

The Aatmanirbhar Bharat Show



A review of Aero India 2021

HAL's Aatmanirbhar Formation Flight

Photo: Angad Singh

The 3rd edition of the Aero India Show was formally inaugurated by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh at AFS Yelahanka on the morning of 3 February 2021. During his speech, the Minister commended the organisation of this biennial event “amidst challenges brought about by Covid-19” and

added that owing to restrictions, Aero India 2021 “would be a purely business event and there would be no public days”.

Present at the Aero India 2021 Show were Chief of Defence Staff General Bipin Rawat, CAS Air Chief Marshal Rakesh Kumar Singh Bhadauria, COAS General

MM Naravane, CNS Admiral Karambir Singh, Defence Secretary Dr Ajay Kumar, Secretary, Department of Defence R&D and Chairman, DRDO Dr G Satheesh Reddy and the Civil Aviation Secretary Mr. Pradeep Singh Kharola. (seen on the dias in the photo below).

