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PRESS RELEASE

Ex. NTPC CMD Mr. T. Sankaralingam to join BGR Energy

Chennai, Aug 17, 2009: BGR Energy Systems Limited ('BGR Energy'), the EPC Company for Power projects has appointed Mr. T. Sankaralingam as the Managing Director.

Mr. Sankaralingam was former Chairman and Managing Director of NTPC, the largest Navratna Power utility PSU in India. He is expected to join the Company in early September '09. His appointment on the Board of Directors and as Managing Director would be effective from the date Mr. Sankaralingam assumes his office in the Company.

Mr. Sankaralingam, 62, brings with him 34 years of rich hands-on experience in Planning, Design, Construction, Commissioning, Operations & Maintenance of Power Plants, Power Systems and Business Diversification. He has previously served the efficient Power Companies in India viz., BHEL and TNEB in different capacities.

A bachelor degree holder in Electrical Engineering from Regional Engineering College, Trichy (Tamil Nadu), Mr. Sankaralingam 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. As Chairman and Managing Director of NTPC, he enabled to realize the vision of the PSU to be an integrated Power major, powering India's growth. He was instrumental in introducing Supercritical Technology in the country and played pivotal role in opening World Energy Council's Centre of Energy Excellence in India.



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