



# APL Apollo Tubes Limited

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## APL Apollo receives 2 more Designs Patents

*Continuous focus on product innovation to expand addressable market*

**New Delhi, January 11, 2016:** APL Apollo Tubes Limited (APL Apollo), India's leading branded steel tubes manufacturer, today announced that it recently received patents from the Indian Patent Office for two new product designs. This is in addition to the four Hollow Section design patents received last month. The Company now holds 8 design patents in total.

The patents cover the shapes and configuration of 'window frame' and 'metal tube' products. The cutting-edge designs will hold a patent for a period of 10 years, with a facility to further extend it for an additional period of 5 years.

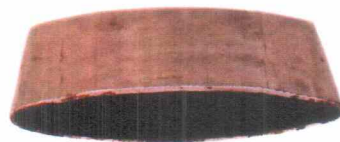
*Commenting on the development, Mr. Sanjay Gupta, Chairman of the Company said, "We are extremely delighted to receive design patents for two more of our product categories, which is in succession to four hollow section patents received last month.*

*Over the last few years, concerted efforts have enabled us to shift from a commodity to a more value-added Branded product. Currently, over 70% of the total product portfolio comprises of niche value-added products which have limited competition. With over 400 varieties, 8 design patents and continuous technology adoption, our product basket is one of the most differentiated and largest in the domestic industry further cementing our leadership position."*

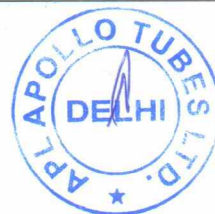
### Patents Details - 2 New Designs



Window Frame



Elliptical Tube



## About APL Apollo Tubes Limited

**APL Apollo Tubes Limited (APL Apollo) [BSE: 533758, NSE: APLAPOLLO]** is India's Leading Branded Steel Tubes Manufacturer. Headquartered at Delhi NCR, the Company operates six manufacturing facilities with a total capacity of 1.3 Million TPA. It has a PAN-Indian presence with units strategically located in Sikandarabad (3 units), Bangalore, Hosur and Murbad. APL Apollo's multi-product offerings include over 400 varieties of Hollow Sections, Pre-galvanized Tubes (GP), Round Pipes (Black), Galvanized Tubes (GI) and Special Value-Added Products.

With state-of-the-art-manufacturing facilities, APL Apollo serves as a 'one-stop shop' for a wide spectrum of steel products, catering to an array of industry applications such as urban infrastructures, automobile, construction, housing, energy, irrigation, solar plants, greenhouses and engineering. The Company's vast 3-tier distribution network of over 600 dealers is spread all across India, with warehouses cum- branch offices in over 20 cities.

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