

Monthly Exception Report – June 2021
NSGM Project Management Unit

A. NSGM Smart Grid Projects

1. **JVVNL, Rajasthan:** Till date 23,675 Smart Meters installed in field. Installation of balance meters is in progress.
2. **CED Chandigarh (Sub-Division 5):** Till date 9,443 single phase Smart Meters installed in field. Installation of balance meters is in progress.
3. **CED, Chandigarh (Complete City ex. SD-5):** Revised sanction for AMI / Smart Metering at Complete Chandigarh City is under concurrence/approval at MoP.

* The updated status of all projects can be accessed at <https://nsgm.gov.in/en/sg-status>

B. Meetings & Activities:

1. Meetings held under Chairmanship of Secretary (Power):
 - Smart Metering/AMI project for Complete Chandigarh (excl. SD5) on 1st June 2021
 - 6th meeting of Empowered Committee of NSGM on 7th June 2021
 - Cost Benefit Analysis (CBA) of Smart Metering/ Smart Grid projects on 14th June 2021
 - Review of installation progress of Smart Meters by EESL in States on 16th June 2021
 - Director NPMU participated in:
 - DPIIT workshop with Ministry of Power on Setting up a new Incubator- with focus on AI & Big Data on 18 June
 - Review (Virtual) of U.S.-India collaborative for smart distribution System with Storage – (UI-ASSIST) Project held on 23 June 2021
 - Digital Demand Driven Electricity Networks (3DEN) initiative Consultative Group Meeting on 25 June
2. Meeting held with IIT Hyderabad regarding timelines for standardized API development for energy data and associated activities on 11th June 2021.
3. Review meetings held with Telangana and Tripura regarding closure of respective pilot projects on 21st and 22nd June 2021 respectively.
4. Series of meetings held under Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (Distribution) with multiple stakeholders viz. BEE, REC/RECPDCL, PFC, CEA on finalization of MIS formats for program implementation, standard bidding documents changes, R&R, legal framework and Energy Accounting by utilities with respect to Smart Pre-paid Metering initiative.
5. EFC for NSGM extension in revised format as per DoE OM dated 8th December 2020 submitted to MoP on 25th June 2021.
6. Review meeting held under Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (Distribution) on the progress of installation of Smart Meters by EESL in States on 28th June 2021.
7. NPMU team visited UGVCL, Gujarat on 29th and 30th June 2021 for further insight on impact study/CBA i.r.o Naroda Smart Grid Pilot project along with team from RECPDCL.


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