# MANAGING RESOURCES FOR SUSTAINABLE LOSS REDUCTION







### THEME: SUSTAINABILITY OF DISCOMS

#### **DISTRIBUTION UTILITY MEET**

Date: 07-08 November 2019 Venue: EROS HOTEL, New Delhi

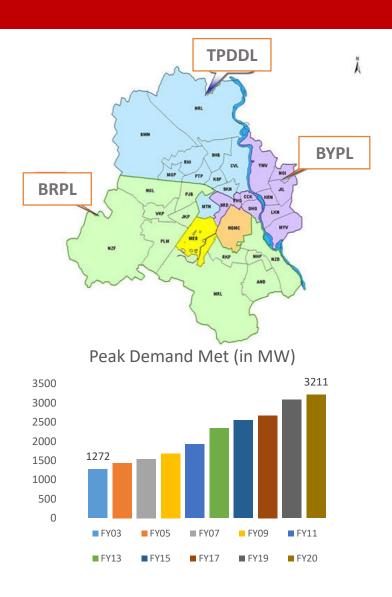




### **BRPL** Profile

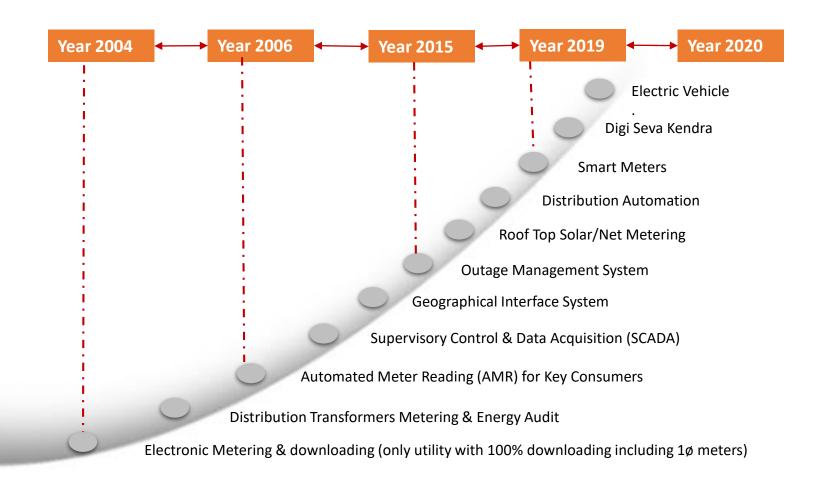
Particular	UoM	Value (FY19)
Customer Base	Lacs	26
Customer Density	#/Sq. km	3330
Divisions	Nos.	22
Peak Demand (July 19)	MW	3211
Energy input	MU	13300 (~43% of Delhi)

- Distribution of electricity in South & West part of Delhi
- BRPL has successfully met the maximum demand,
   which has nearly tripled since FY-03





## Transformation Journey



**Technology Infusion has been a regular feature at BRPL** 



### LR Centric Organization Structure

#### **Division Operation**

#### **Business Function**

- New Customer aquisition
- Meter to Cash Cycle
- Customer Services

Focused on new connection and Meter to Cash Cycle

### Operation & Maintenance Function

- Power Supply
- Maintenance
- Addition / Augmentation of Network

Focused on strengthening of network and supply reliability

#### LR Function

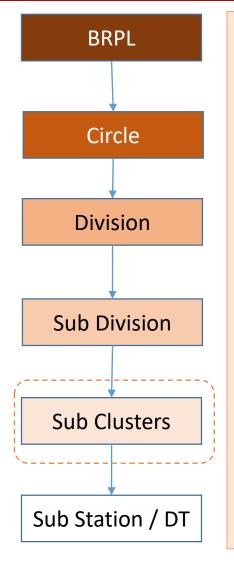
- Planning
- Execution and monitoring of LR activities
- Surveillance action

Focused on Reduction and Sustenance of Losses

- Upto 2004 Xen type structure;
- 2004 Business and O&M separated to bring focus of commercial;
- 2015 LR Function carved out from Business and O&M for sustainability



# Sub-Clusters level Planning & Monitoring

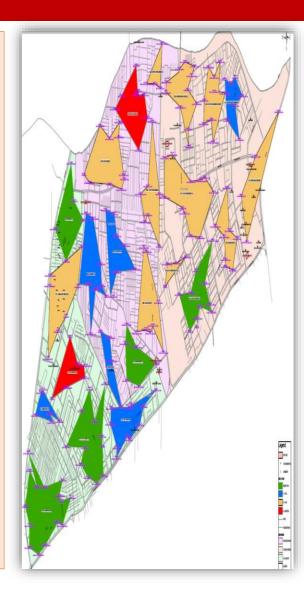


#### Sub-Cluster based tracking:

- Geography based DT grouping
- No of DTs in group- 5~10 nos
- Overlapping is minimised

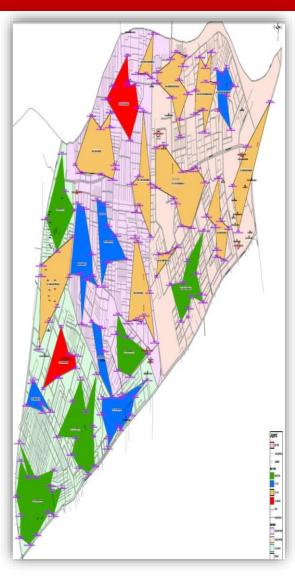
#### Why Sub-cluster is required?

- Locality have generally similar issues
- Tagging issues is minimized
- Customised plan for critical sub-clusters – smaller area



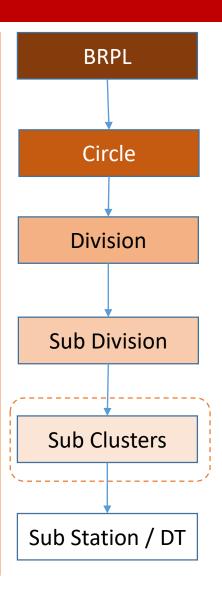


# Sub-Clusters level Planning & Monitoring



#### **Critical Sub Cluster**

- LT T&D loss > 7 %
  - Company loss level
- MU gap > 2 MU
  - Sub Cluster level gap
- LT Energy gap / Customer >
   500 units
  - Double of company average
- ROI < 12 months</li>





## LR Initiatives for Sustainability



Meter Relocation to outside



Meter Replacement



Application of Armoured cables



Smart Pole Metering



LT Less system for AP connections



Separate Street light Circuits



Specialized Connector



Heat Shrink /
Armour Cast Tape



## Sustainable Solution for hooking / Katiya

#### Bare conductor

Easy accessibility

#### AB cable

Need to puncture

#### **Armored Cable**

• Difficult to puncture

- Because High Cost of replacement to armored cable, its Higher weight on pole low cost solution adopted – Armoured cast tape
  - To cover Open joints || Punctured locations || Span with less than 5 punctures
  - For punctures > 5 per span replacement to armored cable



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#### **Some Sample Work**

#### **Before**



Puncture in the LTAB Cable for Hooking

#### After



Application of Masking Tape at punctured spot



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### LR Initiatives



#### Bushing mounted DB in HVDS Areas

- Old DBs are accessible to consumer
- Raising the height of DB
- DB is near to HT bushing which creates deterrent for breaking

#### **Dedicated Street light Circuits**

- Laying of Theft proof Armoured cables in street light circuits
- Application of auto controller helps in timely controlling of lighting points





### LR Initiatives



#### **Smart Pole Metering**

- Pole metering unit with on-line communication
- Each Pole unit has 9 meters with real time data to central servers
- Very successful since results in high energy growth

#### LT Less system for AP connections

- Theft through LT bare conductors in Agriculture connections
- LT Less schemes ensures no direct taping through LV Mains.
- Also reduces Technical losses





### LR Initiatives



#### **Specialized Connector Installation**

- Satellite Connectors are installed where Pole DBs are accessible for theft.
- Pole DBs will be removed and connections are energized through specialized connectors

#### **Armoured Cast Tape Coatings**

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- Direct theft is mainly through open joints at Pole DB or piercing connector
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### PMO of BRPL – Planning, Facilitation and Tracking



#### **CEO Con-call**

- With key stakeholders twice a week (Tuesday and Thursday @ 11 AM)
- Update on activities undertaken during the day in 10 PM HOD Con-call



#### **Coordination meeting at Circle level**

 Bi-Weekly Coordination meeting (2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday @ 3 PM) – functions related to LR



#### Daily analysis and ranking of executed activities

 Analysis of executed activities its quality and effectiveness circulated on daily basis



#### Target Setting and tracking at Sub Division level

Lead and Lag variables



### Project Management - Coordination and Tracking



#### Weekly LR Champion

- On the basis of productivity of LR Workforce, weekly LR index is being published for all the divisions.
- Division team achieving 1<sup>st</sup> rank in a week is proposed to be awarded with upto Rs.5000/- for celebration



#### **Division Ranking**

 Division ranking is being circulated on the basis of MU gain and Loss levels achieved by the divisions on monthly basis.



#### **Vendor Score Card**

- Monthly Score card includes quantity and quality aspect
  - Weekly ranking against activities performed
  - Quality Ranking of jobs performed and User choices



# Surveillance and Inspection

Flying squad for Sustainability of performed LR activities

- Identifies potential Leads
- On spot booking of theft leads
- Sealing of open joints
- Faster is better coordinate for early resolution of generated leads.
- Checking quality of executed work, material claim



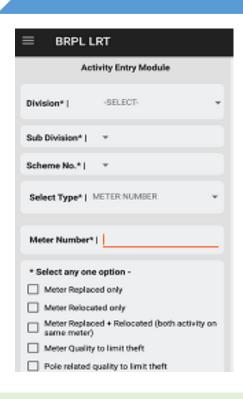


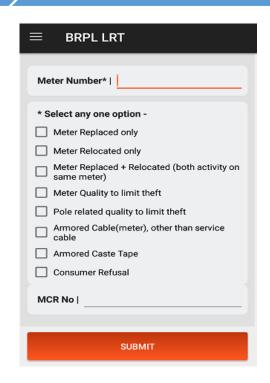
## Loss Reduction (LR) Activity Module

#### **Selection of Division**

### Details related to LR activities

MIS



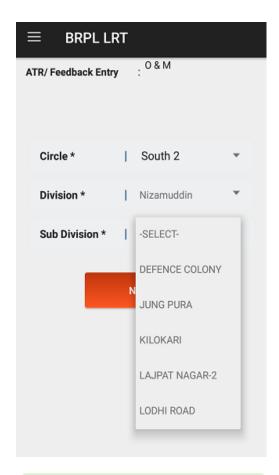


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Individual Activities MIS Report : 1/8/2019 To 26/8/2019						
Sr No D	ivision	Meter Related	DB Related	Cable Related		
тоти	<b>AL</b>	49	159	6		
1 Alaknan	nda	0	1	0		
2 Chhawla	a	31	110	6		
3 Dwarka		0	0	0		
4 Jaffarpu	ur	18	48	0		

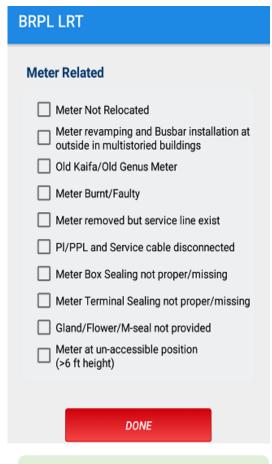
- Onsite punching of individual LR activities By field / Execution Team / Vendors
- SDO / LR Manager / Engineer to ensure 100% entry of about 2000 jobs per day.



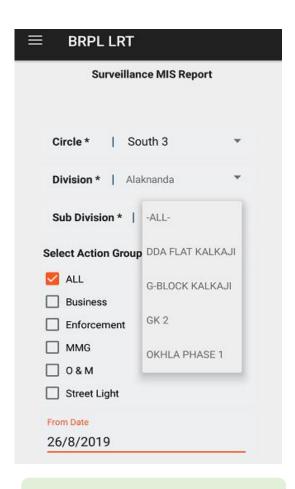
### LR Surveillance Module



Selection of NCs related to Meter



**Feedback Punching of NCs** 



**MIS Selection Criteria** 



# Wining the Confidence





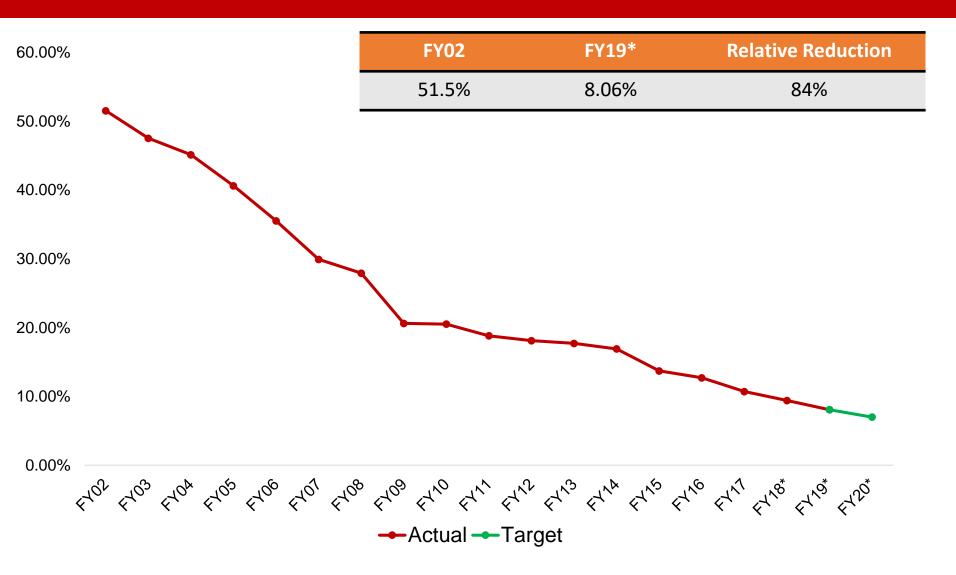
### ... and due to all South & West Delhi's loss ~6%

Circle	FY 2018	FY 2019	Δ Reduction	% Reduction
South Delhi	7.17%	6.14%	1.03%	14.37%
West Delhi (Exc. NJF,JFR,MDK)	7.74%	6.77%	0.97%	12.53%
Outer West (NJF,JFR,MDK only)	30.29%	25.38%	4.91%	16.21%
BRPL	9.42%	8.06%	1.36%	14.44%

- T&D loss reduction is 16.5% in FY19
- In South and West part of Delhi, BRPL has achieved near to 6% which is similar to world's best utilities.
- 1% Loss Reduction = ~ 100 Cr. Savings to BRPL Customers which reflects in current tariff



### To Sum up...







### Thank you for your time! Questions?

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