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## Centre gets 32 applications for design-led telecom PLI scheme

The Ministry of Communications has received 32 applications for Design-led PLI scheme, it said on Friday. The design-led PLI, launched in June, gives additional incentive of 1 per cent over and above the existing incentives for products that are designed in India. A total of 32 companies (22 MSMEs, 5 non-MSME domestic and 5 global) have submitted applications; 17 of these firms have applied as design-led manufacturers.

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