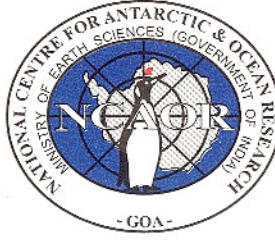


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**TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN**

1. National Centre for Antarctic and Ocean Research has appointed the consortium of M/s Grintex India Ltd and M/s Skipsteknisk AS as consultants for our Polar Research Vessel project. The vessel is envisaged to be a 132 meters long with 109 passengers (including 40 crew) with ice breaking (DNV PC-5 with DP-II) and state-of-art polar research capabilities.
2. We are pleased to state that the consultants have delivered the requisite deliverables as due till current stage i.e. Concept Design, RFP and Technical Specifications which have led to Global Tendering for the project.
3. This is being issued on the request of M/s Grintex India Ltd.

  
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