



## Monthly Exception Report – May 2021

### NSGM Project Management Unit

#### A. NSGM Smart Grid Projects

1. **JVVNL, Rajasthan:** Till date 20,472 Smart Meters installed in field. Installation of balance meters is in progress.
2. **CED Chandigarh (Sub-Division 5):** Till date 8,571 phase Smart Meters installed in field. Tender for replacement/installation of 3-ph Smart Meter boxes opened on 17.05.2021.
3. **OPTCL, Odisha:** OPTCL decided to drop the project as per Odisha DRC decision.

#### B. Smart Grid Pilot Projects

1. **APDCL, Assam:** Final instalment of MoP share sanctioned.

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

#### C. Meetings & Activities:

1. Meeting held under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (Distribution) to evaluate continuity of Ranchi and Rourkela projects on 7<sup>th</sup> May 2021 through Microsoft Teams.
2. Meeting held with JBVNL on implementation strategy and service level agreement modalities for Ranchi project on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2021.
3. Review of NSGM Smart Grid Projects held under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Power) on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2021 through Microsoft Teams.
4. Meeting held with POWERGRID, KPMG and tool development teams on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2021 to review hosting of SGR-SAT and CBA tools on POWERGRID server.
5. NPMU officials participated in online training program on "Selection of Final Distribution Products" organized by Central Board of Irrigation & Power (CBIP) in association with L&T Electrical & Automation, STC, Pune on 27-28<sup>th</sup> May 2021.
6. Sr. GM, NPMU delivered presentation on "Smart Grids - Present and forthcoming challenges from large scale integration of Renewable Energy for Grid stability and Grid balancing" on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2021 during the first meeting of BRICS Committee of Senior Energy Officials held on 20-21<sup>st</sup> May 2021.

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