



## Inauguration of the state-of-the-art Airbag plant, Rane TRW Chennai



**CHENNAI, August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015** – Rane TRW Steering Systems Private limited - Occupant Safety Division, a 50:50 joint venture between Rane group and ZF TRW, inaugurated its state-of-the-art Airbag manufacturing plant located adjacent to its Seatbelt plant in Singaperumal Koil, Chennai. The plant was formally inaugurated today by Mr. Nigel Harris, Managing Director and President, Ford India.

The two facilities are located in the same campus, one dedicated to Seatbelts which is operational since 1997 and the other for Airbags which was launched today. Both the plants have around 450 employees and are located a few kilometers from the Ford plant.

In India, Rane TRW's Occupant Safety Division, which manufactures Seatbelts and Airbags, caters to key customers including, Ford India, Renault Nissan, Mahindra & Mahindra, Maruti Suzuki India, Tata Motors, Ashok Leyland, Daimler India Commercial Vehicles. The company exports nearly 15 percent of its Seatbelts volumes to Brazil, Colombia, Vietnam, Thailand and so on.

Commenting on the inauguration, **Mr. Harish Lakshman, Managing Director, Rane TRW**, said, "With the Government of India promoting Occupant Safety/Road Safety to significantly reduce fatalities, we expect the auto Industry in the country to introduce passive safety technologies to meet these regulations. The commissioning of this new facility demonstrates the company's commitment to support technology evolution in the passenger vehicles. We anticipate exponential growth in the application of frontal airbags over the next decade and Rane TRW will be well positioned to support both Global OEMs and Domestic OEMs located in India with their growth aspirations to bring in these technologies to their vehicles."

The Airbag plant, which covers an area of 1800 square meters, will assemble driver and passenger Airbag modules. The plant will have an installed capacity to produce around 500,000 Airbags initially with sufficient space to expand as the market grows in the future.

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## **Rane & ZF to make airbags at Singaperumal, Chennai**

**Chennai:** Rane TRW Steering Systems Private limited — Occupant Safety Division, a 50:50 joint venture between Rane group and ZF TRW, on Monday inaugurated its airbag manufacturing plant located adjacent to its seatbelt plant at Singaperumal Koil in Chennai. The airbag plant,

which covers an area of 1800 square meters, will assemble driver and passenger airbag modules.

The plant will have an installed capacity to produce around 5 lakh airbags initially with sufficient space to expand as the market grows in the future.

## **FIRST AIRBAG MANUFACTURING PLANT IN CITY**

**DC CORRESPONDENT**  
CHENNAI AUG. 24

In a first, a state-of-the-art airbag manufacturing plant, a joint venture by Rane group and ZF TRW was inaugurated on Monday. The plant inaugurated by Nigel Harris, managing director and president, Ford India, is located adjacent to Rane TRW's Seatbelt plant in Singaperumal Koil, Chennai.

Both the Seatbelt and the Airbag plant have around 450 employees and are located a few kilometres away from the Ford plant. On the occasion, Harish Lakshman, MD, Rane TRW said "Since the government is promoting road safety, we anticipate exponential growth in the application of frontal airbags over the next decade."



## Rane TRW opens ₹18-cr unit to make airbags

**OUR BUREAU**

Chennai, August 24

Automobile components manufacturer Rane TRW Steering Systems has expanded its product base with the inauguration of an airbag manufacturing plant.

The company's Occupant Safety Division, which makes automobile seat belts, has now added airbags to its product range with the for-

mal commissioning of the factory about 40 km south of Chennai today.

Harish Lakshman, Managing Director, Rane TRW Steering Systems, said the ₹18-crore factory with a capacity to assemble 500,000 airbags for driver and passenger side has completed trial production.

The capacity will be doubled in the next two years, he

said. Rane TRW is ideally positioned to tap into the growing demand for the safety features as India starts making airbags mandatory in new cars from October 2017 and in phases making it compulsory for all cars by 2020.

Leading automobile manufacturers such as Mahindra & Mahindra and Ford, and recently, Renault are Rane TRW's customers for airbags.

The factory has generated about 50-60 jobs and the number will nearly double with the growth in capacity.

Both the seatbelt and airbag units will benefit from the legislations that enhance passenger safety standards in vehicles.

The seat belt factory makes about three million units a year and caters to domestic and international markets.

# Rane Group sets up new plant for airbags

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Chennai

RANE TRW Steering Systems, a joint venture between auto component-focussed Rane Group and ZF TRW, has established a new manufacturing facility for airbags used in passenger cars. The new plant, set up by the 'occupant safety division' of the company was inaugurated on Monday and it has come up adjacent to its existing 'seatbelt' plant at Singapuramalkoil near Chennai.

"With India government promoting occupant safety and road safety to significantly reduce fatalities in road accidents, we expect the auto industry in the country to introduce passive safety technologies to meet these regulations. We anticipate exponential growth in the application of frontal airbags over the next decade and we are well positioned to support both global and domestic OEMs located in India," Harish Lakshman, managing director, Rane TRW told reporters here on Mon-

## Gearing up

■ The new plant, has come up adjacent to its existing 'seatbelt' plant near Chennai

■ The company will start supplying airbags, manufactured at the new plant, to M&M and Ford

day. According to him, the company has invested Rs 18 crore in the initial phase for the airbag plant, which has come up over an extent of 18,000 sq ft. "The plant will have an initial capacity of making five lakh pieces of frontal airbags, both driver and the passenger side, per annum. We will eventually expand the capacity to a million units per annum in two years," he said.

He said, as per the government's guidelines, all new car models launched from October, 2017 should compulsorily have airbags fitted in them. The same will become mandatory for all cars sold from the beginning of 2020. "We expect about 50 per cent of cars sold in India after October,

2017 to have airbags and 100 per cent from 2020," Lakshman said.

The company will initially be importing the parts, while its JV partner TRW will supply the inflators. "There is an 100 per cent import duty on this at present. By assembling them here, there is a certain value add and due to that there will be a significant reduction in costs," he explained. "We are working on the localisation and will eventually achieve that, except may be certain critical components of the system," he added.

The company will start supplying airbags, manufactured at the new plant, to Mahindra and Ford. And soon after, start supplies to Renault, besides looking at other opportunities later.

The company had established a seatbelt making facility in 1997. It has been exporting seatbelts to the overseas market for quite some years, besides supplies to global and domestic OEMs, located in India.

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## **Rane TRW Steering sets up airbag plant**

**fe Bureau**

**Chennai, Aug 24:** Rane TRW Steering Systems, a 50:50 JV between auto parts major Rane group and ZF TRW, a global steering and other auto parts major, has set up an assembly plant for airbags. The plant has an initial capacity of five lakh units per annum and would be expanded to one million by the end of this fiscal, said Harish Lakshman, the managing director, Rane TRW Steering Systems.

TRW, the global leader in airbag inflators, the main raw material, will support assembling airbags with imports from Germany and China. With three customers in hand—Ford India, Mahindra & Mahindra and Renault—the company sees huge demand for airbags in India going forward. "With the government legislation make it mandatory for all the new cars introduced effective October 2017 to have two airbags at the front side—driver and passenger—the demand for the same set to zoom in the months to come. We are in talks with other OEMs and hope to sign deals with them in the near future," Lakshman added. "Currently 30% of the new cars produced come with the airbags and by 2017 it will become 50% and by 2020 we see 100%. We see the adaptation of airbags will be much faster than expected."

# Rane joint venture's airbag facility on stream

G.Balachandar

**CHENNAI:** Rane TRW Steering Systems (RTSS), an equal joint venture between Rane Group and ZF TRW, a global leader in automotive safety products, has commissioned a new facility to manufacture airbags for passenger vehicles. The Rs.18 crore unit has come up at Singaperumalkoil near Chennai and will have an initial capacity of five lakh units a year. However, it is expected to reach a million units in two years time. The new airbag facility will initially be an assembly one, but the company expects to achieve significant localisation, except the inflator, in a year's time.

It has created about 60 new jobs and it will add 40 more in

a couple of years. The cost of an airbag is estimated at Rs.1,800-Rs.2,500 excluding control systems and others.

"The government has said dual airbags are must in any new vehicle to be launched after October 2017. Also, airbags are going to be mandatory in all vehicles by 2020. Thus, we expect the adoption of airbags to be faster in the coming months," Harish Lakshman, Managing Director, RTSS, during the inauguration of the plant on Monday. Alexander Heilig, Director of Steering Wheel Systems & Driver Airbag, ZF TRW said RTSS was accounting for about 30 per cent of the airbag production in India and the company would aim to supply a third of the market in the future.

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### 1. **Rane** joint venture's airbag facility on stream

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Business Standard - Aug 24, 2015

**Rane** TRW Steering Systems Pvt Ltd, a 50:50 joint venture between **Rane** Group and ZF TRW, launched an airbag production plant in Chennai, in order to address the expected market demand, once government regulations fall in place in October 2017.

[http://www.business-standard.com/article/companies/rane-trw-steering-systems-launches-new-airbag-production-plant-115082400729\\_1.html](http://www.business-standard.com/article/companies/rane-trw-steering-systems-launches-new-airbag-production-plant-115082400729_1.html)

### 6. **Rane** TRW Steering launches airbag manufacturing unit in Chennai

Livemint - Aug 24, 2015

The launch of airbags by **Rane** TRW Steering Systems comes a few months after the recall of cars by Honda Motor Co.'s Indian unit and others due to defective airbags supplied by Takata Corp. In May, the Japanese airbag manufacturer admitted that its ...

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#### 7. **RANE TRW opens airbag facility in TN**

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#### 10. **Rane Group sets up new plant for airbags**

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<http://www.mydigitalfc.com/companies/rane-group-sets-new-plant-airbags-804>

#### 11. **Rane TRW inaugurates new airbag plant in Chennai**

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<http://www.team-bhp.com/news/rane-trw-inaugurates-new-airbag-plant-chennai>

#### 12. **Rane TRW Airbag Plant inaugurated by Nigel Harris**

RushLane (blog) - Aug 24, 2015

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By T Murrall

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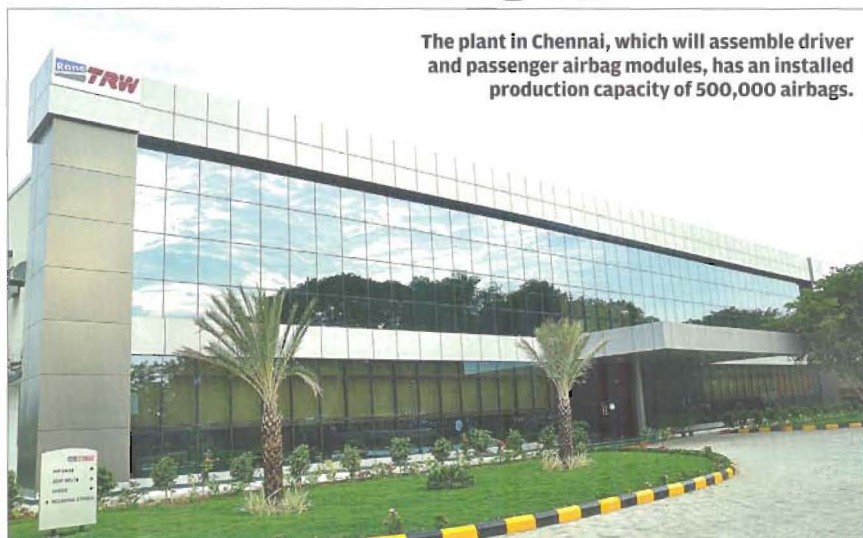
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# Rane TRW opens new airbag plant

The plant in Chennai, which will assemble driver and passenger airbag modules, has an installed production capacity of 500,000 airbags.



By Kiran Bajad

The Occupant Safety Division of Rane TRW Steering Systems, the 50:50 JV between the Rane Group and ZF TRW, has opened an airbag manufacturing plant located adjacent to its seatbelt plant near Chennai. The seatbelt plant began operations in 1997.

The spanking new plant, located close to key customer Ford India, also supplies to Mahindra & Mahindra. Supplies will soon start to Renault-Nissan Automotive India. The Rs 18 crore airbag plant, spread across 1,800 square metres, will assemble driver and passenger airbag modules. The plant will have an installed capacity to produce around 500,000 airbags; capacity will gradually be scaled up to a million airbags in the next two years.

Speaking about the new plant, Harish Lakshman, MD, Rane TRW, said, "With the government promoting occupant safety and road safety

to significantly reduce fatalities, we expect the auto industry in the country to introduce passive safety technologies to meet these regulations. We anticipate exponential growth in the application of frontal airbags over the next decade and Rane TRW will be well positioned to support both global and domestic OEMs located in India to bring in these technologies to their vehicles."

## AIRBAG DEMAND SET FOR RAPID GROWTH IN INDIA

As per the government's mandatory norms, from October 2017 onwards every new passenger car model launched in the country will have to be equipped with driver and passenger airbags. Currently, only about 30 percent of the cars sold in India have airbags; it is estimated that after October 2017, nearly 50 percent cars sold in India will have airbags and the number will touch 100 percent by 2020.

In India, Rane TRW's Occupant Safety Division, which manufactures seatbelts and airbags, caters to key customers including Ford India, Renault Nissan, Mahindra & Mahindra, Maruti Suzuki India, Tata Motors, Ashok Leyland, and Daimler India Commercial Vehicles. The company exports nearly 15 percent of its seatbelt volumes to Brazil, Colombia, Vietnam and Thailand. The seatbelts division has an installed capacity of 3 million seatbelts with utilisation levels of 70-75 percent.

The Rane TRW JV, which has two divisions -- steering gear and occupant safety -- operates from five manufacturing locations. The company also manufactures steering gear for commercial vehicles in India. New business is coming its way from new vehicle platforms; 70 percent of revenue comes from steering gear division and 30 percent from the occupant safety division.



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## Toyota first OEM in India to drive online purchase of genuine spares

TOYOTA KIRLOSKAR MOTOR (TKM) has launched an online portal – [www.toyotapartsconnect.in](http://www.toyotapartsconnect.in) – to facilitate the distribution of its genuine spare parts and genuine accessories to the retail market. Varied and extensive search options along with multiple check points make finding the right spare part an easy affair along with selecting the nearest Toyota authorised dealer/distributor for delivery of spare parts or accessories.

A basic parts fitment instruction manual for key parts is also provided. TKM says Toyota's core competency of lean inventory management and Just in Time have been adopted to cater to customers. The company currently supplies spare parts twice a day to all the metro cities with an efficient supply system and logistics network. Toyota claims it is one of the best in the industry with around 98.5 percent supply rate of spare parts.

Initially around 400 Toyota genuine spare parts such as brake pads, clutch plates, wiper blades, oil filters, air filters

in addition to around 30 Toyota genuine accessories will be sold through the online channel by the parts distributors. In the first phase of launch, this service will be available in Bangalore and later will be expanded to other cities.

Commenting on the online parts platform, Shekar Viswanathan, vice-chairman and whole-time director, TKM, said: "We are very keen to spearhead this unique initiative of launching the digital platform for our customers, which is a first of its kind in the industry. Indian digital commerce is growing at a fast pace with the rapid penetration of internet access and increasing shift to smartphones, tablets and laptops. Toyota strongly believes in bringing newness to its products and services continuously incorporating customer feedback and addressing the changing customer requirements. In the first phase, customers across Bangalore will now be able to shop for all their Toyota car and care needs with ease and convenience of the digital platform. We will be expanding this to the other cities in due course."



# Rane TRW's new state-of-the-art airbag plant in Chennai inaugurated



Mr. Nigel Harris, Managing Director and President, Ford India, addressing the gathering at the inauguration of Rane TRW's new airbag plant in Chennai. The others (from left) are Mr. B. Ayyappan, Sr. Vice President-Occupant Safety Division, Rane TRW, Mr. Alexander Heilig, Director – Product Line, Global Steering Wheel Systems, ZF TRW, Mr. L. Ganesh, Chairman, Rane Group, Mr. Harish Lakshman, Managing Director, and Mr. G. Parthipan, President, Rane TRW.

Rane TRW Steering Systems Pvt. Ltd., a 50:50 joint venture between the Rane Group and ZF TRW, has opened its state-of-the-art airbag manufacturing plant located adjacent to its seatbelt plant at Singaperumal Koil near Chennai. The plant was formally inaugurated on August 24 by Mr. Nigel Harris, Managing Director and President, Ford India.

The new facility coming under the Rane-TRW's Occupant Safety Division is located in the same campus as the company's existing one dedicated to seatbelts operational since 1997, with both plants having a total workforce of around 450 employees.

In India, Rane TRW's Occupant Safety Division manufactures seatbelts and airbags, catering to key customers,

including Ford India, Renault Nissan, Mahindra & Mahindra, Maruti Suzuki India, Tata Motors, Ashok Leyland and Daimler India Commercial Vehicles. The company exports nearly 15 per cent of its seatbelt volumes to Brazil, Colombia, Vietnam and Thailand, among other countries.

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Rane TRW is currently working to localize the airbag

components to improve its competitiveness in a highly cost-conscious market like India. "We basically plan to have a lot of local content in our airbags in India, moving forward. Only the inflator, being the most critical part of the airbag, will still be sourced from ZF-TRW outside of India. We have around 30 per cent share in the Indian

airbag market and are eyeing a minimum one-third share in future", said Mr. Alexander Heilig, Director – Product Line, Global Steering Wheel Systems, ZF TRW, while addressing the media.

ZF-TRW manufactures inflators at its facilities in Germany, North America and China and holds nearly 17 per cent share in the airbag market

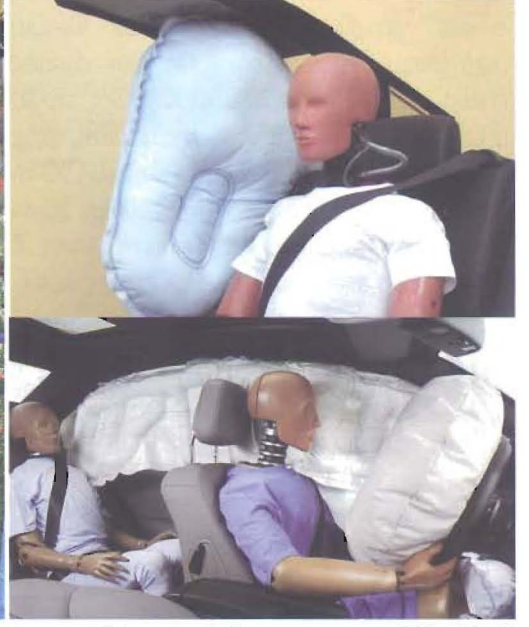
in Asia Pacific.

Apart from occupant safety systems, Rane TRW is also a major player in steering systems which contribute to around 70 per cent of the company's turnover at present. As a preferred supplier of hydraulic power steering systems to many leading vehicle manufacturers, the company expects the technology to be adopted by an increasing number of vehicle segments in the country in future.

"We expect the recovery in the M&HCV segment to continue and that it will aid the growth of our steering business. In addition, an increasing number of LCVs and SCVs will slowly start migrating to power steering, similar to what happened in trucks and cars, and we expect this trend to boost sales for our steering systems", added Mr. Lakshman.







ஆட்டோமோடிவ் பாதுகாப்பு சாதனங்கள் தயாரிப்பதில் உலகளவில் முன்னோடியான ZF TRW நிர்வாகமும் இந்தியாவில் உள்ள பிரபல ஆட்டோமொபைல் சாதனங்கள் தயாரிக்கும் ரானே குழுமத்தினைச் சார்ந்த ரானே TRW ஸ்டீயரிங் சிஸ்டம்ஸ்(RTSS) சம அளவுமுறையில் கூட்டுத் தயாரிப்பை மேற்கொண்டுள்ளனர். இவர்கள் பயணிகள் வாகனங்களுக்குத் தேவையான முக்கிய பாதுகாப்பு அம்சமான ஏர்பேக்குகள் தயாரிக்கும் புதிய தொழிலகம் ஒன்றினை துவக்கியுள்ளார். ரூ.18 கோடிகள் முதலீடுகள் மேற்கொள்ளப்பட்டுள்ள இந்த தொழிலகம் சென்னை அருகாமையில் சிங்கப்பெருமாள்கோயில் என்கிற இடத்தில் நிர்மானிக்கப்படுகின்றன. ஆரம்ப நிலையில் ஐந்து லட்சம் யூனிட்கள் சாதனம் தயாரிக்கும் திறன் உள்ளதாக தொழிலகம் அமைந்திடும். இருப்பினும் இரண்டு வருட காலத்தினில் ஒரு மில்லியன் யூனிட்கள் தயாரிக்கும் வகையில் வசதிகள் மேன்மைபடுத்தப்படும். இந்த புதிய ஏர்பேக் தயாரிப்புக் கூடத்தில் முதலில் ஆரம்ப நிலையில் அசெம்பிளி செய்வதாக இருக்கும். இதனில் இன்பிளேட்ர தவிர இதர பாகங்கள் உள்நாட்டு தயாரிப்பு சாதனங்களாகவே இருக்கும். ஓர் ஆண்டு வரையில் இவ்வாறாக இருக்கும் என கம்பெனியார் எதிர்பார்க்கிறார்கள். இத்தயாரிப்புக் கூடம் சுமார் 1800 ஸ்கெயர் மீட்டர் பரப்பளவில் இருக்கும். இதுவரை சுமார் 60 நபர்களுக்கு வேலைவாய்ப்பு வழங்கப்பட்டுள்ளன. மேலும் 40 நபர்களுக்கு வேலைவாய்ப்பு வழங்கப்படும். ஓர் ஏர்பேக்கின் விலை ரூ.1800 முதல் ரூ. 2500 வரை இருக்கலாம் என நிர்ணயிக்கப்பட்டுள்ளது. கண்ட்ரோல் சிஸ்டம் மற்றும் பல சாதனங்களின் விலை இதனில் அடங்கவில்லை என்கின்றனர். அரசாங்கம் தெரிவிப்பது என்னவெனில் அக்டோபர் 2017க்குப் பிறகு தயாரிக்கப்பட்டு வெளிவரும் எல்லா புதிய கார்களிலும் இரு ஏர் பேக்குகள் அவசியம் இருக்க வேண்டும் என்கின்றன. வரும் 2020 வருடத்திற்குள் அனைத்து வாகனங்களில் ஏர்பேக் அமைப்பது கட்டாயமாகும். எனவே இந்த ஏர்பேக்கினை விரைவினில் வெளியிட உத்தேசித்துள்ளோம். என ரானே TRW ஸ்டீயரிங் சிஸ்டம் நிர்வாக இயக்குனர் ஹரிஷ் லக்ஷ்மன் கூறுகிறார். சமீபத்தில் இந்த தொழிற்சாலையை போட்டு இந்தியா நிறுவனத்தின் நிர்வாக இயக்குனர் அவர்கள் துவக்கிவைத்தார். ZF TRW டைரக்டர் ஆப் ஸ்டீயரிங் வீல் சிஸ்டம் & டிரைவர் ஏர்பேக்கின் அலெக்சாந்தர் ஹேய்லிக் தெரிவித்ததாவது இந்தியாவில் ஏர்பேக் தயாரிப்பதில் RTSS-ன் பங்கு 30 சதவீதமாக இருக்கும். இந்தியச் சந்தையினில் முன்னில் ஒரு பங்கு தேவையினை இக்கம்பெனி சப்ளை செய்திடும் என நம்பிக்கையுடன் உள்ளோம் என்றார்.

