

## Monthly Exception Report – August 2024 NSGM Project Management Unit

## A. NSGM Smart Grid Projects

- 1. **JVVNL**, **Rajasthan:** Project O&M commenced from 1<sup>st</sup> November 2023. The project was completed with 1,45,343 Smart Meters and final tranche grant released in March 2024. JVVNL submitted DRC approval/recommendations for JVVNL Smart Grid Project sanctioned under NSGM.
- 2. **CED Chandigarh (Sub-Division 5)**: All Smart Meters as per surveyed quantity (24,214) installed in field. O&M of already installed meters commenced from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2023. Balance 61 nos. Smart Feeder Meters deployment activity being taken up in O&M period.

Updated status of all projects can be accessed at <a href="https://www.nsqm.gov.in/en/sq-status">https://www.nsqm.gov.in/en/sq-status</a>

## **B.** Meetings & Activities:

- 1. A meeting was held under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (Distribution) to discuss the issues and way forward for National Smart Grid Mission on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2024 at Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 2. A virtual meeting was held with CSIRT-Power regarding strengthening of NSGM website on 6<sup>th</sup> August 2024.
- 3. Director, NPMU participated/deliberated in the meeting with Asian Development Bank (ADB) and concerned stakeholders held on 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 2024 under JS (D) to discuss additional workstream for Technical Assistance (TA) under 4401-IND: Power Sector Reform Program (Subprogram 1).
- 4. Director NPMU delivered a special address in the National Stakeholder Consultation Workshop on "Advancing Building-Grid Integration in India" organized by USAID on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024 at India Habitat Center, New Delhi.
- 5. CGM NPMU participated as a panelist on "Promising Opportunities for Improving Building-Grid Integration in India" in the roundtable discussion during the National Stakeholder Consultation Workshop on "Advancing Building-Grid Integration in India" held on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024 at India Habitat Center, New Delhi.
- 6. As of August 2024, more than 1.32 Crores smart meters were deployed in various locations as per data collated by EGSM from Nodal Agencies (viz. PFC and REC) and hosted at dashboards developed and maintained om NSGM website at <a href="https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/state-wise-map">https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/state-wise-map</a> and <a href="https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/sm-stats-all">https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/state-wise-map</a> and <a href="https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/sm-stats-all">https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/sm-stats-all</a>.

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