

From CMD's Desk...



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Dear Colleagues,

As we near the commissioning of 800 MW Parbati-II Project and 2000 MW Subansiri Lower Project, it is crucial that we continue to build on our momentum and focus our efforts on the timely completion of these projects. I am pleased to announce that the boxing up of Unit #3 of the Subansiri Lower HE Project was completed on February 5, 2025. This marks a significant milestone towards our goal of commissioning three units by May 2025.

I am also delighted to share that the Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, attended the inaugural Joint Mega Nyokum Yullo Celebration and the 43rd Boasimla Nyokum Yullo Celebration 2025 in Boasimla, District Kamle, Arunachal Pradesh. During the event, he urged the people to support NHPC's hydroelectric projects in Arunachal Pradesh. Shri Kiren Rijiju, the Hon'ble Union Minister for Parliament Affairs & Minority Affairs, also graced the occasion as the Guest of Honour, and I was privileged to be present as a Special Guest.

On February 7, 2025, NHPC and CVPPL signed a Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) with DVC for the purchase of power from NHPC's Dibang, Parbati-II, and Teesta-VI HE Projects, along with the Chenab Valley Power Project Kiru HE Project, for a period of 40 years from the respective CODs.

On February 18, 2025, I had the opportunity to meet Shri Manoj Sinha, the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor of Jammu & Kashmir, in New Delhi. During our meeting, I briefed him on NHPC's ongoing and upcoming power stations and projects in Jammu & Kashmir.

On February 7, 2025, Shri Mohammad Afzal, Joint Secretary (Hydro), visited NHPC's Corporate Office. He visited the Master Control Room of the 'Early Warning System,' the Real-Time Monitoring System for Hydro Units, the Seismic Data Centre, and the Experience Centre. Shri Afzal commended the state-of-the-art facilities set up by NHPC, which ensure the safety and operational excellence of our hydro power stations.

I also visited the NHPC 1720 MW Kamala HE Project in Arunachal Pradesh from February 25-26, 2025, to review ongoing activities. On February 23, 2025, I reviewed the Madhogarh segment of the 1200 MW Jalaun Solar Park being developed by BSUL under MNRE's Solar Park Scheme.

On February 24, 2025, along with the Director (Finance), I interacted with a delegation from the All Pei Welfare Association (APWA), Godak, District Kamle, Arunachal Pradesh, located near NHPC's upcoming projects. During the discussion, NHPC management highlighted the socio-economic benefits of these projects during both the construction and operational phases. The delegation expressed their gratitude to NHPC for organizing a study tour, which provided them with valuable insights into the construction and operation of hydroelectric projects.

I am proud to announce that NHPC has received the prestigious "Great Place to Work" certification from Great Place to Work, India, recognizing our commitment to fostering a workplace culture rooted in trust, respect, dignity, inclusivity, and employee recognition.

As of February 2025, NHPC's total cumulative power generation reached 18674 million units (MUs), with monthly revenue standing at Rs. 585.12 crores.



The Second Sub-Committee of the Hon'ble Parliamentary Committee on Official Language reviewed the progress of Official Language implementation in three offices of NHPC i.e. Chamera-II Power Station, Chamera-III Power Station and Parbati-III Power Station on 24th February 2025 at Shimla, Himachal Pradesh.

Other notable highlights from February 2025 include:

- NHPC's achievements were prominently featured at the Ministry of Power pavilion during the India Energy Week 2025, held on February 12, 2025, in New Delhi. I also had the privilege of participating in a Strategic Conference session titled "Driving the Renewables Revolution within the Future Global Energy Mix."
- On February 17, 2025, Salal Power Station received the first prize for excellence in implementing official language policies from the Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs, at a ceremony in Jaipur.
- NHPC undertook several impactful CSR initiatives, including:
 - Donating an ultrasound machine by the Dibang Multipurpose Project to Anini Government District Hospital, Arunachal Pradesh, on February 4, 2025.
 - Laying the foundation for two new classrooms at David Painter Junior High School, Gudmi Village, Uttarakhand, supported by the Tanakpur Power Station, on February 22, 2025.
 - Signing an MOU on February 5, 2025, with the District Administration of Namchi, Sikkim, for the construction of an Integrated Child Development Services Centre at Linkutar, Namchi District, through the Teesta-V Power Station.
 - Rangit Power Station signed an MOU with the Namchi District Administration, Sikkim, on February 8, 2025, for undertaking various CSR projects in the district.
- Smt. Bhawna, Deputy Manager (Law), NHPC, was awarded second place for the 'Best Women Employee Award' in the Executive category at the 35th National Meet of the Forum of Women in Public Sector (WIPS) on February 17, 2025.
- NHPC's sports scholars excelled at the 38th National Games in Dehradun, Uttarakhand, in February 2025. Mr. Tushar Suveer won a gold medal in the Badminton Team event, Ms. Riddhima Kapoor earned a bronze medal in the Women's Table Tennis Team event, and Shri Aryavansh Tyagi secured a bronze medal in Trap Shooting (Individual).
- Dr. Pinki Roy, CMO, won a gold medal at the YONEX Sunrise Himachal Pradesh Masters State Badminton Championship 2024-25, held on February 25, 2025.
- The NHPC Men's Cricket Team secured the title at the 24th Inter CPSU Cricket Tournament in Chandigarh, organized by SJVN, from February 22-27, 2025.

Lastly, I extend my warm wishes to all of you on the upcoming festival of Holi. May this festival of colors bring joy, blessings and success to your lives.

Sincerely Yours,

(R.K. Chaudhary)
Chairman & Managing Director