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BRPL not only supplies electricity, but also powers dreams, hopes and aspirations through its CSR programs. Over the years, the discom's CSR programs have positively impacted the lives of around eight lakh (and counting) beneficiaries. Apart from giving updates on programs during October, this issue of Sparsh shares two cases studies – Changing lives 1 and 2.

## Crematoriums spruced-up under Project Dignity

Doing its bit to give dignity to the departed soul's last journey and to provide comfort to the family and the loved ones during the last rites, BRPL has been renovating crematoriums in South and West Delhi. After renovating nine crematoriums, including a Pet crematorium, over the last couple of years, work has been completed at the following cremation grounds, including (i) Om Vihar Cremation Ground (ii) Uttam Nagar Kali Basti Cremation (iii) GhasiPura Cremation Ground (iv) Sec-19 Dwarka AmbrahiVill Cremation Ground (v) PochanPur Dwarka Cremation Ground (vi) Tehkhand Cremation Ground.



## Over 44,000 mask and 3200 sanitary napkins manufactured and distributed

Continuing with its theme of hygiene, BRPL is striving to make homemade sanitary napkins and affordable masks accessible to the underprivileged sections. Stitched by BRPL's Self Help Groups, around 44300 sanitary napkins and around 3270 (3 ply) masks were stitched and distributed among the neediest in the month of Oct'22. Since October, 145648 sanitary napkins and 18875 masks have been distributed.



## ~700 aspire to fulfill dreams at BRPL's vocational training centers

BRPL's Vocational Training Centers have been equipping the youngsters with job oriented skills in various fields, including, Basic & Advance Computers, Beauty Culture and Fashion. After the successful completion of the 1st batch of over 800 students for FY 22-23 in September, the second batch of ~700 youngsters kick-started in October.



Vocational Training Centre	No of students enrolled
Mundka	122
Jaffarpur	119
Nilothi, Nangloi	167
Najafgarh	117
Tagore Garden	118
CRPF (Dwarka)	55



### Changing lives 1



His family's poor financial condition forced Dilip and his family to shift to Delhi (Nizampur) from Madhya Pradesh in search of a better livelihood. To support the family financially, both he and his elder brother left their studies after 12th despite securing first divisions. Both the brothers joined their father by working as labourers.

During an awareness campaign about BRPL's VT programs near his residence, Dilip learned about the various courses being offered and the potential benefits. He 'found a hope to study again' and joined the BSES vocational training centre in Mundka to learn computers.

On completing the six-month course and successfully clearing the subsequent interview at a job-fair, he was selected as a computer operator by the Shri Ram Insurance Company with a package of 1.5 Lakh per annum. Dilip is now 'able to give financially support' to his family. He says, 'I want my brother to start his studies again so that he will also be able to support our family and himself'.

### Changing lives 2



Even in the 21st century, there are some people who think that a girl is a burden on the family and feel sad when one is born. Pooja is one of them. When she was born, all family members including her father and grandmother were disappointed.

One day Pooja's father, the family's sole breadwinner, fell ill and wasn't able to work. To feed the family, her mother decided to work in the fields. Due to the prolong illness, Pooja's father decided to leave home as he was feeling being a burden on his family.

Being a single parent, Pooja's mother wanted all her children to study and allowed Pooja to go to college after her 12th. On hearing about the BRPL vocational training centre, Pooja took admission in the computer course. On completing it, like Dilip, she too was hired by Shri Ram Insurance Company.

Today, Pooja is earning 12000/- per month and is 'feeling very proud to help her family'. She says 'this proves that a girl is not a burden, and she can easily run and support the family in their difficult time'. She is thankful to BSES Rajdhani Power Limited for providing a platform for learning and career growth.

## Yoga camps organised for well-being

For the well-being of our society, seven Yoga camps were organised at various locations in South Delhi. Sixty students benefitted from them during October 22 and over 700 since April. Apart from Yoga, the participants were also trained on simple exercises that they can do at their leisure for their well being.



## Powering financial literacy among the needy

For powering financial literacy among the needy, BRPL, through its CSR programs, is spreading awareness on the financial concepts, personal finance and the management of money. Bank accounts are being opened for the beneficiaries who don't have accounts and are willing to be part of the formal banking system. Around 500 women benefitted from the drive in Oct'22. A total of 3500 women have got benefitted from the program in the last six months.

