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**VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK OBSERVED IN**  
**POWERGRID, NORTHERN REGION-I**

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Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (POWERGRID), a Maharatna Public Sector Undertaking under Ministry of Power observed Vigilance Awareness Week, 2021 at Northern Region-I RHQ, Faridabad. During a ceremony, distinguished Chief Guest, Dr. N.S. Saxena, Chairman, Jammu and Kashmir Power Transmission Limited (Former ED, POWERGRID) graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Sh. A.K. Mishra, ED (NR-I) welcomed the Chief Guest by presenting a Book and Planter. Sh. Manoj Kumar, Sr. GM (Vigilance) NR-I briefed the significance of celebration of Vigilance Awareness Week every year. The theme of this year's Vigilance Awareness Week was "Independent India @ 75: Self-Reliance with Integrity."

ED, NR-I briefed about POWERGRID i.e. its inception, its geographical coverage/challenges, its business model, its progress over the years and its overall position in India and World. During his speech, he focused on ethics, discipline, integrity and transparency which are the key components for the progress of a Company.

POWERGRID presently has 263 Sub-stations and more than 172,000 ckm and 447,000 MVA of transformation capacity. With the adoption of latest technological tools and techniques, enhanced use of automation and digital solutions, POWERGRID has been able to maintain average transmission system availability >99%.

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