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SMEC to Evaluate Power Development Schemes across Five States in India

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SMEC has been selected by Power Finance Corporation Limited, India (PFC) to undertake the Third Party Concurrent Evaluation of Integrated Power Development Schemes (IPDS). The Schemes comprise two groups across five states, namely, West Bengal, Sikkim, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir in India.

The Ministry of Power, Government of India has launched the IPDS to extend financial assistance against capital expenditure to address the gaps in the sub-transmission and distribution network, and metering in urban areas to supplement the resources power departments in various states.

The scope of work includes strengthening of the sub-transmission and distribution sector (33kV & 11kV and associated substations), and metering of the same sector (smart metering and advance metering for converting semi SMART Grid).

SMEC is responsible for compliance-based evaluation, including material checking, process checking and witness commissioning checks, as well as post-implementation evaluation.

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