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## **Press Release**

## BSES scores a double century in solar roof top connections

- Total sanctioned load installed is over 7 MW (7000 KW)
- 'Domestic' category has the largest number of roof-top connections
- 'Educational Institutions' as a category has the largest load
- 40 leading educational Institutions and Schools have taken to Net Metering

What is common between Delhi Cheshire Home, Vasant Valley School, East Point School, Dayal Singh College, DMRC, a Church in Mayur Vihar, Mr Kapoor in Jangpura, Kohli Imports and Exports, Spartan Management Services and the Delhi Secretariat? For one, they have all taken roof top solar Net Metering connections from BSES.

BSES has scored a double century in roof top solar Net Metering, becoming the first discom in the country to do so. It has energised over 200 (206 to be precise) net metering connections with a sanctioned load of over 7 MW (Over 7000 KW). Apart from this, nearly 50 connections with a sanctioned load of over 1.5 MW are under various stages of commissioning at the consumer's end.

Consumers across categories have warmed up to roof top solar net metering. An interesting trend that has emerged is that Educational Institutions (and schools), Commercial Establishments and Domestic Users have taken to Net Metering in a big way.

	Domestic	Educational Institutions	Commercial
No of Subscribers	78	40	39
Sanctioned Load (KW)	579	1612	1909

## **Leading schools opt for Net Metering**

Fourty leading schools and educational institutes have opted for 'Net Metering' connections from BSES with a total sanctioned load of over 1600 KW (over 1.6 MW). These schools include Vasant Valley, Tagore International, New Era Pubic School, Father Agnel School, Venketeshwara School, Bhatnagar International School, St Cecilia's Public School, East Point School, Vivekanand Public School and M S Mukerjee Memorial School.

"The response to Net Metering has been incredibly encouraging. Consumers have begun to see the benefits of roof stop solar and how it reduces their electricity bills. BSES has energised 'Net Metering' connections ranging from a sanctioned load of 1 KW to 1000 KW.



These consumers save between Rs 1000 per month to around Rs 10 lakh per month".-said BSES official.

"BSES is fully committed to the ideals and objectives of the programs. We are amongst the very few utilities in India, which are engaged in actively propagating the roof top solar installations and facilitating our consumers through direct marketing efforts. We have been actively educating large customers about the solar roof top net metering policy and its beneficial impact on their electricity bill." added the spokesperson.

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