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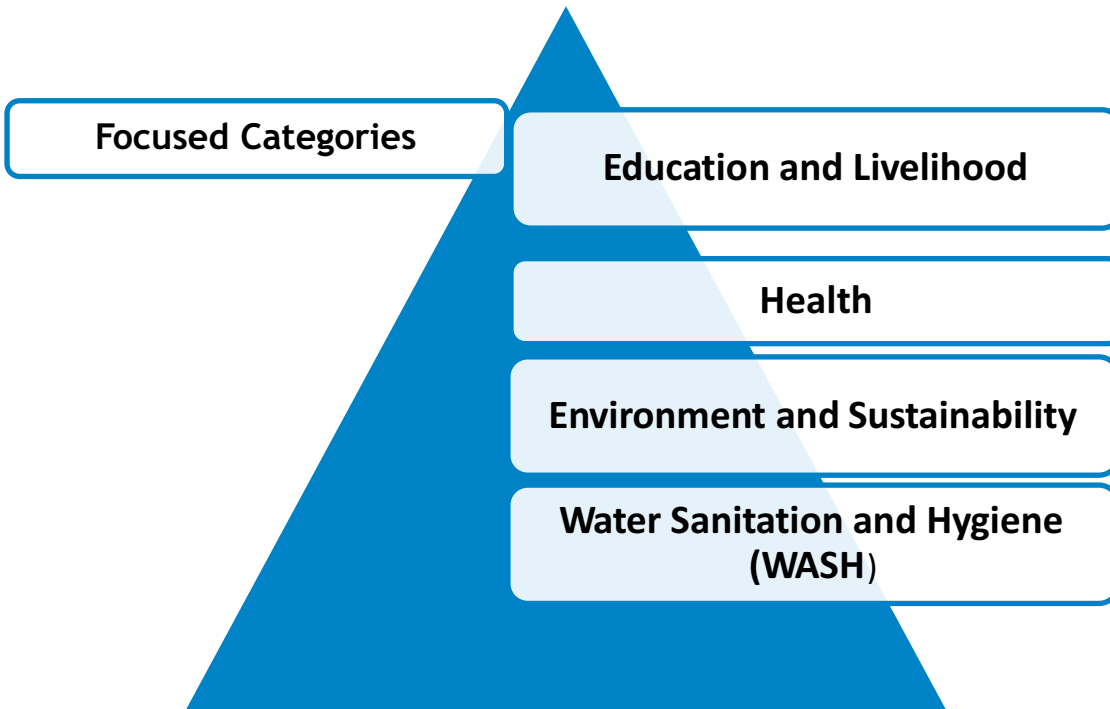


Driven by the spirit of compassion and community upliftment, BSES's flagship 'Sparsh' initiative continues to illuminate lives far beyond the grid. Guided by the belief that true progress must be inclusive, Sparsh is more than a CSR program—it is a commitment to enabling dignity, equity, and empowerment across Delhi's diverse communities.

In the past year, Sparsh touched the lives of nearly 1.7 lakh individuals across South and West Delhi. From delivering accessible healthcare and promoting education to supporting livelihoods and environmental sustainability, BSES implemented a

wide spectrum of high-impact initiatives. These efforts weren't just about providing resources—they were about creating opportunities, enhancing capacities, and inspiring transformation.

Each intervention under Sparsh has been thoughtfully aligned with one of four foundational pillars: Education & Livelihood, Health & Sanitation, Women Empowerment & Social Inclusion, and Environment Sustainability. Together, they form the framework for a more equitable and resilient society—where every life touched by Sparsh shines a little brighter.



CSR activities from April'24-March'25

CSR Project

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Driving Care: BSES Powers Patient Mobility at AIIMS

To facilitate patient mobility within AIIMS, Delhi, BSES is donating 27 battery-powered buses under its CSR initiative. The first batch of these e-buses was jointly flagged off by the BSES and AIIMS leadership in December 2024



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Wings of Change: Drones and Solar for Army Veterans

BSES, in partnership with the Indian Army, is supporting retiring Army veterans and Veer Naaris through training in solar panel installation and DGCA-certified drone pilot skills. Conducted by Army instructors, the 15-day program has empowered 40 veterans so far, enhancing employability and promoting financial independence in post-service life.



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Nature Nurtured: BSES Grows Green Spaces

BSES is maintaining the DDA Ecological Parks at Kalindi and Asita. Around 3,500 saplings have been planted, and pond cleaning and tree pruning are underway. These efforts aim to boost biodiversity, ecological health, and offer cleaner, greener public spaces for the local community.



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Silver Years, Golden Care

BSES supports a fully-equipped Old Age Home at Shrinivasपुरi, South Delhi, offering around 40 senior citizens safe shelter, nutritious meals, medical care, counselling, and round-the-clock support. With amenities like a library, physiotherapy, and recreational facilities, it provides a dignified environment and promotes active, healthy aging for the elderly.



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Hoops of Hope: Nurturing Young Athletes

BSES set up the BSES Basketball Academy at IP Extension, Patparganj, in August 2024 to instill purpose and nurture young talent. Alongside, structured training is provided at its second academy in Sarvodaya Co-ed Vidyalaya, Begumpur. Together, they train over 700 students. A high-performance centre is also coming up in Sarita Vihar.



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Looms of Change: Reviving Tradition, Empowering Women

BSES has set up a Handloom Incubation Centre to empower women from underserved communities by reviving traditional weaving. The initiative has trained 82 women in fine-quality handloom production and marketing, enabling them to earn a dignified livelihood. Products are now available on leading e-commerce platforms, with a new batch under training.



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Screen to Success: Tech for Transforming Lives

BSES, under its 'Sashakt Beti' initiative, is empowering girl students of Delhi University by bridging the digital divide. In collaboration with the University of Delhi Foundation, BSES has provided 300 laptops and 454 e-tablets to support economically weaker and visually impaired students, enabling them to pursue education on equal footing.



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Wheels of Wellness: Healthcare Reaches the Needy

BSES launched its Doctor-at-Doorstep Mobile Medical Unit to deliver free healthcare services to underserved areas in Delhi. In collaboration with Healthy Aging India, the van offers consultations, medicines, and physiotherapy. At a recent Sunlight Colony camp, 200 people benefitted and 30 cataract cases were identified for urgent medical intervention.



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Last Rites, Green Way: Clean, Dignified Departures

BSES is facilitating three eco-friendly electric crematoriums in Delhi—two for humans (at Nangloi and Lodhi Road) and one for pets. These use advanced electric furnace and green chimney technology, enabling faster cremation while significantly reducing smoke emissions. This initiative promotes dignified, sustainable, and cleaner last rites for all.



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Paws for a Cause: BSES Vaccinates Our Furry Friends

BSES is aligning with the Animal Birth Control Rules 2023 and the National Action Plan for Rabies Elimination by 2030 through a comprehensive initiative to sterilize and vaccinate 10,000 stray dogs and 1,000 stray cats in Delhi. So far, 3,000 dogs and 300 cats have been vaccinated. Sterilized animals are being tracked using ear notching and microchipping, with detailed digital records—including photographs, location data, and immunization barcodes—ensuring transparency, accountability, and effective population control.



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Beyond Barriers: Empowering Every Ability

BRPL, in collaboration with Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO), organized a special camp to support inclusivity and accessibility. Over 65 elderly individuals and persons with disabilities from underprivileged backgrounds received assistive aids and appliances, empowering them to lead more independent and dignified lives.



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Future Ready: Educating for Energy Responsibility

BSES, in partnership with TERI, is sensitizing school students on energy conservation through its 'Energy Wise, Energy Rise' program. So far, over 27,000 students have been engaged across schools, fostering awareness and responsible energy usage. The initiative aims to build a generation of environmentally conscious and energy-wise citizens.



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Stretching Smiles: Nurturing Wellness through Yoga

BSES is promoting holistic well-being through yoga for school children and staff. Around 2,700 individuals have benefited from 66 yoga camps held across government schools, where participants also learned simple daily exercises aimed at improving both physical and mental health.



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Health Over Habit: Battling Addiction Together

BSES is supporting underprivileged communities through impactful Tobacco De-Addiction Camps. Five such programs have been conducted, reaching 300 individuals. Over 250 participants pledged to quit tobacco use, marking a significant step toward healthier lifestyles and addiction-free living through sustained awareness, counseling, and community-driven support.



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Wellness at School: Learning Begins with Health

BRPL has partnered with the Government's School Health Clinic (SHC) project in South and West Delhi, covering 20 Delhi Government schools and benefiting over 20,000 students and staff. This initiative promotes holistic healthcare—addressing both physical and mental well-being—ensuring healthier, happier learning environments for one of society's most vulnerable groups: children.



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Arsh & Wash: A Cycle of Care

Under its 'Sparsh' initiative, BRPL promotes menstrual hygiene and cleanliness through its Arsh & Wash program, in alignment with the UN Health Charter 2019. Benefiting over 500 women and girls, the program fosters awareness, access to sanitary products, and behavioral change—empowering them to lead healthier, confident, and dignified lives.



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Turning Waste into Wealth: Composting for a Cleaner Capital

Funded by BSES under its CSR initiative, the Aerobin Composter Project promotes sustainable waste management through the installation of 28 advanced composters across key residential areas. Backed by training and awareness drives, the initiative reduces landfill burden, fosters eco-friendly habits, and converts organic waste into nutrient-rich compost.



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Empowering Women, One Vending Machine at a Time

BRPL is empowering underprivileged women through menstrual hygiene initiatives and livelihood support. Six Sanitary pad vending-cum-incinerator machines have been installed at the All India Institute of Ayurveda, Jamia Millia Islamia University, and various government hospitals and nursing homes.



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Empowering Women, One Pad at a Time

Around 50,000 sanitary pads have been produced and distributed by BRPL-supported Self-Help Groups, promoting menstrual health, dignity, and economic empowerment. This initiative not only addresses hygiene challenges but also fosters entrepreneurship and livelihood opportunities for unemployed urban poor women—creating impact that is both personal and transformative.



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Eyes Wide Open: Bringing Clarity to Communities

Lighting up lives with the gift of vision, BRPL organized 30 impactful eye screening camps across South and West Delhi's underserved communities. Reaching over 5200 people, the initiative provided free check-ups, distributed 3300+ spectacles, and over 2600 eye medicines—restoring sight, dignity, and hope for a brighter, clearer tomorrow.



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Skills That Empower: From Learning to Livelihood

Through its vocational training centres, BRPL is empowering lives and enabling livelihoods. Offering courses in computers, beauty culture, and tailoring, these centres trained over 2,000 students this year—including the visually impaired, persons with disabilities, and Tihar inmates—turning skills into strength and creating pathways to dignity, inclusion, and economic independence.



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Minds in Motion: BRPL's Interactive Learning Labs

With interactive exhibits and hands-on tools, BRPL's Mini Science Centre—set up in partnership with Sambhavana—STEM Learning—is making science fun and practical in government schools. Around 3,000 students from both shifts are benefiting, gaining the confidence and curiosity to explore scientific concepts and face future challenges with a stronger foundation.



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Banking on Women: Enabling Economic Empowerment

Through its CSR initiatives, BRPL is powering financial inclusion by fostering financial literacy among underserved women. By educating them on banking, savings, and money management, and helping open bank accounts, over 6,000 women have been integrated into the formal financial system—enabling them to take charge of their economic futures.



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Strength in Action: Self-Defense for Self-Worth

In partnership with PCS Foundation, BRPL has empowered over 1,200 girls across 7 schools through self-defense training led by a former SPG commando. The certified sessions equip students with techniques to counter threats and include awareness on situational analysis, good touch/bad touch, and personal safety—building strength, confidence, and resilience.



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Access to Achieve: Libraries that Empower

BRPL extended support to the Delhi Police Public Digital Library, aiding students in preparing for SSC, banking, and other competitive exams. Several aspirants have successfully qualified through this initiative. To strengthen digital access, BRPL also donated 11 computers—fostering learning, opportunity, and brighter futures for underserved youth.



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Planted with Purpose: Growing a Greener Capital

As part of its ongoing green commitment, BRPL's CSR-led tree plantation drive—launched in July 2024—has added over 36,000 plants and shrubs across Delhi. The initiative spans BSF and ITBP campuses, government and MCD schools, RWAs, community centres, and crematoriums, nurturing a greener, cleaner, and more sustainable urban environment.



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Water for All: Hydrating Hopes

To ensure access to clean drinking water, BRPL has installed five Water ATMs in Nangloi, Tagore Garden, Sangam Vihar (I & K Blocks), and VIKASPURI. These installations are benefiting around 10,000 people, reinforcing BRPL's commitment to public health, community well-being, and sustainable urban living.



BSES and AIIMS unite for eco-friendly mobility

BSES and All India Institute of Medical Sciences have joined hands for promoting eco-friendly mobility. In a landmark initiative to promote green mobility and better accessibility within AIIMS campus, BSES is providing 27 zero-pollution electric buses to the premier health facility under its corporate social responsibility (CSR) programme for the hospital's free in-campus shuttle service. Under this initiative, the first set of 11 electric buses was flagged off recently by AIIMS Director M.



Srinivas and the BSES leadership team. BSES Director and Group CEO, Amal Sinha; Director on the BSES Board, V. S. Verma; and BYPL CEO Amarjeet Singh lead the BSES team. Senior BSES and AIIMS officials and doctors were also present on the occasion. The remaining e-buses will be delivered by March 31, 2025.

AIIMS, BSES: Energising safety through life-saving training



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In a first-of-its-kind initiative, BSES has joined hands with AIIMS to launch an Emergency Care Training Program for the frontline linemen — the real heroes ensuring Delhi's reliable power supply.

Conducted under the expert guidance of Dr Manoj Singh, Head of the Burns Department at AIIMS, this intensive hands-on training equips BSES teams with critical life-saving skills like CPR, managing burn injuries, and administering first aid in emergency sit-

uations. Over 100 linemen across two sessions have already undergone the training, which included practical demonstrations and scenario-based learning. These skills are not just theoretical — they're essential in the high-risk environments our teams work in every day. The sessions were deeply appreciated by participants and culminated with certificate distribution in the presence of senior BSES and AIIMS officials. At BSES, safety and preparedness go hand in hand with power. More such training sessions are planned — because a safer workforce means a safer city.

BSES DONATES 27 ELECTRIC BUSES

BSES partners with AIIMS to introduce e-buses for free campus shuttle service

NEW DELHI: In a move that will facilitate thousands of patients, their attendants as well as doctors and staff, power discom BSES has donated 27 e-buses to Delhi AIIMS to operate a free shuttle service in the premises of the premier medical institute spread over 213 acres.

A fleet of 11 buses was flagged off in a ceremony at the All India Institute of Medical Sciences by the institute's director M Srinivas and BSES officials, said a statement of the discom.

The remaining e-buses will be flagged off progressively by March 31, 2025, it said.



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This partnership between the BSES and AIIMS will significantly reduce the carbon footprint within the campus, aligning with their shared goal

to foster eco-friendly solutions for the welfare of the hospital's employees and thousands of patients, it said.

The buses are being pro-

Partnership will significantly reduce carbon footprint within the campus

vided to AIIMS under its corporate social responsibility for a free in-campus shuttle service, it said.

"This significant contribution will greatly enhance the mobility of our staff and patients within the AIIMS campus, promoting a greener and more efficient healthcare environment. I applaud the BSES for their commitment to sustainability and improving

the well-being of our community," the AIIMS director said.

Twenty e-buses will ferry patients and their attendants and seven will be designated for the doctors and the staff of the institute, ensuring smooth and efficient movement within the hospital premises spread over 213 acres, the statement said.

The institute has a daily footfall of over 10,000 persons, it claimed.

AIIMS houses approximately 1,000 doctors and faculty, and 8,000 paramedical staff. These electric buses will play a pivotal role in ensuring efficient and eco-friendly transportation for all, it added.

BSES unveils Basketball Academy

BSES' mission extends beyond delivering electricity. Through its CSR initiatives, the company is committed to energizing the future of its communities. In line with this vision, BSES has launched the BSES Basketball Academy, in partnership with Dribble Academy. This initiative aims to inspire, engage, and empower young athletes, both



boys and girls, to reach their full potential. The academy was inaugurated by BSES Director V.S. Verma, and BYPL CEO Amarjeet Singh in a grand event at the BYPL Sports Complex, Patparganj, featuring an exciting basketball match to mark the occasion. With expert mentorship from top state and national-level coaches, the academy is designed to unlock the potential of Delhi's youth, offering quality training, state-of-the-art equipment, and competitive opportunities. Through these efforts, BSES is fostering a brighter, more active future for the youth of Delhi.

BSES launches drone pilot training programme

BSES, in collaboration with the Army Welfare Placement Office (AWPO), has launched a transformative Drone Pilot Training and Placement Program. This pioneering initiative is designed to empower ex-servicemen, those retiring within 6 months and Veer Naaris with cutting-edge skills, opening doors to rewarding



careers in the drone sector. The programme is designed to equip 250 veterans and 50 Veer Naaris over a three-year period with specialized drone operation skills. It opens pathways to careers in agriculture, infrastructure development, security, logistics, and more within the burgeoning drone industry. Being conducted in small, focused batches of around 20 participants, the programme offers an intensive 14-day curriculum covering both theoretical knowledge and hands-on practical experience. Certified instructors from the Directorate General of Civil Aviation will deliver the training, culminating in the awarding of the mandatory Remote Pilot Certificate (RPC) for commercial drone operations in India.

BSES, Army Welfare Office launch drone pilot training for veterans & Veer Naaris

NEW DELHI: BSES, in collaboration with the Army Welfare Placement Office (AWPO), has launched a drone pilot training and placement programme aimed at ex-servicemen, personnel nearing retirement, and Veer Naaris. The initiative seeks to equip them with skills for employment in the fast-growing drone industry.

Over three years, 250 veterans and 50 Veer Naaris will be trained in drone operations,



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eral of Civil Aviation (DGCA) will oversee the training, leading to the mandatory Remote Pilot Certificate (RPC) for commercial operations.

The programme also offers sessions on drone-based entrepreneurship and business development, alongside offline internships to enhance job readiness. The initiative is being coordinated with the NGO Sahayog Care for You, aiming to sup-