

## Monthly Exception Report – September 2024

### NSGM Project Management Unit

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#### 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. JVVNL submitted final tranche grant Utilization Certificate.
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. Inspection call raised by vendor for smart feeder meters.

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

#### B. Meetings & Activities:

1. Smart Distribution DPRs for Kanpur & Noida approved in 41<sup>st</sup> Monitoring Committee Meeting of RDSS held under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Power) on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2024.
2. IITH presented brief demo on the APIs developed for sharing consumer data with third party developer applications on 10<sup>th</sup> September 2024 wherein integration of data from JVVNL project was presented. Further, data from Chandigarh NSGM project was shared with Project Investigator for further testing/integration on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024.
3. An online meeting was taken by DS (MoP) regarding closure of Chandigarh Subdivision 5 Smart Grid Project sanctioned under NSGM on 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024.
4. NSGM draft replies for multiple audit requisitions AREQ#552665, AREQ#552226 submitted to MoP on 18<sup>th</sup> September 2024 and 19<sup>th</sup> September 2024 respectively.
5. NSGM inputs for multiple RTI queries received at CEA regarding smart meters in electricity distribution were shared with EGSM on 13<sup>th</sup> September 2024
6. As of September 2024, more than 1.41 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 on NSGM website at <https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/state-wise-map> and <https://www.nsgm.gov.in/en/sm-stats-all>.

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