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4000th PC200-6 Hydraulic Excavator rolls out of LTK Works

Mumbai, June 26, 2007: On June 20, 2007, L&T-Komatsu Limited (LTK) crossed another landmark in the manufacture of PC200-6 hydraulic excavator with the handing over of the keys of the 4000th excavator.

PC200-6 has remained the most popular hydraulic excavator in the 20-tonne class in Indian market. Its performance, reliability and aesthetics are unmatched by other excavators in its class, and it is the most popular choice among excavators by customers in construction industry.

PC 200-6 hydraulic excavator was introduced to Indian market in January 1999. The 1000th machine rolled out 60 months after the launch; the 2000th, 20 months later; the 3000th machine in the next 13 months; better still the 4000th machine rolled out in a mere 8 months.

As a part of L&T's LAKSHYA initiative, the assembly line of PC200 has been designed on 'single-piece unidirectional-flow mode of equal Takt-Time'. The new hydraulic excavator assembly line has positioned LTK to meet the fast-growing demand for this model.

LTK is a joint venture with equal equity participation by L&T and Komatsu Asia Pacific Pte. Limited, Singapore -- a wholly owned subsidiary of Komatsu Limited, Japan.