor degree in Electrical Engineering from Regional Engineering College, Trichy (Tamil Nadu). He was the Member-Secretary of Indian Member Committee of the World Energy Council and Vice Chairman of the National Chapter of CIGRE (India), a Paris based Committee for International Council on Large Electric Systems.

Mr. Sankaralingam has several decades of experience at NTPC in different capacities, overseeing Planning, Design, Construction, Commissioning, Operations & Maintenance of Power Plants and Power Systems. He rendered services to efficient Power Companies in India viz., BHEL and TNEB. During his tenure in NTPC, he steered the country's largest Power generating Navratna PSU to newer heights by introducing various strategic initiatives.

"Its pleasure to lead a very vibrant Company which is witnessing high growth trajectory" - said Mr. Sankaralingam after assuming his office. He further stated-"my priority is to act as a catalyst for its fast-paced growth and achieve timely completion of Projects with clear focus on profitability."

Welcoming the new MD, Mr. B. G. Raghupathy, Chairman and Managing Director, observed that Mr. Sankaralingam's vast experience will add value and strength to the leadership of the company. "He has joined us at an appropriate time as the company marching ahead towards deep penetration into the Power sector in India."

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About BGR Energy Systems Limited:

BGR Energy carries on business in two segments as a manufacturer of Capital Goods and as an executor of Turnkey Engineering Projects.

- Capital Goods Design, Engineering, Manufacture and Supply of Hi-Tech Systems and Equipment for the Power, Oil & Gas, Refinery, Petrochemical and Process Industries.
- Turnkey Engineering Projects Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) and Balance of Plant (BOP) contracts for Power, Water and Infrastructure projects and LSTK contracts for Oil & Gas sector.

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