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L&T CMD A. M. Naik conferred Danish Knighthood

Mumbai, February, 25, 2008: Mr. A.M. Naik, Chairman and Managing director of Larsen & Toubro Limited (L&T), has been appointed as Knight of the Order of the Dannebrog by Her Majesty Queen Margarethe of Denmark. The Knight Cross was formally presented to Mr. Naik by His Excellency the Ambassador of Denmark Mr. Ole Lansmann Poulsen in Mumbai today.

Mr. Naik is the Honorary Consul General of Denmark in Mumbai.

Accepting the honour, Mr. Naik said, "I am proud that this honour has come at a significant moment: this is a landmark year for L&T as the company has completed 70 years since its formation, and we are also celebrating the birth centenary of L&T's co-founder, Mr. Henning Holck-Larsen".

Mr. Naik reiterated the close ties between L&T and Denmark and also spoke about the contribution of L&T's Danish founders in laying the building blocks of what has become one of the most admired corporate entities in India today.

L&T will continue to play an important role in furthering economic and cultural ties between Denmark and India, Mr. Naik said.
