

Centralized Public Grievance Redressal System: A Foundation for SMART Government

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'Institutionalization of Smart Government to enhance public service delivery'

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ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

- The Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG) drives administrative reforms and redress public grievance. DARPG endeavors to ease citizen interaction with Government.
- DARPG is the nodal agency to formulate policy guidelines for citizen-centric governance in the country.
- DARPG formulates public grievance redress mechanisms for effective and timely redress / settlement of citizen's grievances

In the years 2014-24, the Government of India has introduced far reaching administrative reforms, in personnel administration and governance. The quest for a new narrative in Governance is characterized by:

✓ Secretariat Reforms

- ✓ Recognizing Meritocracy,
- ✓ Redressal of Public Grievances and Improving Service Delivery
- Digital Transformation of Governance

✓ Benchmarking Governance

✓ Swachhata Campaigns

What is CPGRAMS?



Redress Process Flow

Citizen Lodges Complaint

ARE YOU AGGRIEVED WITH THE SERVICES OF GOVERNMENT AGENCY

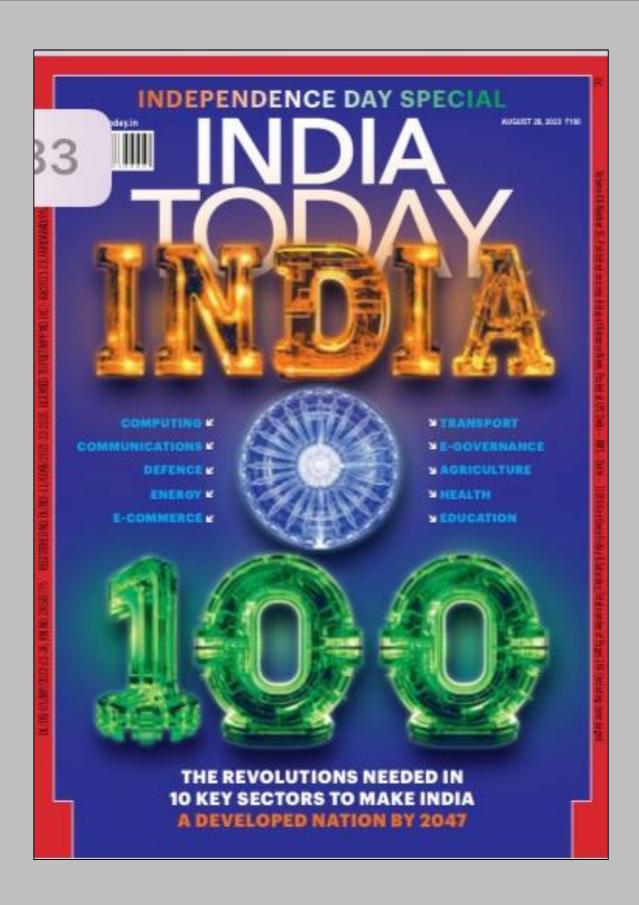
LODGE YOUR GRIEVANCE HERE





- CPGRAMS is a 24x7 online grievance porta giving access to the citizen to the highest authorities in the government to raise their grievances
- Every Ministry and States have role-based access to this system for their Government Officers across all levels
- CPGRAMS is also integrated with Other Grievance portals of Central Government/State Governments
- Millions of Citizen use CPGRAMS as a one stop solution for their grievances
- DARPG has over the last couple of years tried to integrate CPGRAMS with use of AI/ML for better understanding of citizen grievances

CPGRAMS FEATURED IN IT's 100 BIG TECH IDEAS





GOODBYE TO PAPERWORK

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the auto-corrective features that the technology itself contains so as to minimise or diminate the scope of corruption or theft.

WHY IT IS A GAME CHANGER

In India, every state must mandatorily pressule 26 digital services to the citizens. Though the implementation rate has been 67 per cost, the success of these and other offline services depends on the gricones redressal mechaness. Most preemments de large



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- V. SRUNVAS
Secretary, DARPO

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meet shining example has been the Integrated Gricowice Management System (HGMS) developed by the Department of Administrative flotterms and Public Gricowices (DARPG), which Prime Minister Naturality Medi Insulbe directly.

The nee of All facilitates instant catenorisation of complaints, summoraution, and routing to the departments concerned. It can excits do heyword and symantic scarches, point out osonight whenever required and display complaints in a dashboard is real time. The IGMS uses the same technology that peweryChatGPT. "The categoriestion below us identify and analyse the policy interventions required if similar complaints keep reaggearing. We can also detect if there inefficiency on the part of any department or officer. Prime Ministor Medi is very serious about the effective implementation of the medianess and often-decks the dashboard," says V. Scinicas. Scortary, DARPG.

WHAT INDIA NEEDS TO MASTER

The A3-powered R2MS has been in see for all central government ministries and departments exact February 2023. Such initiation should now spread to all states

as well. Durital infrastructure and services are not uniformly gread across all states in India. Se instance if Kerala offers 886 e-services, Rajaethan extends only 246, Bihar 234 and Guarat 226. Smaller states such as Maniput. Narahard and Sikkam don't over. offer 50 such services. If states each as Andhra Pradesh are using blodichain to map land records. main states have not relied out. even the manufactory 56 digital services. Only 10 states have all 25 mandature forested acrease online, while D) others how the 23 manufatory services related to local governance and unity:

To onsure quatterns and ef-Scient working agrees the country. the prevenument must first strengthen the digital infrastructure. On Angust 6, the Cason-cabinet approved Ba 1.59 lakh crury for BhandNet Project, its flagship project to enhance round internet. consistents. The next apportant lia turb some of will list quite Common Services Control (CSC) remain functional throughout the war. In most remote areas. people cannot across those facilitice because of lack of margresser and recording tracting ture.

Another keycomponent in the efficient functioning of e-government services is trained manpower to handle those utilitics. In several states, povernment bening for rethe vix skirifts to use those digital innovations effectively or the frequency of training docs not keep up with the used of technological evolutions impacting these services. That's why the government built a trained human resource for lastmile delivery of digital services. The Centre has made it mandotery that every officer most undergo-50 hours of training on emerging technologies. States also must follow suit. *

THE CHANGE-MAKERS

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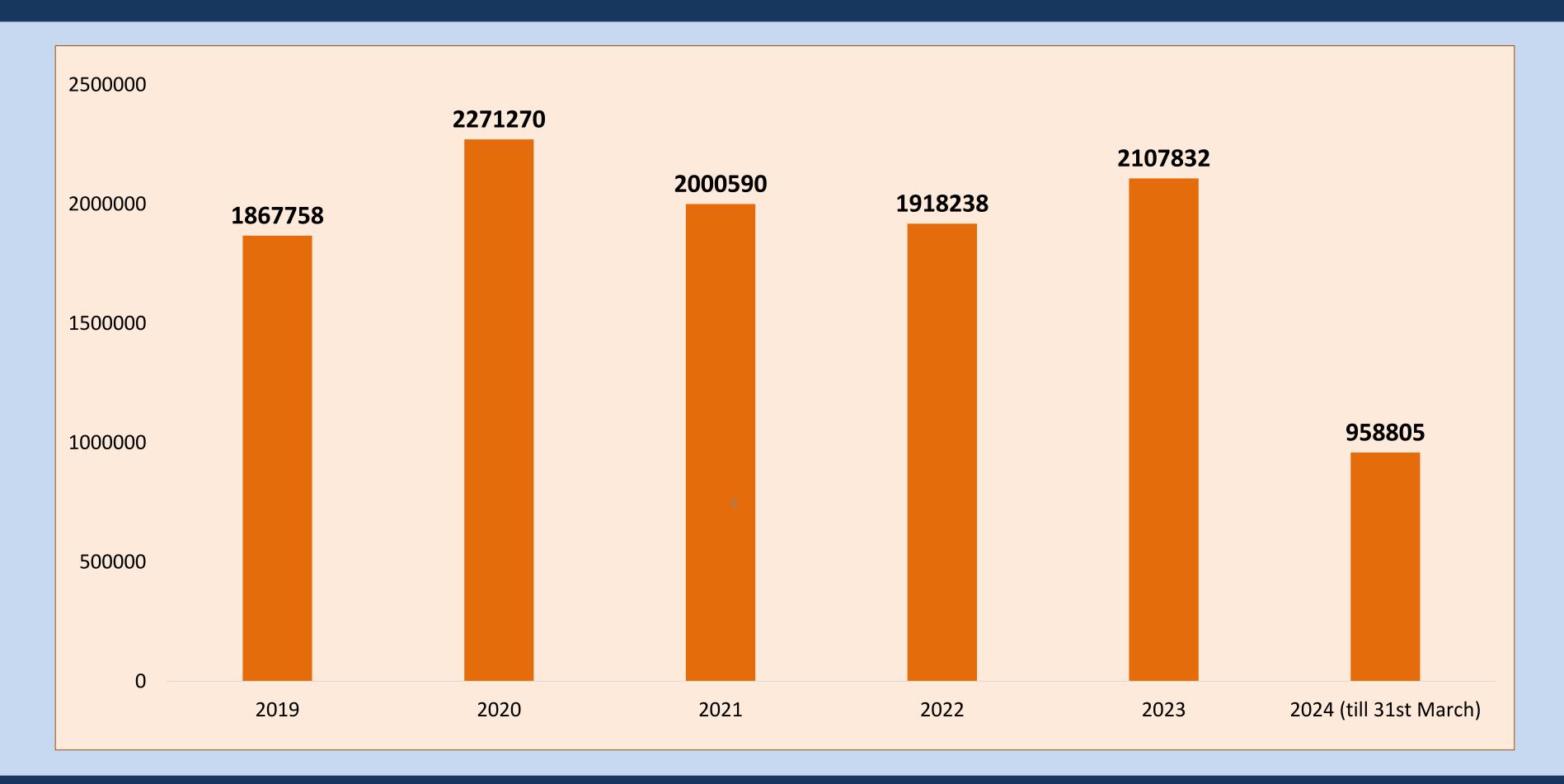
Directly under PM Modi, it has been spearheading the use of new emerging technologies in e-governance applications all government agencies use 56

No. of digital services states have to mandatorily provide to the people. These include financial services as well as those related to local government and utility

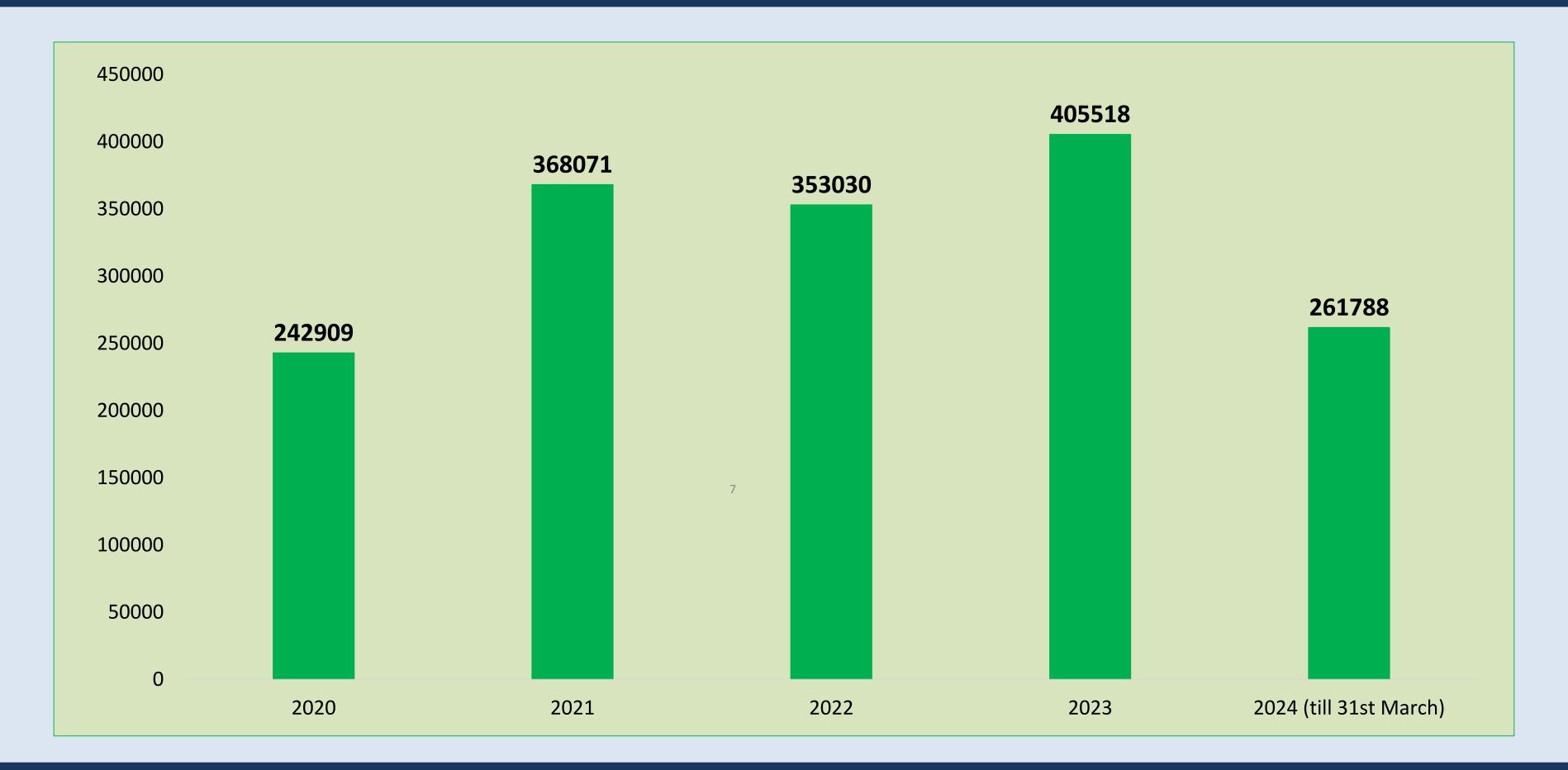
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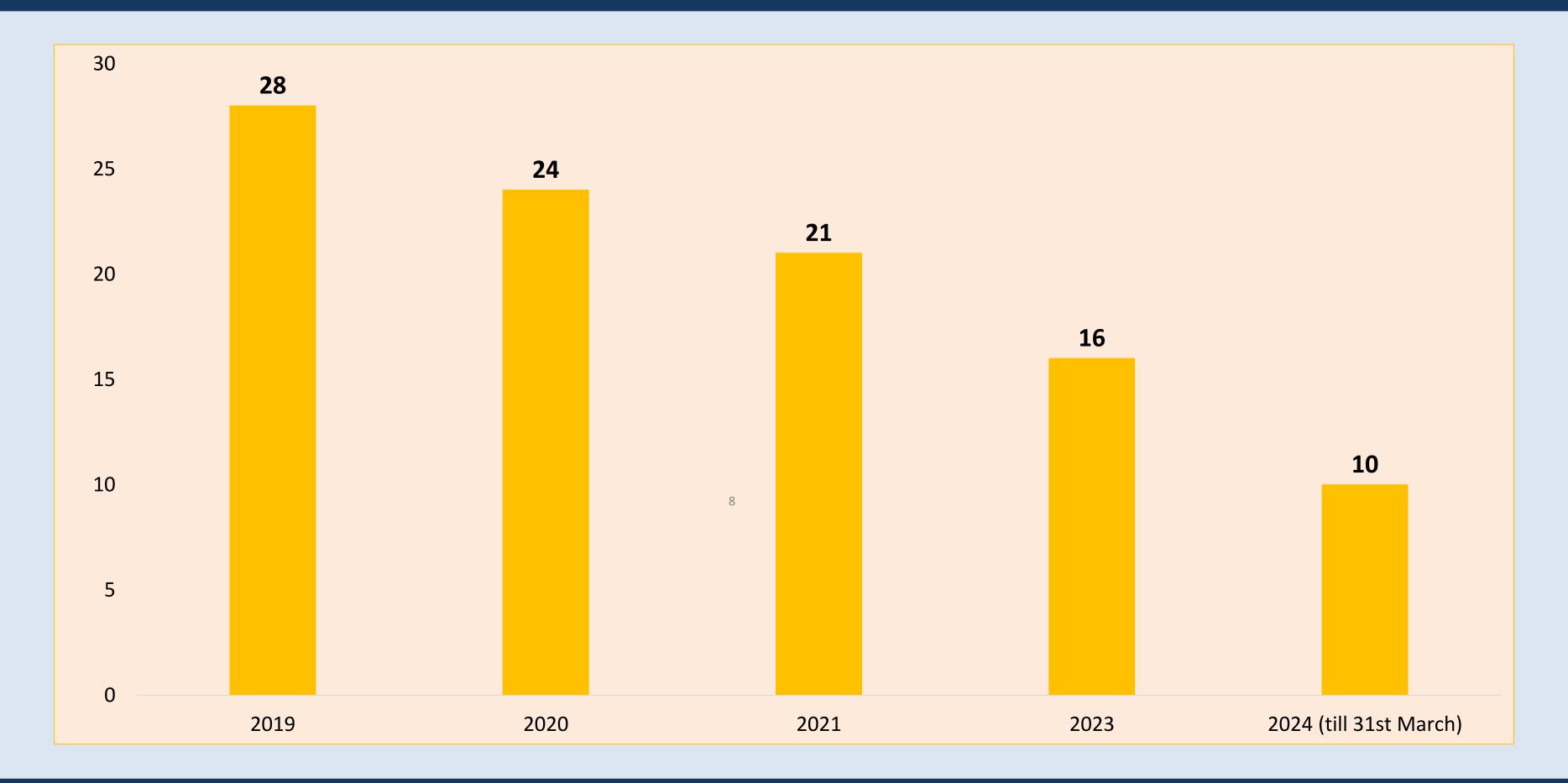
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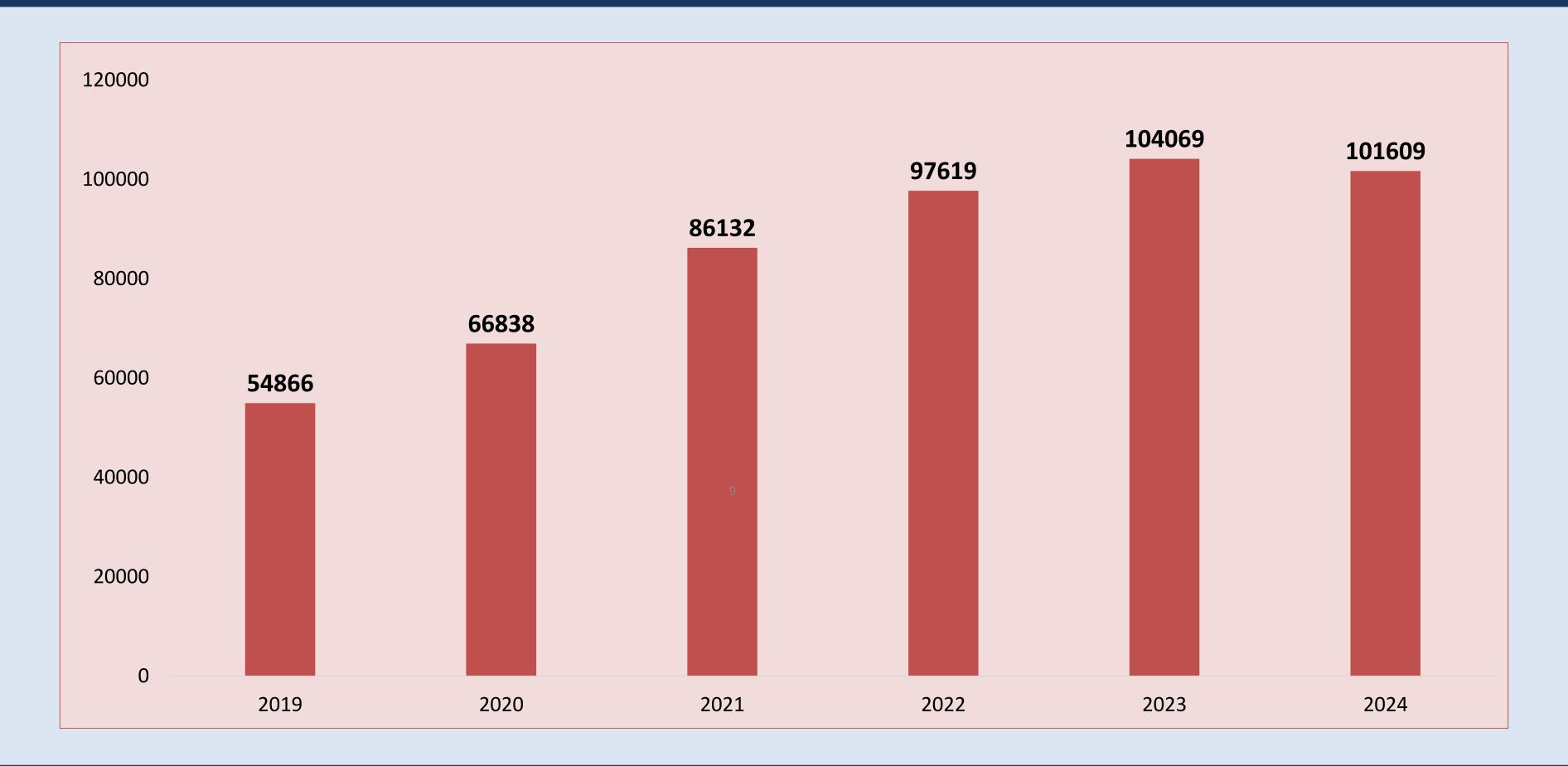
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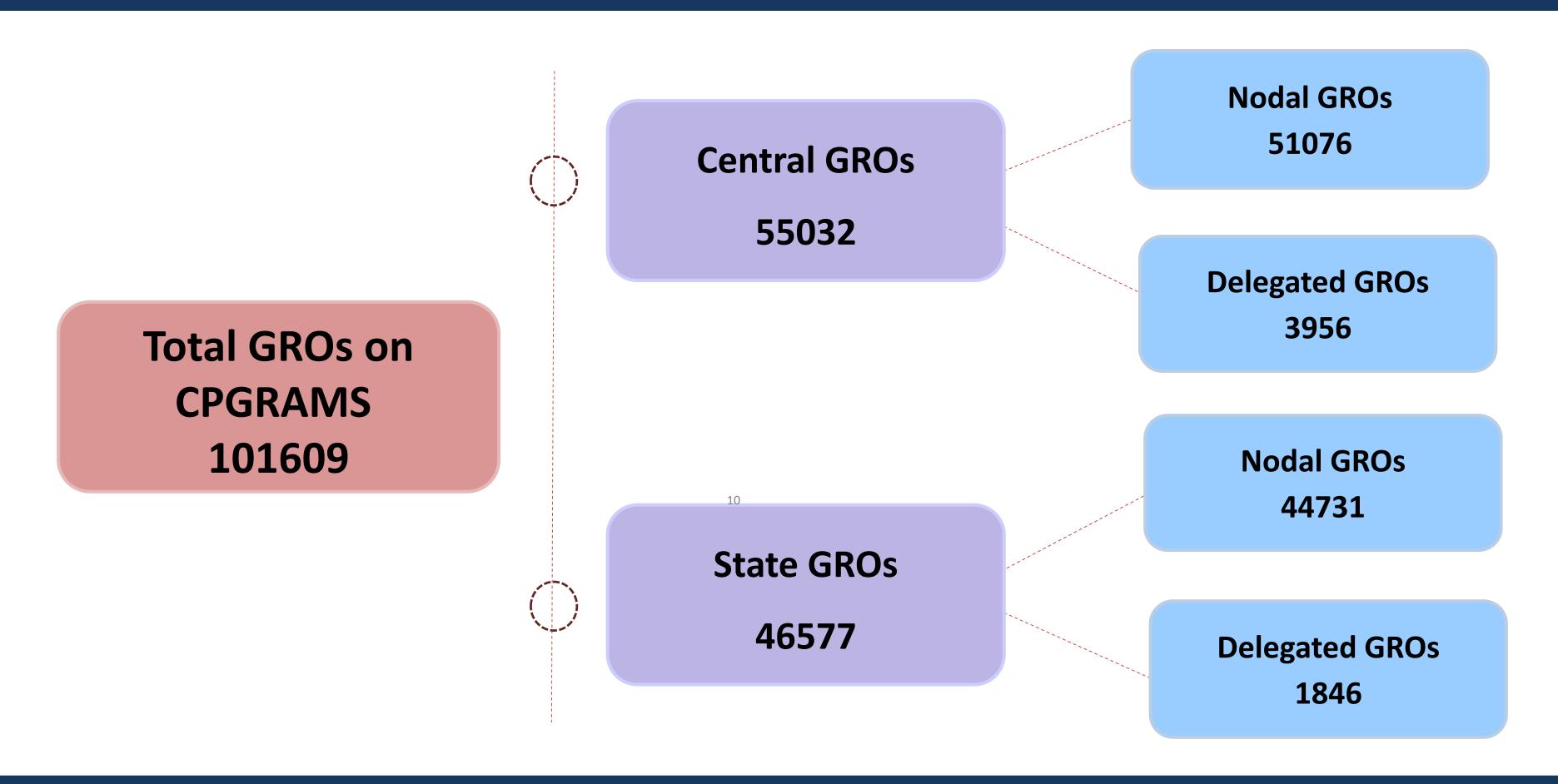
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GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL OFFICERS ON CPGRAMS



FURTHER BREAKUP OF REDRESSAL OFFICERS ON CPGRAMS



CPGRAMS - CENTRAL MINISTRIES

Top 10 Ministries/Departments with Maximum Receipts – January to March, 2024

S. No.	Name of Ministry/Department	Brought Forward	Receipts	Total Grievances	Disposal	Pending
1	Department of Rural Development	3000	374794	377794	355231	22563
2	Ministry of Labour and Employment	5093	42835	47928	43852	4076
3	Department of Financial Services (Banking Division)	8397	40562	48959	41900	7059
4	Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare	3530	36153	39683	33024	6659
5	Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs	1424	25176	26600	17192	9408
6	Central Board of Direct Taxes (Income Tax)	10796	19163	29959	17574	12385
7	Ministry of Railways (Railway Board)	3140	16513	19653	16747	2906
8	Ministry of Home Affairs	1405	15293	16698	15309	1389
9	Department of Posts	1645	15052	16697	15530	1167
10	Department of Ex Servicemen Welfare	4034	13693	17727	13733	3994

(Time Period: 01/01/2024 to 31/03/2024)

AVERAGE CLOSING TIME ON CPGRAMS – CENTRAL MINISTRIES

Top 10 Ministries/Departments with Low Average Closing Time

S. No.	Name of Ministry/Department	Cases Disposed	Average Closing Time (in days)	
1	NITI Aayog	1402	2	
2	Ministry of Cooperation	1332	2	
3	Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation	3542	3	
4	Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs	680	3	
5	Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region	46	3	
6	Department of Rural Development	355231	4	
7	Department of Food and Public Distribution	3293	4	
8	Department of Telecommunications	13222	5	
9	Department of Legal Affairs	943	5	
10	Department of Public Enterprises	159	5	

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MEDIA OUTREACH OF CPGRAMS

Prime Minister's Office





PM attends Chintan Shivir organized by DoPT

Posted On: 18 FEB 2023 10:09PM by PIB Delhi

The Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi today attended the Chintan Shivir organized by the Department of Personnel and Training.

The Prime Minister tweeted:

"Attended the Chintan Shivir organised by @DoPTGoI. Attended the Chintan Shivir organised by @DoPTGoI. Interacted with officers and highlighted ways to further improve synergy and efficiency in the department."

Ministry of Home Affairs

Under the leadership of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi and guidance of Home Minister Shri Amit Shah MHA is committed to ensure timely redressal of public grievances on Centralized Public Grievance redressal and Monitoring System (CPGRAMS)

MHA consistently ranked amongst top 10 Ministries during 2023-24 in Grievance redressal Assessment Index (GRAI) performing well in all 15 indicators

During 2023-24 MHA performed exceptionally well by redressing 48,837 public grievances cases with average redressal time of 8 days against standard of 30 days

Citizen satisfaction also stands at 40%, DARPG observed that performance of MHA would serve as benchmark for other Ministries/Departments

Posted On: 15 MAR 2024 7:20PM by PIB Delhi

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions





For the first time the average disposal time of public grievances by Central Ministries & Departments has reduced to 16 days, as recorded in May 2023, says

Dr Jitendra Singh

"PM Modi has repeatedly flagged Grievance Redressal is important for accountability of the Government and also for the Citizen-centric Governance"

Dr Jitendra Singh launches Grievance Redressal Assessment and Index (GRAI) 2022

Department of Posts tops the ranking, closely followed by UIDAI in Group A

In Group B, Department of Financial Services (Pension Reforms) grabs the No.1 rank followed by the Department of Legal Affairs

Department of Land Resources and Department of Pharmaceuticals secured First and Second positions respectively in Group C

Posted On: 21 JUN 2023 5:46PM by PIB Delhi

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions





Dr. Jitendra Singh launches the Intelligent Grievance Monitoring System (IGMS) 2.0 Public Grievance portal and Automated Analysis in Tree Dashboard

DARPG under takes up Special Campaign 3.0 in a big way during the First week under the theme "Digital DARPG"

Major Thrust given to pan-India Unified Service Portals, Adoption of AI/ Emerging Technologies for Effective Redressal of Public Grievances

Posted On: 11 OCT 2023 10:19AM by PIB Delhi

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Living up to PM Sh @NarendraModi's commitment to provide citizencentric and accountable governance, launched Grievance Redressal Assessment and Index by #DARPG, Ministry of Personnel, to monitor time-lines and other parameters related to public grievance redressal. #9YearsOfSeva



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@DrJitendraSingh

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BEST PRACTICES – USA

- Biden Administration has formulated the President's Management Agenda (PMA) which is grounded in a vision of an equitable, effective, and accountable Government that delivers results for all Americans
- The work of the PMA comprise sustained, multiyear, Government-wide efforts to advance each of the three PMA priorities (listed in the figure) and their supporting strategies

Priority I

 Strengthening and Empowering the Federal Workforce

Priority II

Delivering Excellent,
 Equitable, and Secure
 Federal Services and
 Customer Experience

Priority III

 Managing the Business of Government

BEST PRACTICES – USA

Through the performance.org, the Federal Government is working to improve five critical moments in people's lives:

- ✓ Approaching retirement
- ✓ Having a child and early childhood for low-income parents and children
- ✓ Facing a financial shock and becoming newly eligible for critical support
- ✓ Navigating transition to civilian life
- ✓ Recovering from a disaster

For recording people's experiences, a simple and userfriendly online form developed

What is a Journey Map & how it should be read?

It serve as a summary of voices of people and represent their experiences at points along a series of steps. When reading a journey map, the actions at the core of the image show high-level steps along the journey, while the other elements reveal research insights that can inform opportunities for improvement.

What is the purpose of a Journey Map?

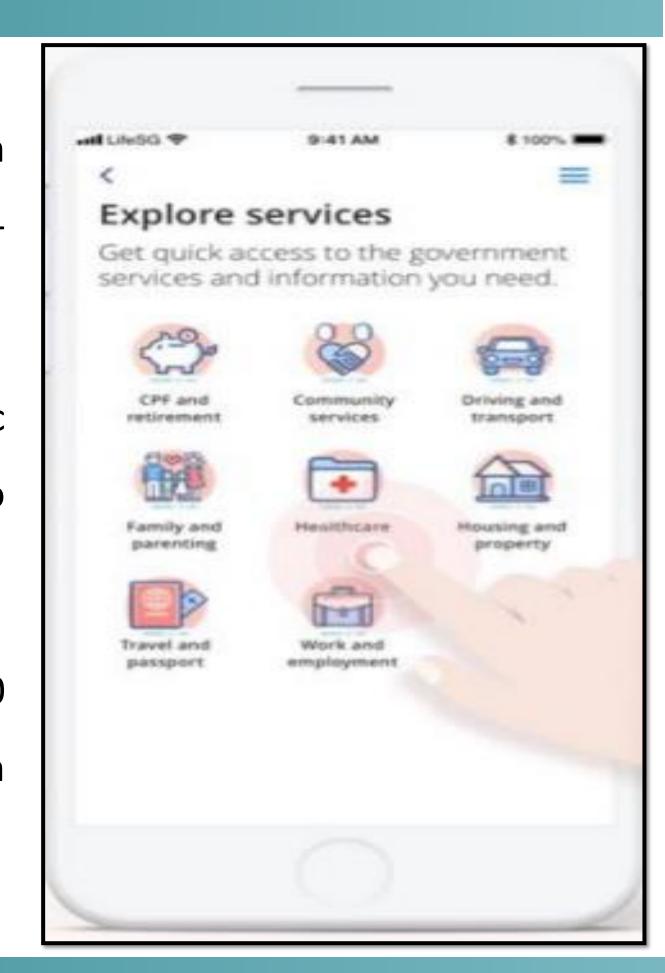
The research and production of these maps can help to align our collective understanding of how a service delivery system is experienced by the public. Through identifying common barriers, we can improve coordinating efforts across the Federal government.

How will this journey map be used?

Although it's difficult to redesign complex delivery systems, specific barriers along a journey can indicate areas that matter most to the people we serve. We plan to form interagency design teams that convene experts to prototype and test solutions for streamlining services.

BEST PRACTICES – SINGAPORE

- Singapore has embarked on a journey to become a Smart Nation in November 2014, building upon its previous two successful whole-of-nation transformations in response to digital disruption
- The Life SG app of Singapore expanded from serving specific services to providing one-stop and personalized access to Government services for all citizens
- Citizen now can explore and easily access more than 40
 Government services and discover recommended content through
 the personalized dashboard



BEST PRACTICES – SOUTH KOREA

- The Anti-Corruption and Civil Rights Commission
 of Korea was established on February 29, 2008 by
 integrating three institutions
- ACRC continued to actively resolve civil complaints,
 which are the voices of people
- A quick reaction unit for civil complaints was launched for a prompt protection of the rights and interests of people in vulnerable communities
- With the efforts of ACRC, Korea scored 61 out of 100 Corruption Perception Index (CPI).

e-People

It is a single access
multilingual online portal
that integrates e-petitioning,
citizen driven proposals, and
electronic discussions on
policy items of relevance to
303 governmental
organisations including
central administrative
organisations, local
autonomous bodies and
other public institutions.

It allows people who do not know which agency they have to file their complaints with and/or are willing to participate in collective discussions on policy matters.

People's Idea Box

It is an online platform for policy proposals, and e-People officer; to bring about a paradigm shift in the government's operation so that the public could transform social issues into policy agenda and work with the government to solve problems.

Integrated Government Call Centre (#110)

Those who want to obtain information on civil services provided by any administrative agencies can call 110, the phone number of the **Integrated Government** Call Center, anywhere in Korea. With this service, the ACRC ensures maximum convenience for people who use public services and is opening a new chapter in offering customer-oriented administrative service

INDIAS POLICY FOR GRIEVACE REDRESSAL

☐ Enunciated in 2022

Timelines and closure of Grievances

- Time Limits: Upper limit of 30 days introduced for redressal by Ministries
- Priority: Staggered redressal of grievances suggested priority wise
- Appeal: Mechanism for appeal against resolution introduced
- Feedback: Outbound call centre started with the option of filing grievance for citizen
- Reform / Restructure: Feedback to be shared with Ministries who will devise internal mechanisms to deal with such feedback

INDIAS POLICY FOR GRIEVACE REDRESSAL

Grievance Resolution Process and Root Cause Analysis

> Appointment of Officers

- Nodal GRO to be appointed by Ministries.
- Each Nodal Officer given a login id and password. He would then delegate user credentials to his subordinates

> Root Cause Analysis

- Ministries to conduct a root cause analysis through the analytical tools
- They take necessary steps to build capacity and deploy adequate resources

Endeavour of the Government was that individual citizen's voice be heard, and citizen must be empowered adequately to repose trust in the system

10 STEP CPGRAMS REFORMS

Universalisation of CPGRAMS 7.0

Auto-routing of grievances to the last mile officer and review of categorization

Technological Enhancements

Launch of IGMS 2.0 for categorical, spatial, and root cause analysis

Language Translation

Portal in 22 scheduled languages along with English, and integration of Bhashini with CPGRAMS

Grievance Redressal Index

Comprehensive
Grievance Redressal
Assessment & Index
for ranking of Central
Ministries/Departments

Feedback Call Centre

50 seater call centre collecting more than 1 lakh feedbacks directly from the citizens

One Nation - One Portal

Integration of State Portals and other Gol Portals with CPGRAMS

Inclusivity and Outreach

Empowering CSCs to reach to the remotest citizen

Training and Capacity Building

Conducted via iGot Platform and Sevottam Scheme

Monitoring Process

Monthly Reports for both the Central Ministries / Departments and States / UTs followed by review meetings

Data Strategy Unit

Automated analysis rolled out to all the Central Ministries / Departments

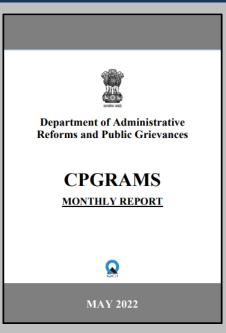
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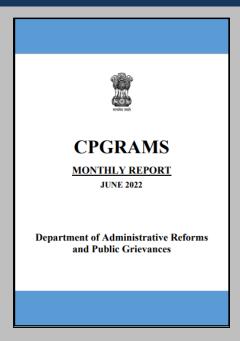
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- CPGRAMS Annual Report for the year 2022 and 2023 released at the inaugural function of the Good Governance Week 2022 and 2023
- 22 Monthly Reports for the Central Ministries/Departments, from May 2022 to February 2024 published
- 19 Monthly Reports, from August 2022 to February 2024, compiled for the States/UTs published

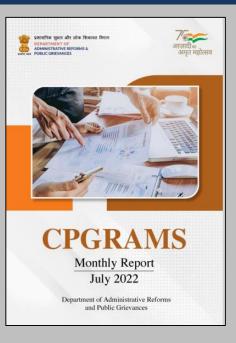


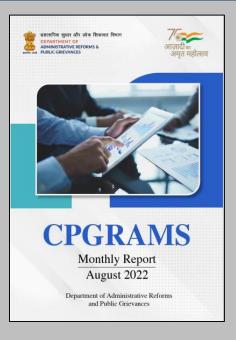


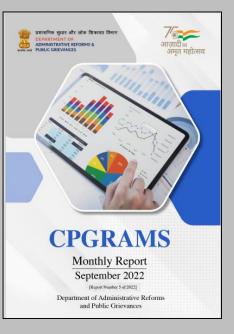
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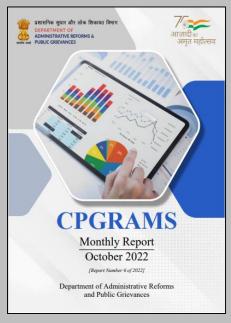


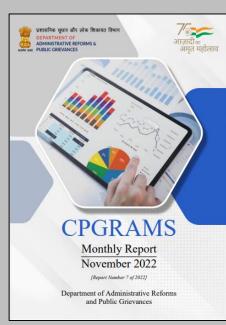


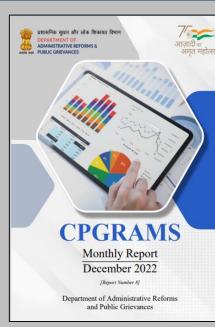


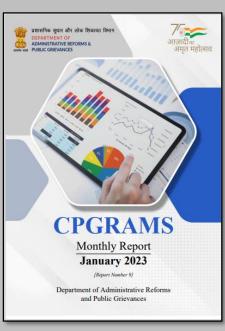




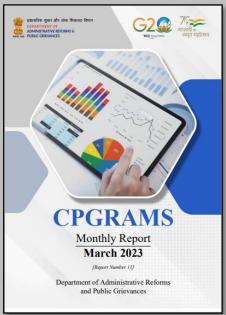


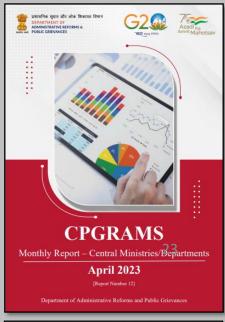


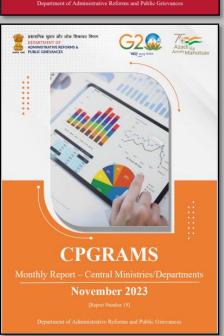


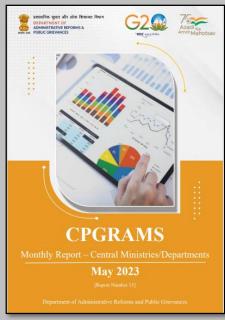


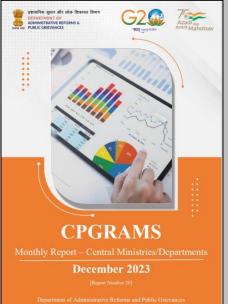


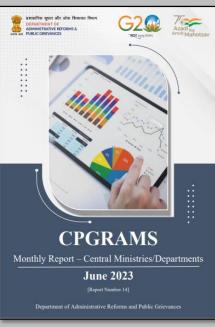


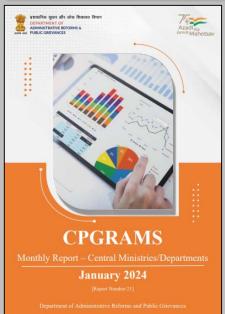


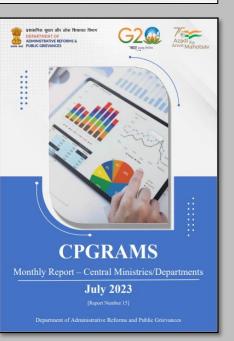


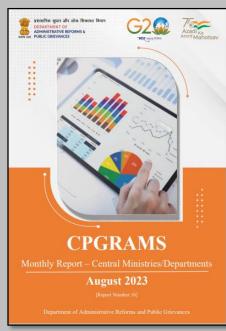


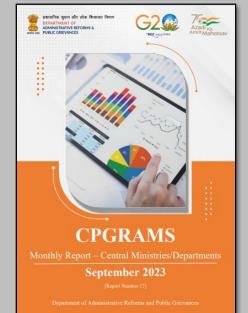


















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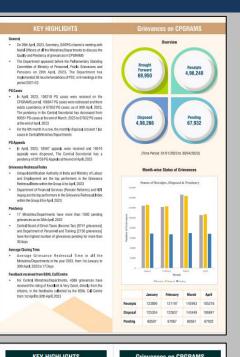


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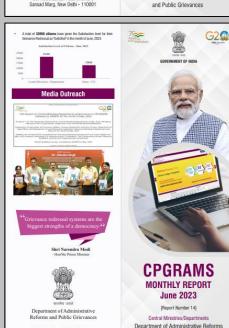


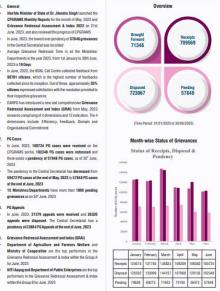








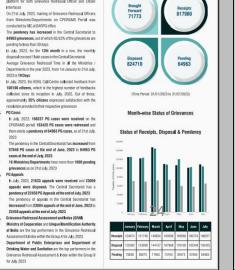




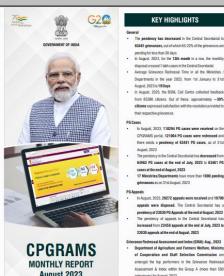




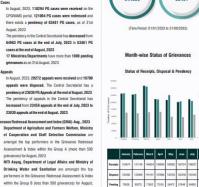
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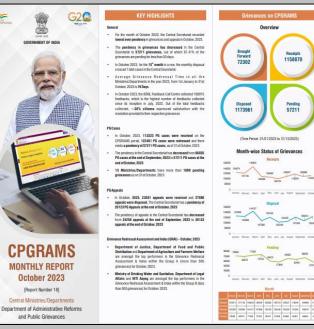
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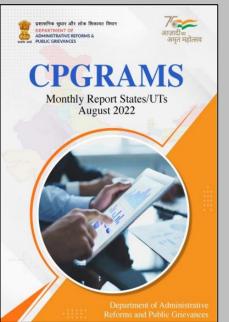


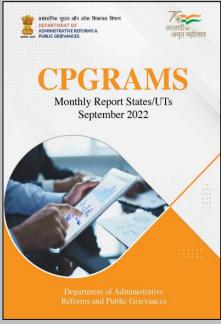


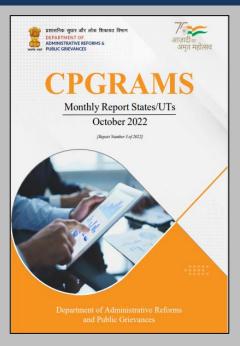


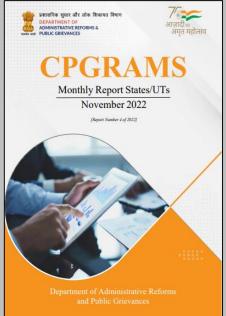


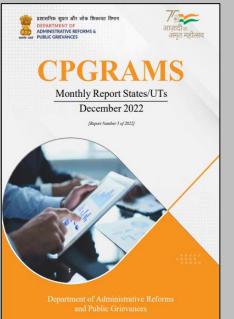
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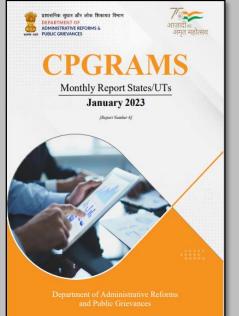


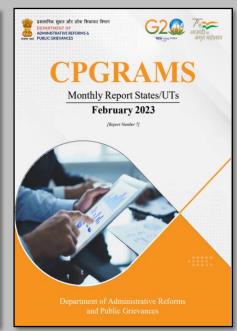


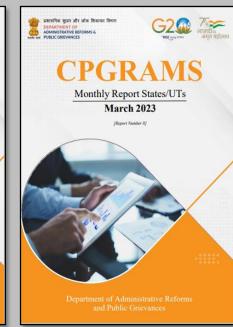


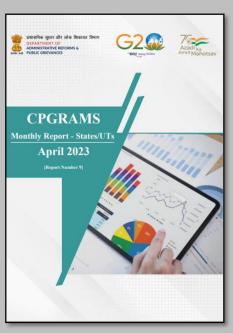


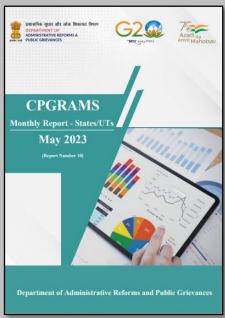


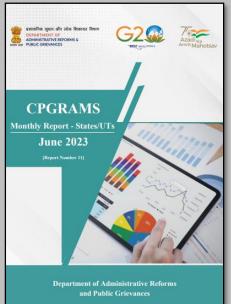


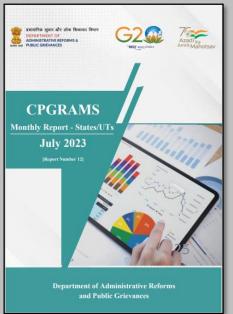


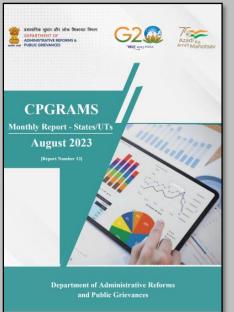


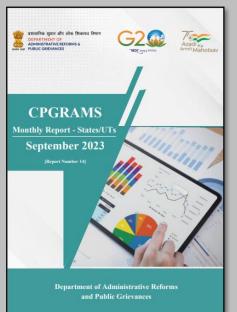


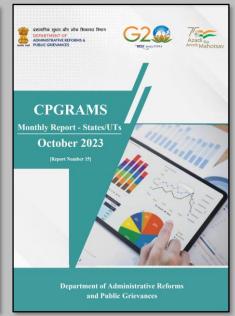


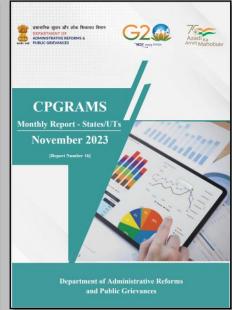


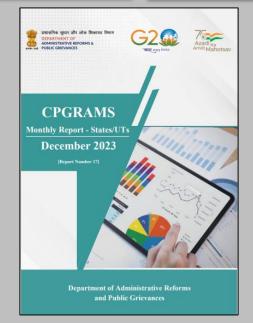


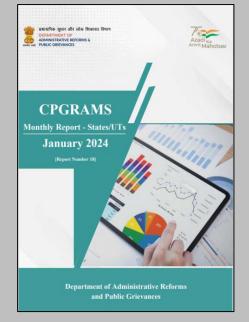


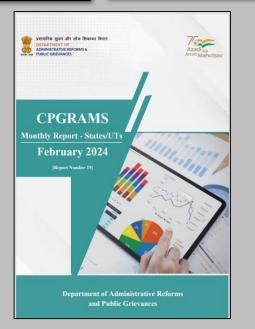




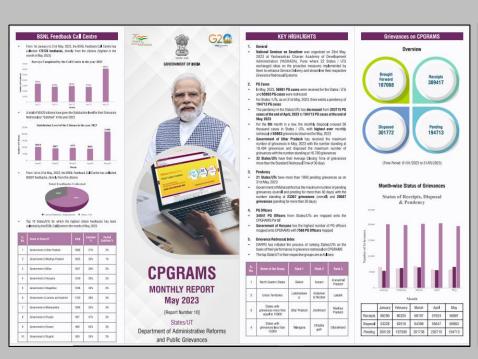


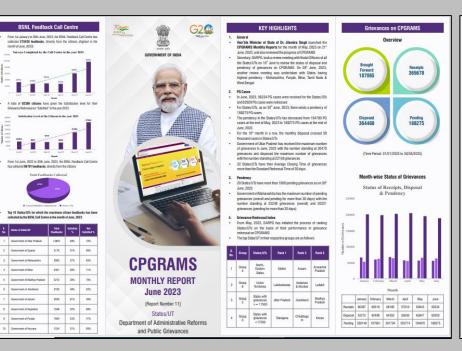






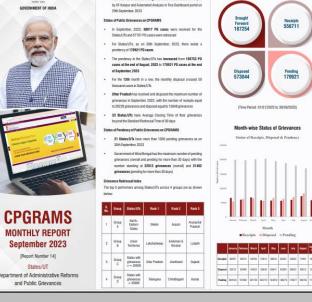
MONITORING PROCESS – FLYERS – STATES/UTs



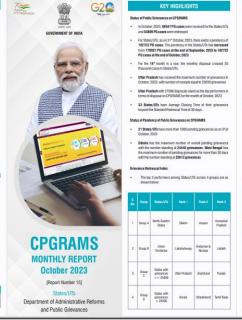










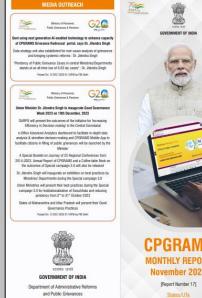




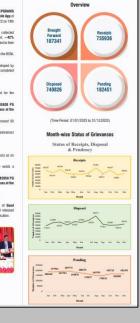












MONITORING PROCESS – MONTHLY REVIEW MEETINGS



Good Governance: Insights for New Generation Administrative Reforms!

During the Review of CPGRAMS Progress Meeting, e-book was released by Hon'ble MoS (PP) Shri @DrJitendraSingh Ji, which can be accessed from the following link:

ati.darpg.in.net/ebook/



9:12 PM · Jun 21, 2023 · 1,133 Views



Good Governance: Citizen First Approach!

Creative citizen centric solutions and in-depth root analysis was shared by officials to Hon'ble MoS (PP) Shri Jitendra Singh Ji, which gave primacy to the concerns of the Citizens during the Review of CPGRAMS Progress Meeting.



8:32 PM · Jun 21, 2023 · 1,427 Views



Secretary, DARPG, Shri V. Srinivas chaired the review meeting with the Nodal Officers of all the Central Ministries/Departments and States/UTs. The focus of the meeting was to evaluate the status of pendency and quality of disposal of grievances on #CPGRAMS.



A PMO India and 8 others

6:25 PM · Feb 19, 2024 · 3,073 Views



Secretary, DARPG, Shri V. Srinivas chaired the review meeting with the Nodal Officers of all the Central Ministries/Departments and States/UTs to review the status of pendency and quality of redressal of grievances on #CPGRAMS.



A PMO India and 8 others

6:44 PM · Jan 17, 2024 · 3,737 Views



Shri V. Srinivas, Secretary, DARPG, took a review meeting with the Nodal Officers of all the States/UTs to review the status of pendency and redressal timelines of grievances on #CPGRAMS.



A PMO India and 8 others

9:18 PM · Nov 8, 2023 · 1,024 Views



Shri V. Srinivas, Secretary, DARPG, took a review meeting with the Nodal Officers of all the Central Ministries/Departments and assessed the status of pendency and quality of disposal of grievances on #CPGRAMS for the month of September 2023.



PMO India and 9 others

9:36 PM - Oct 12, 2023 - 2,733 Views



Shri V. Srinivas, Secretary, DARPG, chaired the review meeting with the Nodal Officers of all the Central Ministries/Departments and assessed the status of pendency and quality of disposal of grievances on #CPGRAMS for the month of October 2023.



A PMO India and 8 others

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Secretary, DARPG, Shri V. Srinivas took a review meeting with 6 States having high pendency on #CPGRAMS.

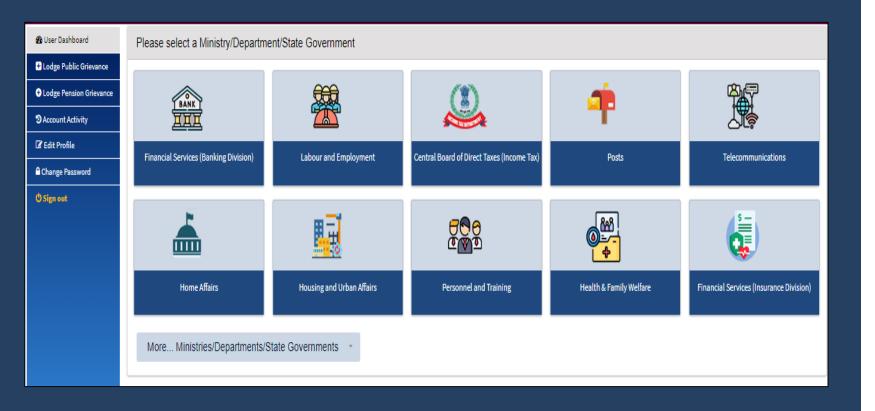
Officers from Maharashtra, West Bengal, Punjab, Odisha, Bihar and Haryana joined the meeting and updated about the status of disposal and pendency of grievances, and

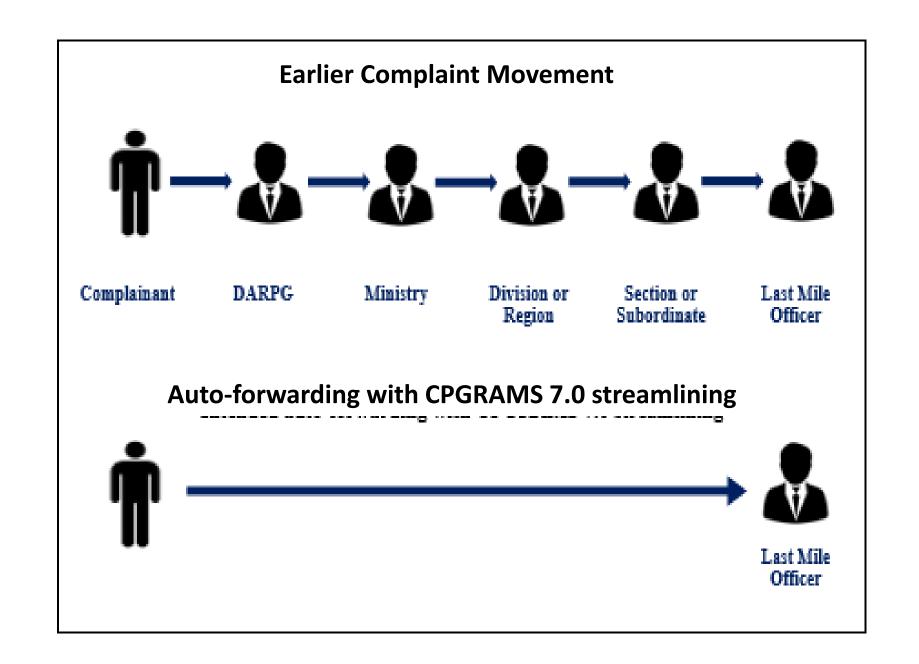


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Universalization of CPGRAMS 7.0

Auto-forwarding of grievances by changing the method of data collection on CPGRAMS portal and mapping of end-line officers





Preliminary
Grievance Analysis

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Categorisation of Grievances

Information Sought from Citizen

Mapping of Last Mile Officers

All the 90 Ministries/Departments on-boarded on CPGRAMS 7.0

- URGENT Grievances identified based on keywords like corruption, sexual harassment, suicide, threat, danger, murder, violence, atrocities, etc., flagged on the dashboard for priority disposal
- Flagging of Super Senior Citizen's Pension Grievances
- Flagging of Family Pension Grievances
- An AI/ML based dashboard has been developed with IIT-Kanpur, enabling deeper analysis of CPGRAMS grievances by the Ministries/Departments, to help them bring about systemic changes and policy interventions



USE of AI/ML IN CPGRAMS

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How do we summarize information from grievances?

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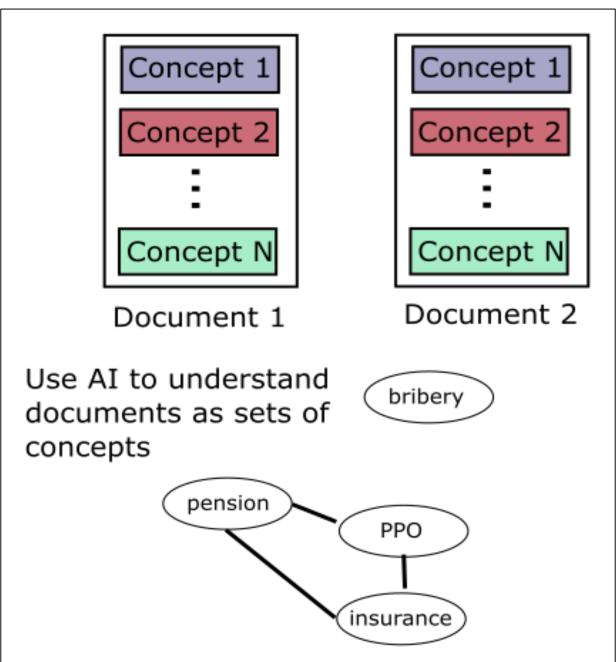
Hi sir, This complaint related canteen stores department under defence ministry in the MAO csd canteen the working staff sell goods in open market the goods and essential things for defence personnel and their dependent .Every day they sell 50000rs goods in open market they used the canteen smart card from the incoming the name of staffMr. Arun GavadeMr. Manoj Lad and Mrs Manisha pednekar, there are appointed on contracatual basis.

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- Traditional approach: ask officers to tag them into categories
 - O How do we decide the categories?
 - Category complexity limited to human cognitive limitations
- Digital transformation: keyword-based search
 - Will work well for complaints about domain-specific issues
 - Will not work well for systemic or cross-domain complaints these are frequently more interesting
- Al-based transformation: Semantic search
 - Use AI to understand the gist of individual complaints
 - Under the gist of user queries
 - Retrieve most relevant complaints

A revolution in information processing

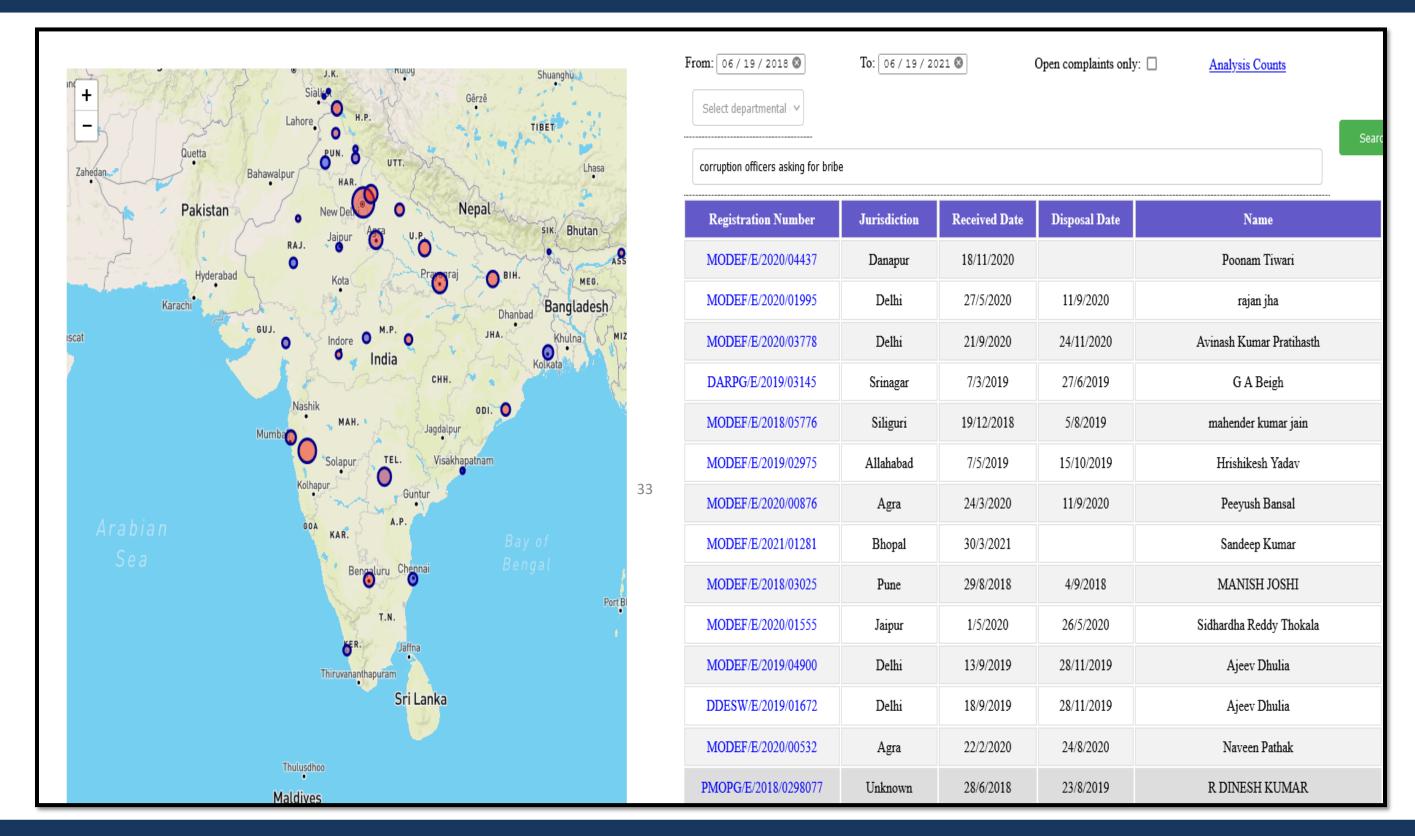


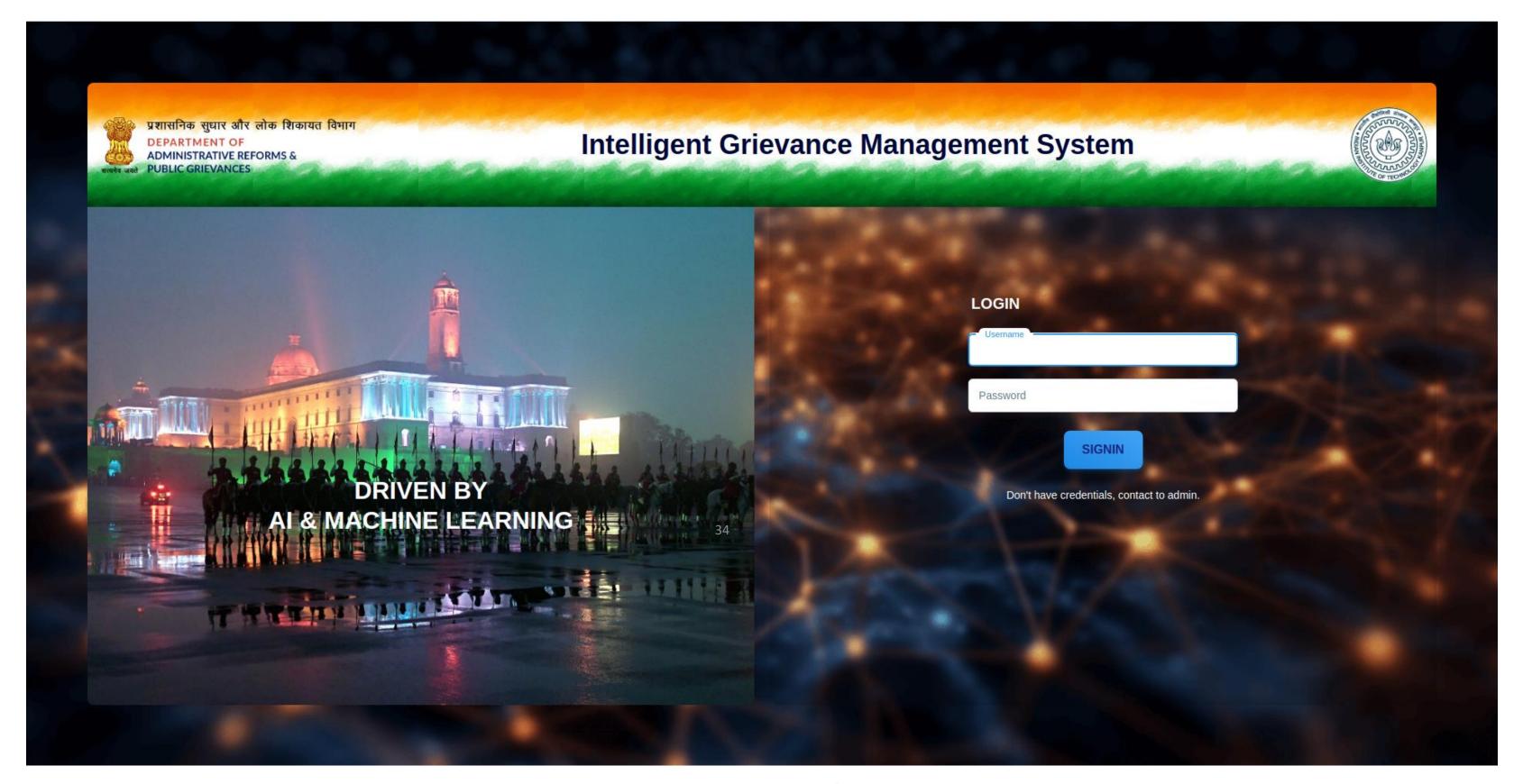


19th century information processing

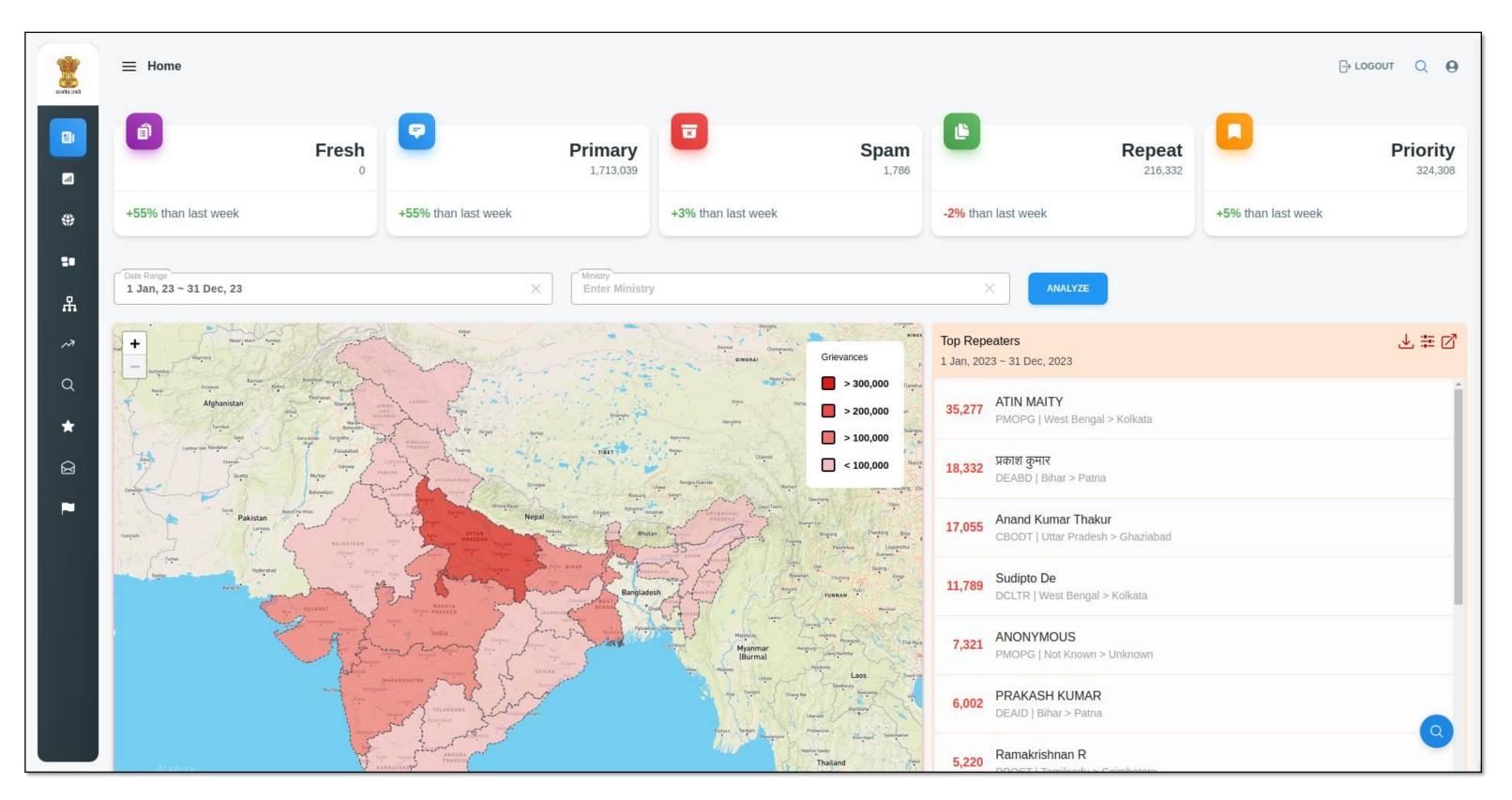
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Use Case – Identifying Problem areas

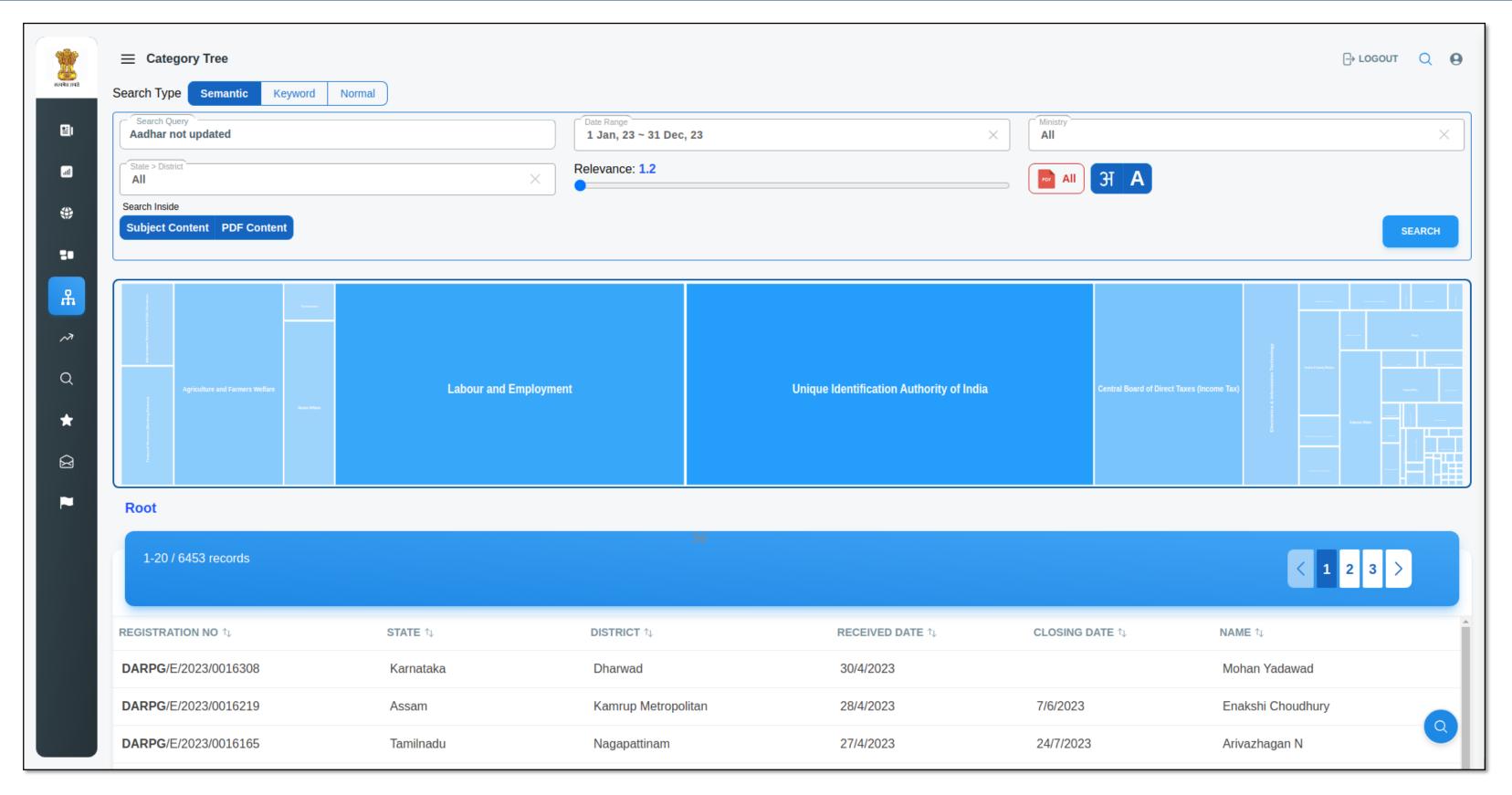




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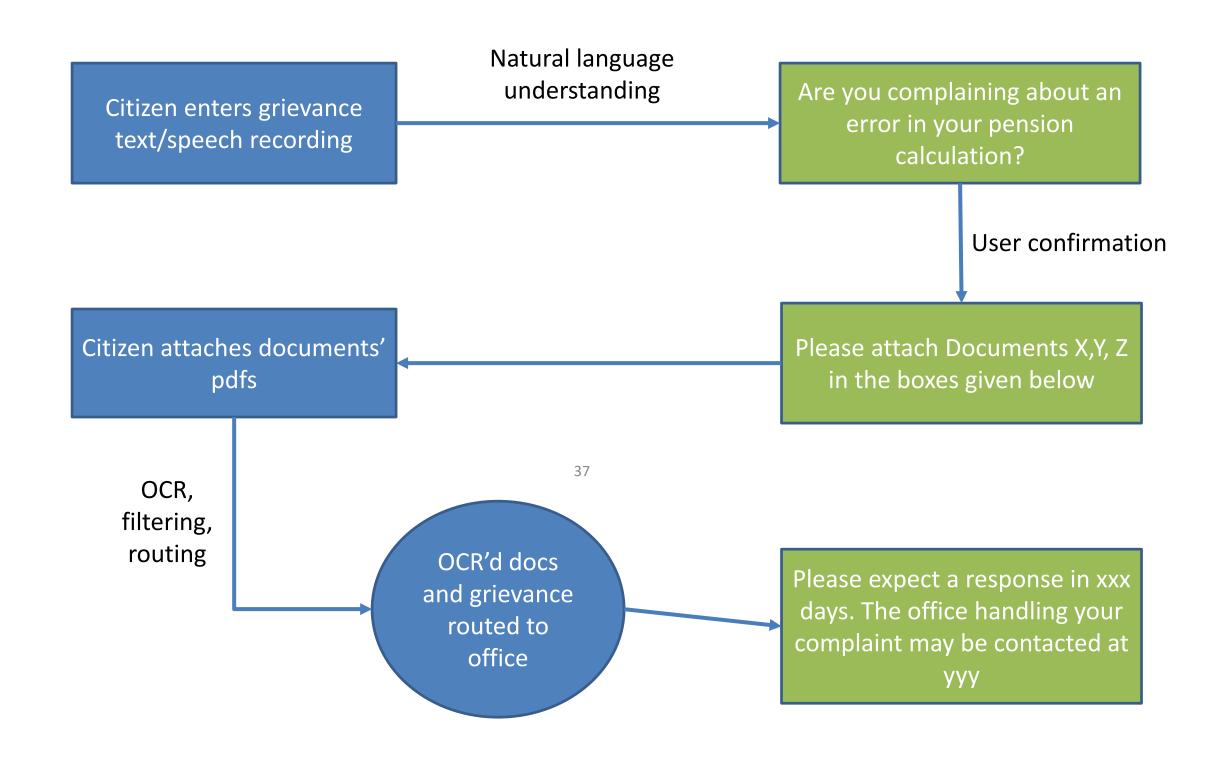


Bifurcation of grievances into different categories like Spam, Repeat, Priority and highlighting Habitual Complainants

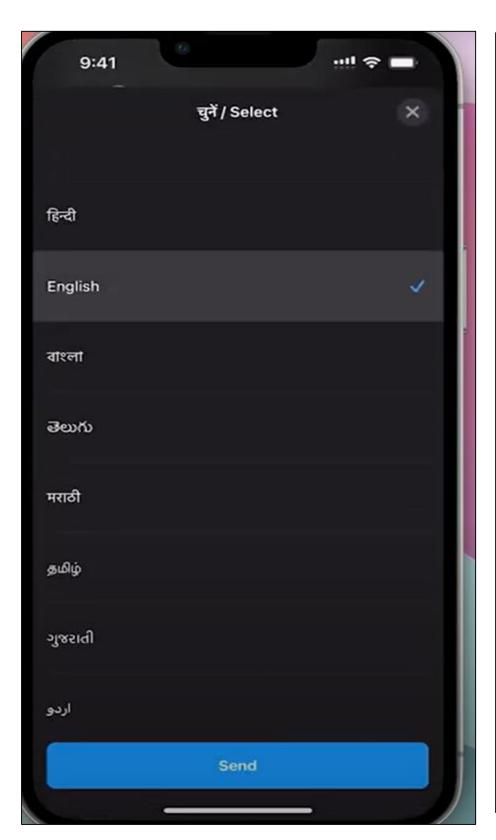


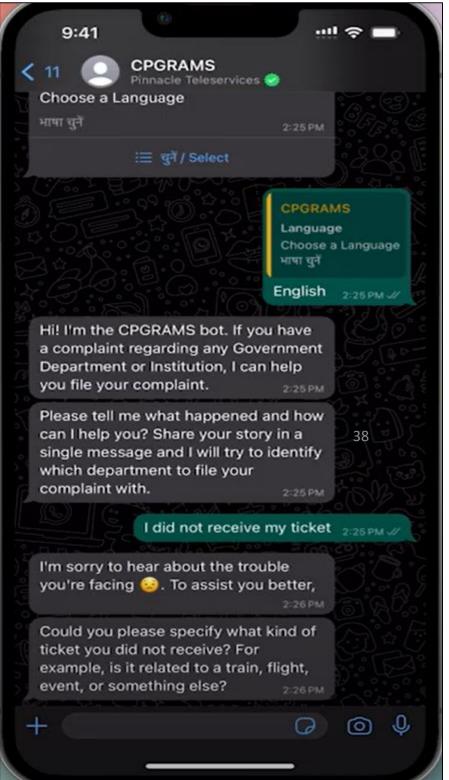
Category Tree for identifying issues category-wise

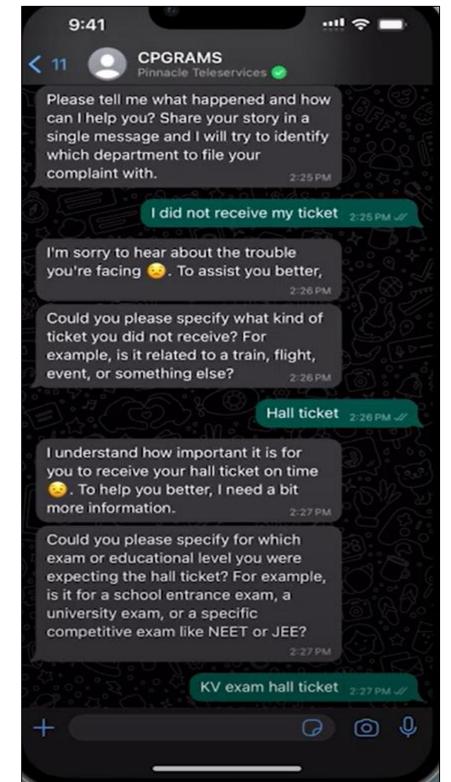
Al based channel for receiving a grievance

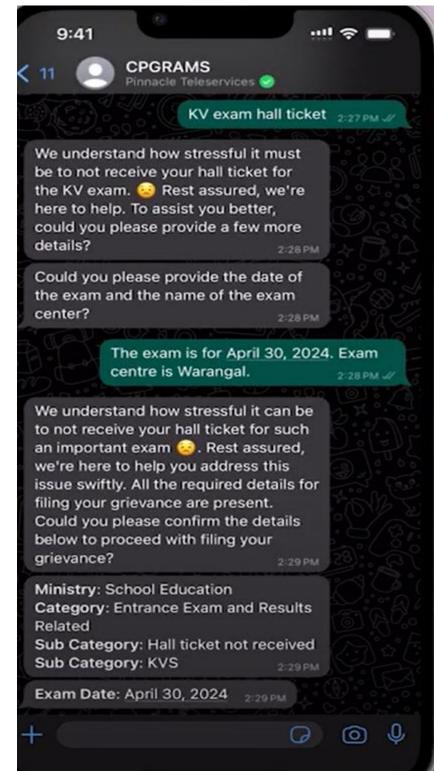


Use of WhatsApp to file a grievances (under POC currently)



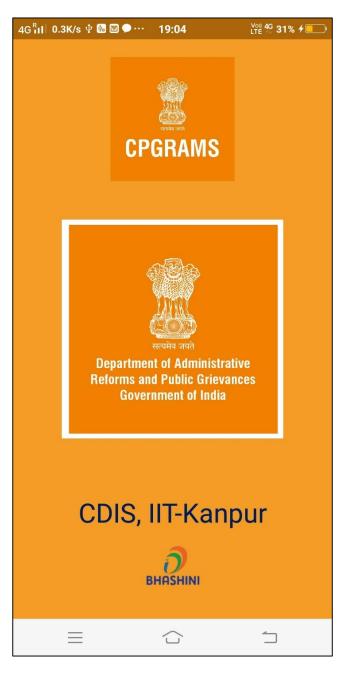


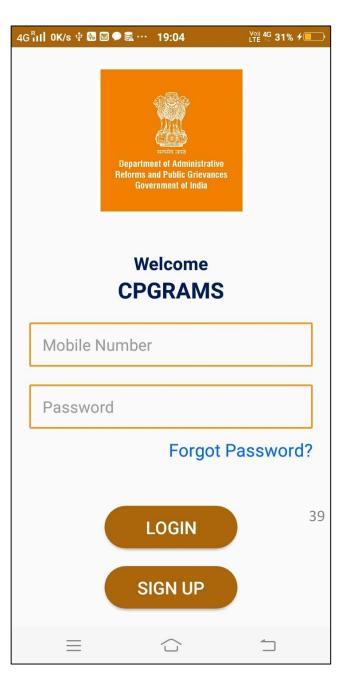




TECHNOLOGICAL ENHANCEMENTS

CPGRAMS App







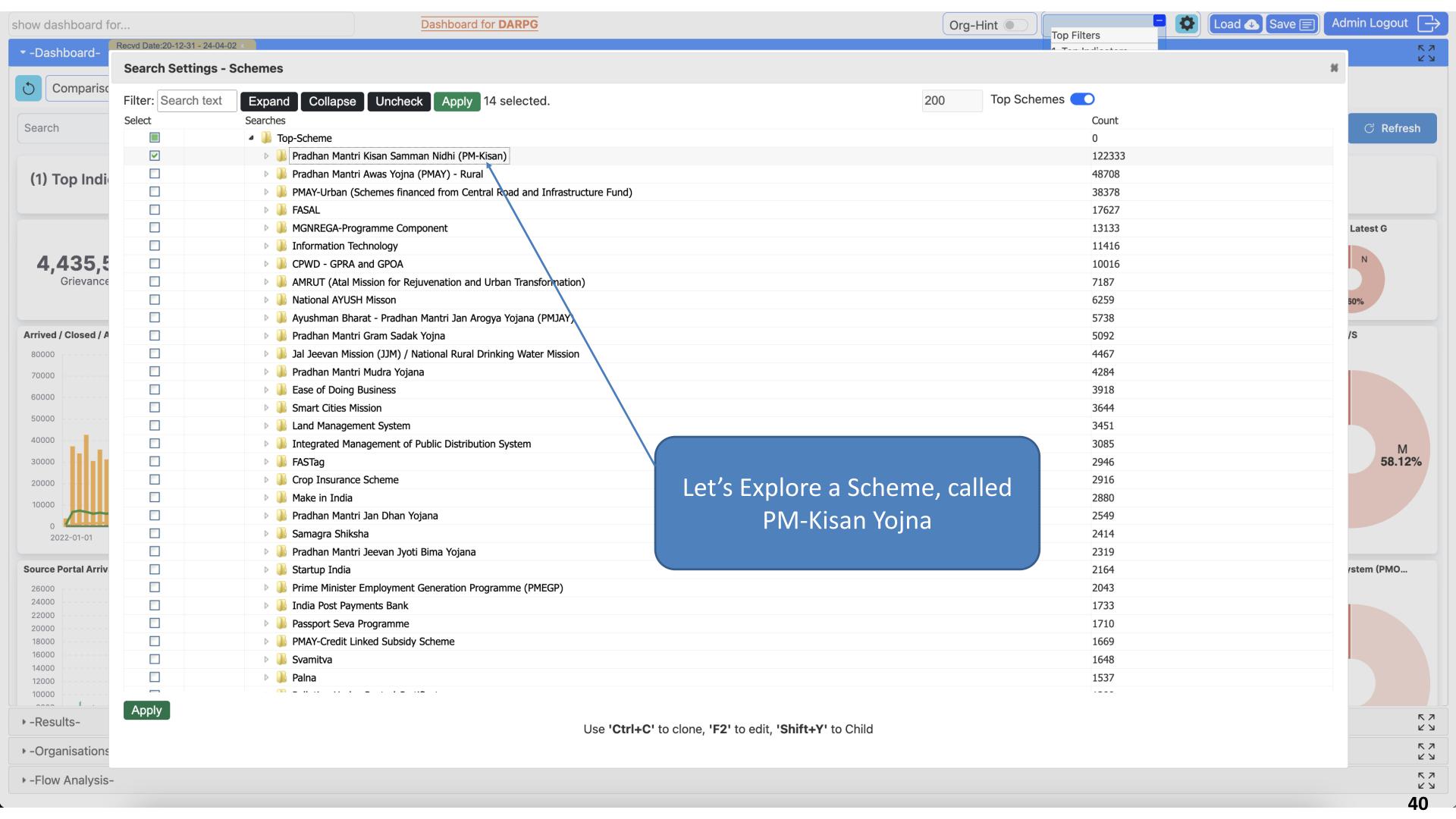


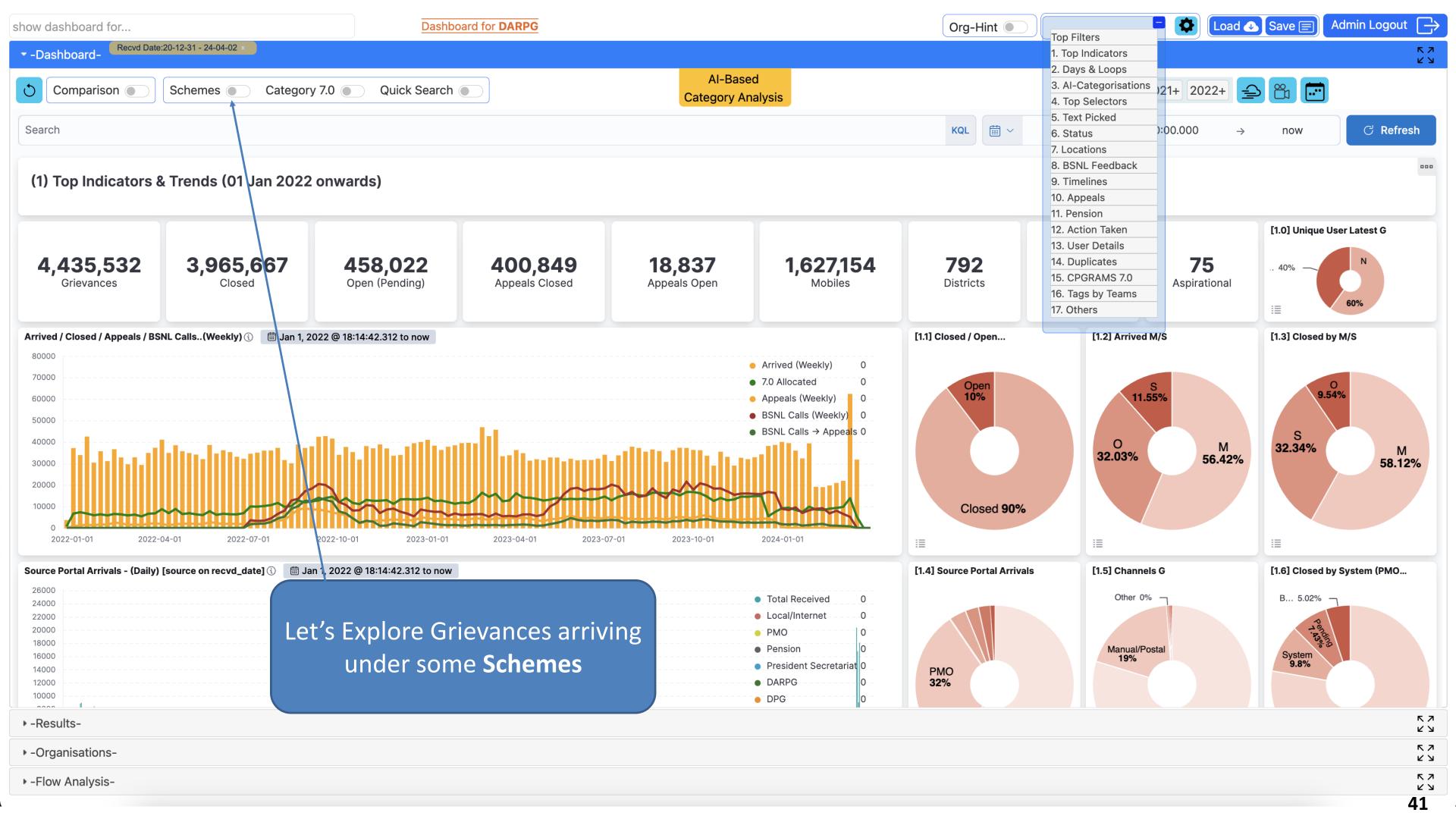
DARPG has developed "CPGRAMS App" through which citizens can register their grievances using the mobile phones. The application enables users to express concerns, submit grievances, communicate with Central Ministries/Departments and States/UT governments in both **English** and Hindi, voice to text.

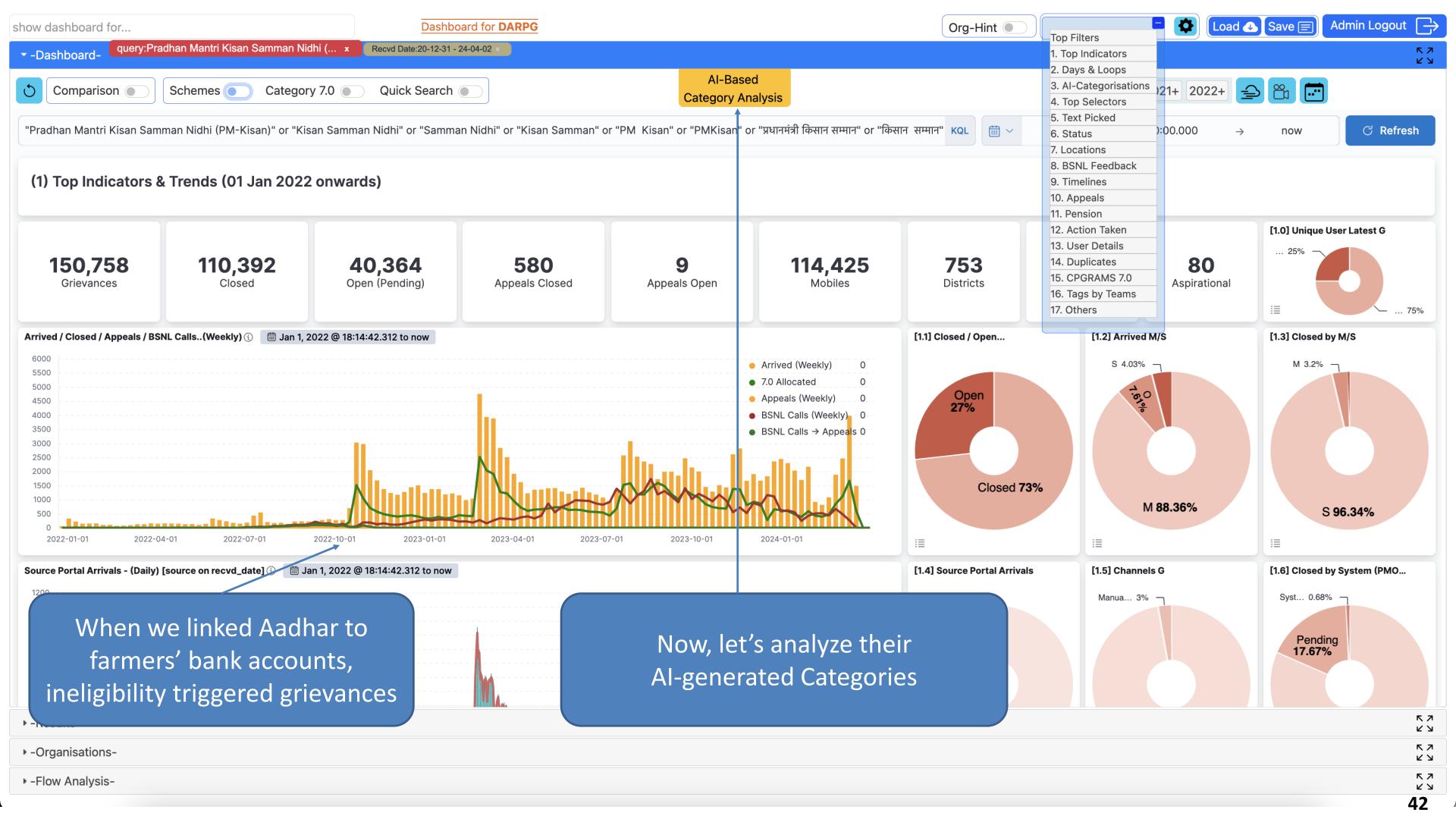
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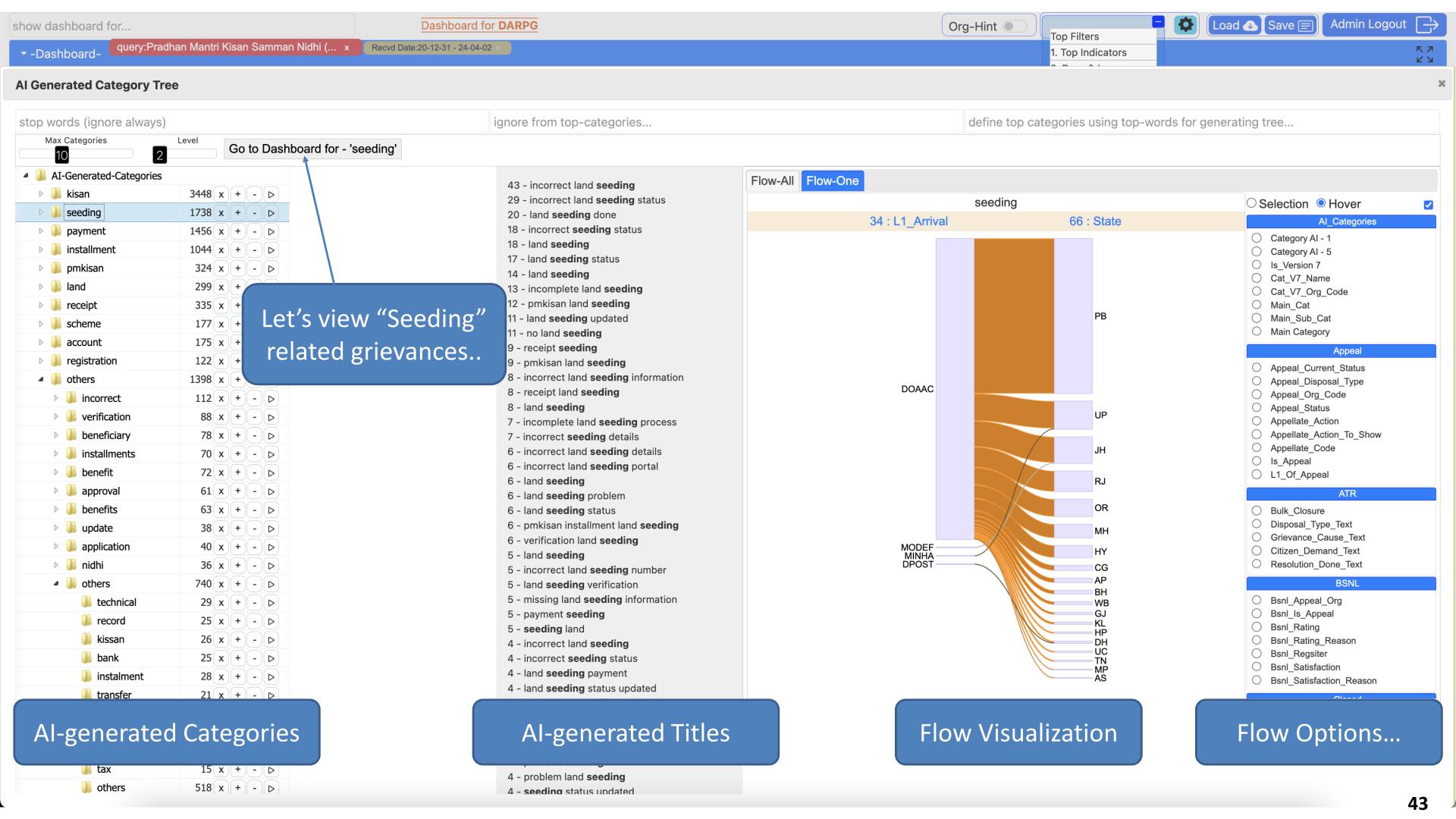
The Data Strategy Unit, setup by DARPG, has developed an analytical dashboard which enables drawing insights, that may be leveraged for strategic decision making and policy based reforms. The automated analysis tool has been rolled out to all the Central Ministries/Departments.

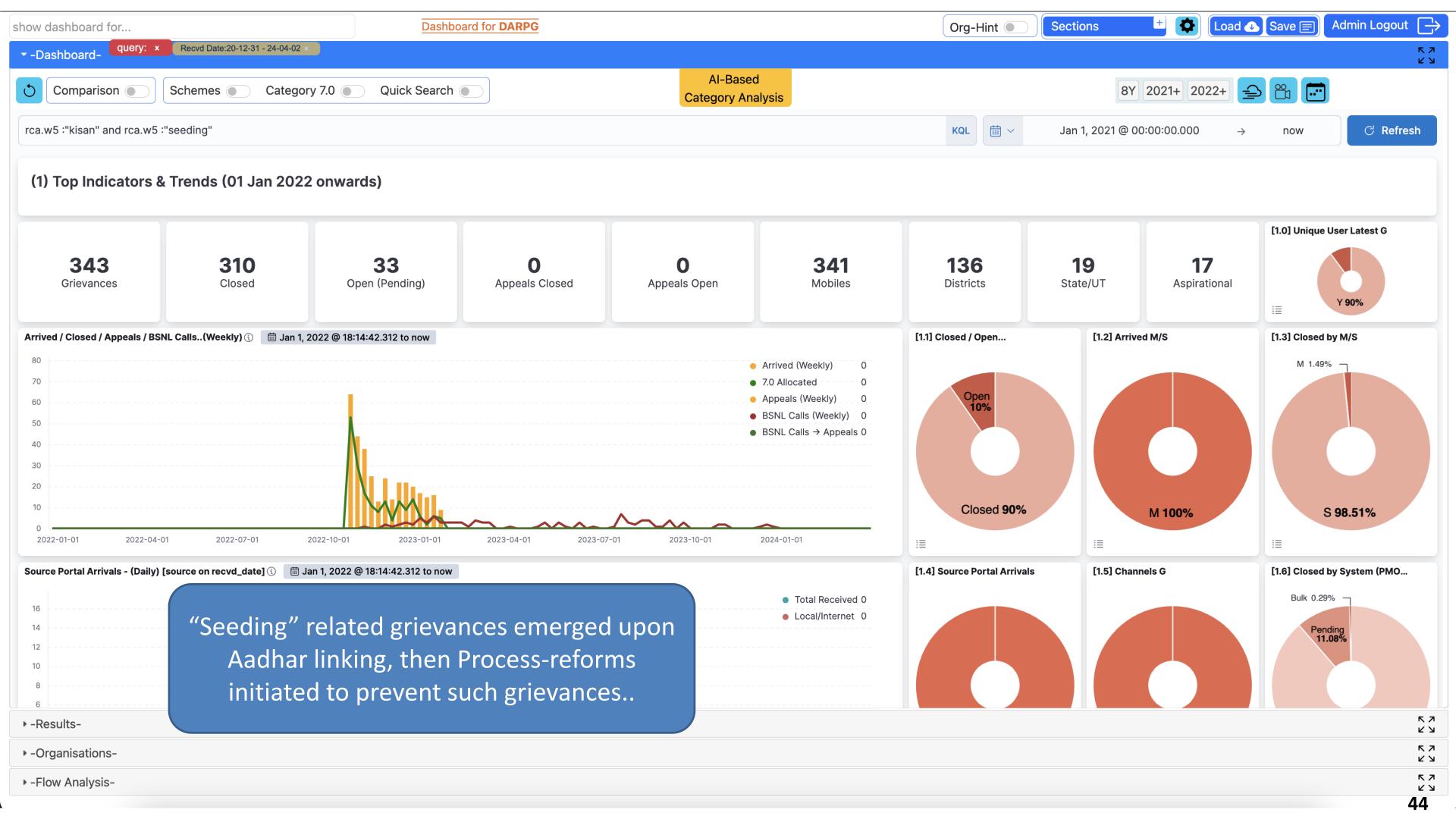


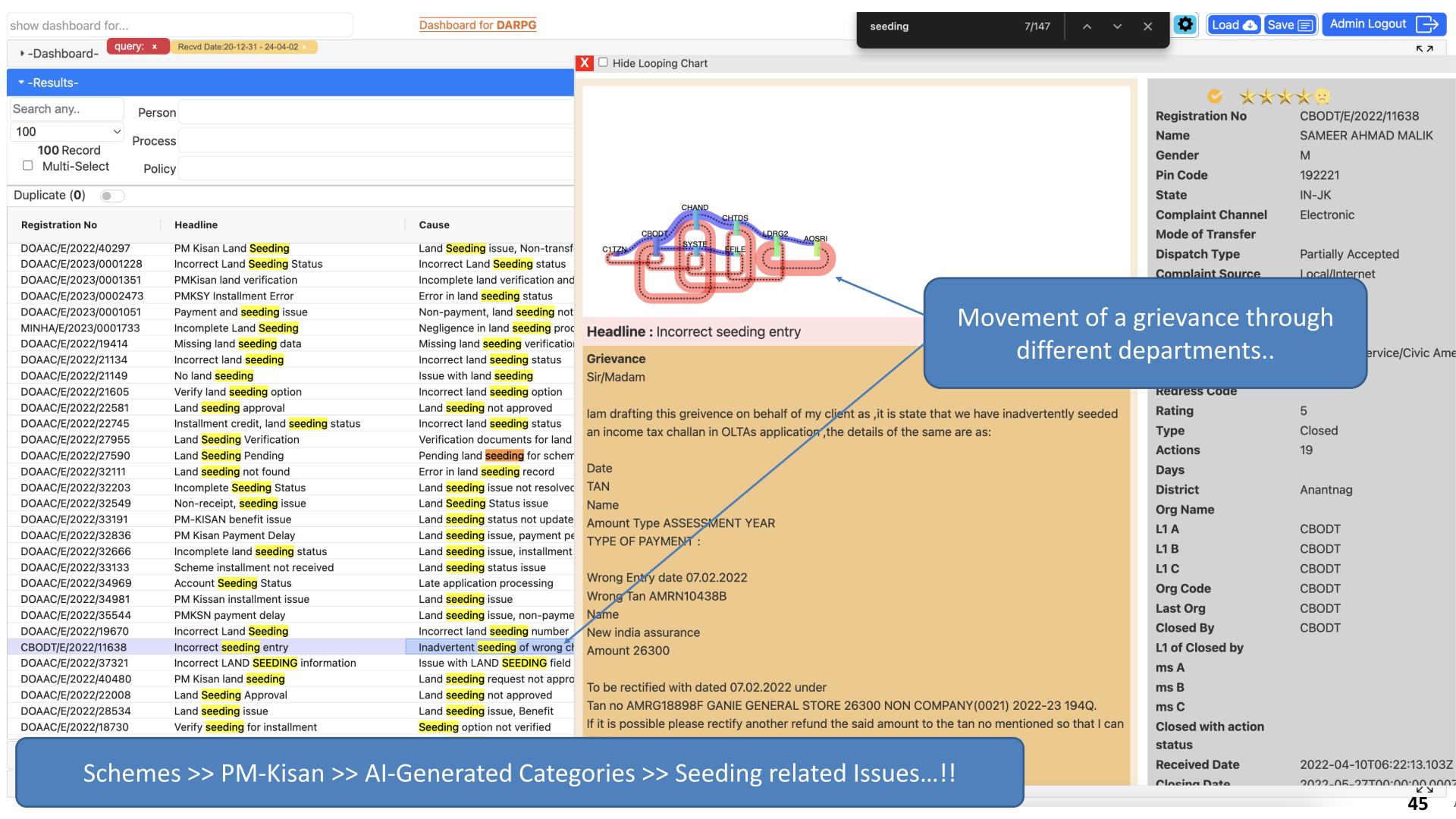


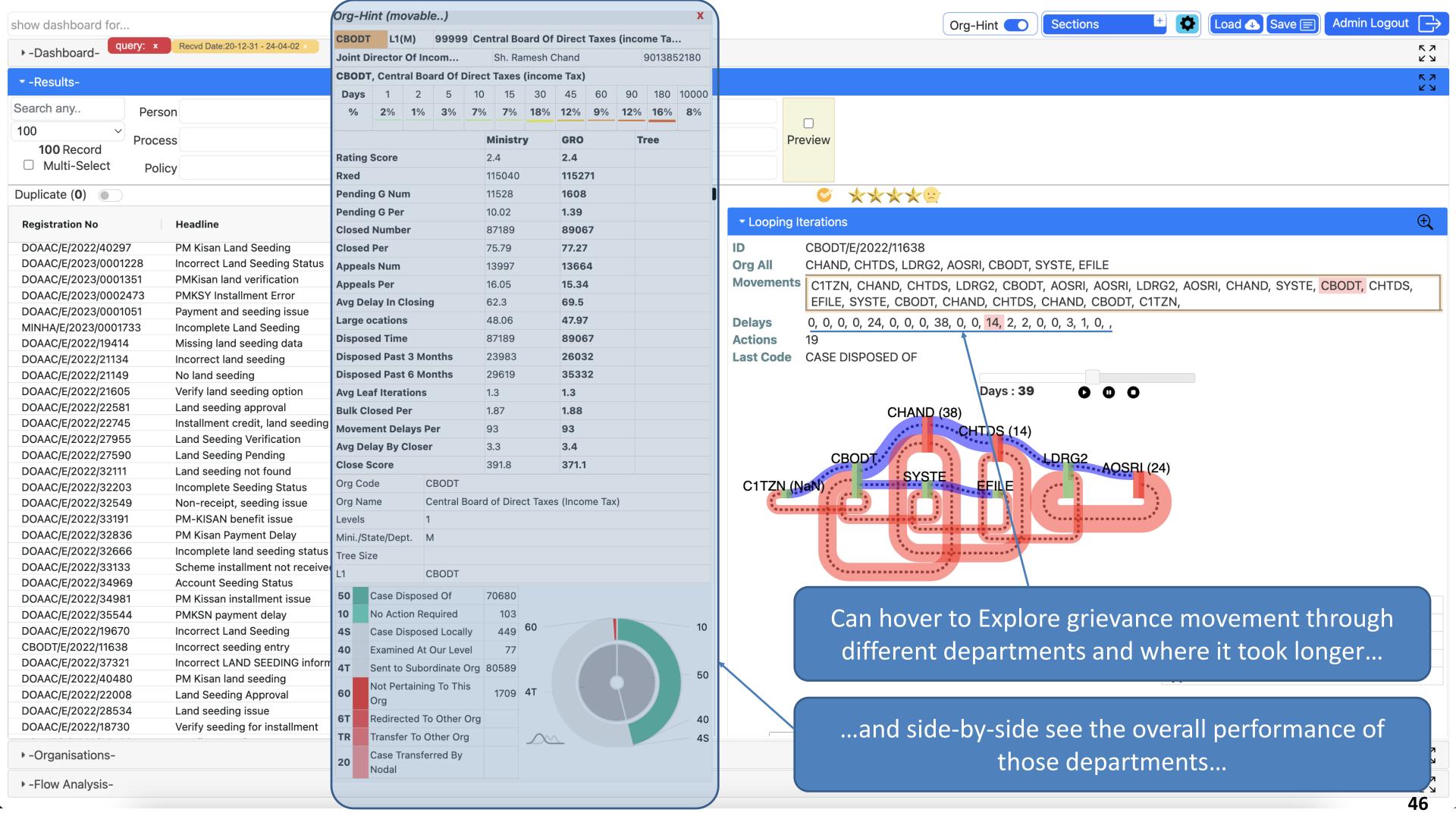












AI/ML journey of DARPG

127th Parliamentary Standing Committee:

"The Committee recommends the Department to use Artificial Intelligence to develop a mechanism in which grievance can be lodged through voice recording which will help the people who are unable to file grievances using CPGRAMS portal. (3.10)"

MoU with IIT Kanpur- December, 2021

Adoption of Tree Dashboard, IGMS 1.0-August, 2022

Adoption of IGMS 2.0 - August, 2023

Adoption of CPGRAMS App - November, 2023

Launch of CPGRAMS Chat bot - April, 2024

Launch of CPGRAMS Smart App - July, 2024





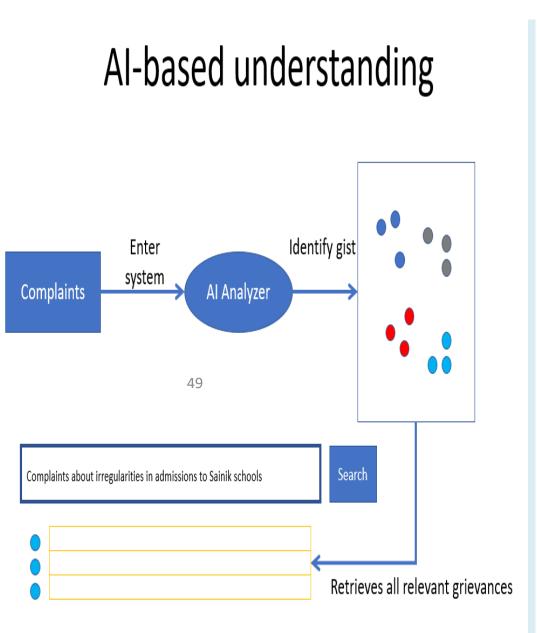
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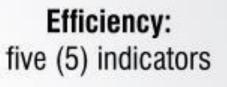
LANGUAGE TRANSLATION



Al based BHASHINI platform has now been seamlessly integrated with the CPGRAMS Portal

GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL ASSESSMENT & INDEX - CENTRAL

DARPG introduced a new and comprehensive **Grievance Redressal Assessment & Index (GRAI)** from May 2023 onwards with 4 dimensions and 11 indicators. The objective of GRAI is to assist the Ministries/Departments to review, analyse and streamline their grievance redressal mechanism with identification of strengths and areas of improvement. It presents a comparative assessment with other Ministries/Departments.



Feedback: two (2) indicators

Organisational Commitment: two (2) indicators

Domain: two (2) indicators

- The data used in preparing the GRAI is taken on a monthly basis
- The Ministries/Departments have been categorised into two groups, based on the number of grievances received during the period in consideration, to enable a fair comparison
 - On monthly basis, GRAI is being published for Central Ministries/Departments in the CPGRAMS Monthly Reports

A VISUAL DESCRIPTION OF TOP 10 MINISTRIES IN SEPTEMBER 2023

#	Name of Ministry/Department	% of Grievances Resolution within Timeline	% Growth in Grievance Registration	% of Appeals Redressed	% of Resolution of Corruption Grievances	Average Disposal Time	% Pendency with GROs	% of Appeals Filed	% of Grievances with Excellent & Very Good Remarks	% of Disposal of Complaints Labelled as "Urgent"	Adequacy of Categorisation	Ratio of GROs vis-à-vis Grievanc es	% of Active GROs
1	Ministry of Labour and Employment	71.33	-4.44	89.45	76.32	9.00	0.09	25.99	34.25	75.76	27.17	11.65	24.32
2	Department of Financial Services (Banking Division)	54.02	-2.91	54.18	57.45	18.00	0.03	25.00	27.80	63.84	14.34	4.41	10.10
3	Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare	75.27	-15.36	27.03	75.00	5.00	0.00	0.26	24.66	100.00	0.06	99.98	15.18
4	Ministry of Railways (Railway Board)	55.60	-6.72	59.75	44.59	13.00	0.13	28.79	23.94	72.50	4.27	2.41	25.42
5	Central Board of Direct Taxes (Income Tax)	16.32	-10.54	26.97	42.86	62.00	0.03	21.04	35.15	85.90	21.30	0.52	10.84
6	Department of Posts	66.73	-4.65	65.75	61.42 52	11.00	0.00	28.00	34.39	83.33	23.29	3.89	35.87
7	Ministry of Home Affairs	71.97	-11.07	47.48	76.92	10.00	0.31	10.34	27.64	93.06	3.08	6.76	23.35
8	Department of Telecommunications	83.35	-7.41	87.40	84.40	6.00	0.00	34.95	22.48	93.10	7.76	2.30	12.92
9	Department of Ex Servicemen Welfare	35.83	-2.68	54.05	50.00	23.00	0.22	14.94	40.96	16.67	3.75	2.63	9.02
10	Department of Health & Family Welfare	46.46	-3.38	22.86	46.43	23.00	0.22	15.24	21.45	72.73	18.63	3.46	12.56

A VISUAL DESCRIPTION OF TOP 10 MINISTRIES IN FEBRUARY 2024

#	M/D	% of Grievances Resolution within Timeline	% of Appeals Redressed	% of Resolution of Corruption Grievances	Average Disposal Time	% Pendency with GROs	% of Appeals Filed	% of Resolution with "Satisfied" Remarks	% of Disposal of Complaints Labelled as "Urgent"	Adequacy of Categorisation	Ratio of GROs vis- à-vis Grievances	% of Active GROs
1	Department of Rural Development	12.11	25.35	38.89	19.00	0.00	5.52	74.10	50.00	0.01	2.99	2.40
2	Ministry of Labour and Employment	75.86	86.52	69.23	8.00	0.12	22.95	51.81	59.57	24.98	16.98	66.00
3	Department of Financial Services (Banking Division)	50.00	70.20	56.03	20.00	0.09	22.28	44.60	62.07	12.82	12.06	54.79
4	Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs	48.38	46.66	61.70	7.00	0.00	6.73	32.00	53.85	0.08	7.30	24.47
5	Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare	83.23	33.80	60.00	5.00	0.00	0.32	52.68	83.33	0.10	91.11	43.43
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9	Ministry of Home Affairs	73.29	46.98	63.95	8.00	0.17	7.07	39.46	89.35	3.22	8.62	56.25
10	Department of Ex Servicemen Welfare	40.85	97.63	64.29	32.00	0.00	18.04	50.69	90.00	3.22	3.54	15.68

FEEDBACK CALL CENTRE

- DARPG in association with Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) launched
 Feedback Call Centre in the month of July, 2022
- The establishment of the Feedback Call Centre aimed to promote accountability and improve the quality of resolving grievances
- Citizens provide direct feedback to the Call Centre, shedding light on the effectiveness of resolutions by Ministries/Departments and States/UTs in addressing their grievances
- The Call Centre operates in 4 cities: Noida, Vadodara, Zahirabad, and Marthandam
- Feedback calls are conducted in 12 distinct languages: English, Hindi, Gujarati, Marathi, Bengali, Telugu, Assamese, Odia, Tamil, Malayalam, Kannada, and Punjabi
- Citizens are provided with the choice to indicate their satisfaction level as either <u>Satisfied</u>, <u>Partially Satisfied</u>, <u>or Not Satisfied</u> with the resolution

Total Feedback Collected

13,40,947

Citizen Expressing Satisfaction

4,96,604

Excellent & Very Good Collected

3,34,844

Timeline: July 2022 to March 2024

ONE NATION ONE PORTAL – CENTRAL MINISTRIES/DEPARTMENTS













ONE NATION ONE PORTAL – STATES/UTs













INCLUSIVITY AND OUTREACH

Leveraging the network of Common Service Centres (CSCs) for rural outreach

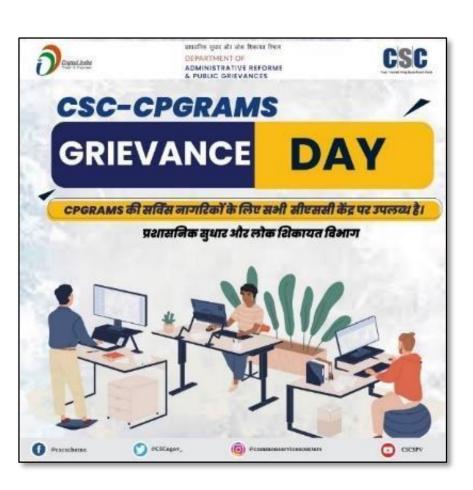
- CPGRAMS has been integrated with the Common Service Centre (CSC) portal and is available at more than 5 lakh CSCs, associating with 2.5 lakh Village Level Entrepreneurs (VLEs).
- Common Service Centers has started organizing CSC-CPGRAMS Grievance Day on the 20th of every month from October, 2023.







CPGRAMS Stall at GPAI Summit 2023



TRAINING AND CAPACITY BUILDING

- The Sevottam Scheme envisages capacity building of officers for improving service delivery and redressal of public grievances.
- Under the scheme, DARPG releases funds to State ATIs/CTIs for setting up a Sevottam Training Cell in the ATI.
- The National Seminar on Sevottam for Effective Redressal of Public Grievances was held at YASHADA, Pune on 23rd May 2023.z

S. No.	Financial Year	Training Conducted	Officers Trained		
1	2022-23	280	8496		
2	2023-24	265	8401		

Data as on 31st March, 2024





Link: https://ati.darpg.in.net/login/

SUCCESS STORIES

SUCCESS STORY 1

Grievance Number: DEABD/E/2023/0076794

Complaint Name: Pappu Kumar Singh

Complaint Lodge Date: 08th November 2023

Complaint Closed Date: 08th February 2024

Total Time Taken for Resolution: 92 Days

Complaint Closed by: Reserve Bank of India

Mr. Singh deposited ₹1,90,000 into Mahindra Finance's account with the hope of purchasing a tractor. However, his money remained untouched for nearly four years, despite his persistent inquiries. A grievance led to an investigation, revealing the truth. Mr. Singh's deposit was refunded, and he received ₹85,000 in compensation for the hardships endured.

SUCCESS STORIES

SUCCESS STORY 2

Grievance Number: MINIT/E/2023/0003486

Complaint Name: Akshay Kumar

Complaint Lodge Date: 16th August 2023

Complaint Closed Date: 30th August 2023

Total Time Taken for Resolution: 14 Days

Complaint Closed by: Unique Identification Authority of India

Mr. Kumar, intending to update his Aadhar details, encountered an unethical practice at the enrolment center where he was charged double the standard fee without a receipt. Undeterred, he filed a grievance, leading to an investigation. Evidence revealed a pattern of overcharging, resulting in the operator's dismissal and a penalty imposed on the registrar, Yes Bank, emphasizing zero tolerance for such malpractices.

SUCCESS STORIES

SUCCESS STORY 3

Grievance Number: MPANG/E/2024/0001645

Complaint Name: Rabiul Islam

Complaint Lodge Date: 09th February 2024

Complaint Closed Date: 06th March 2024

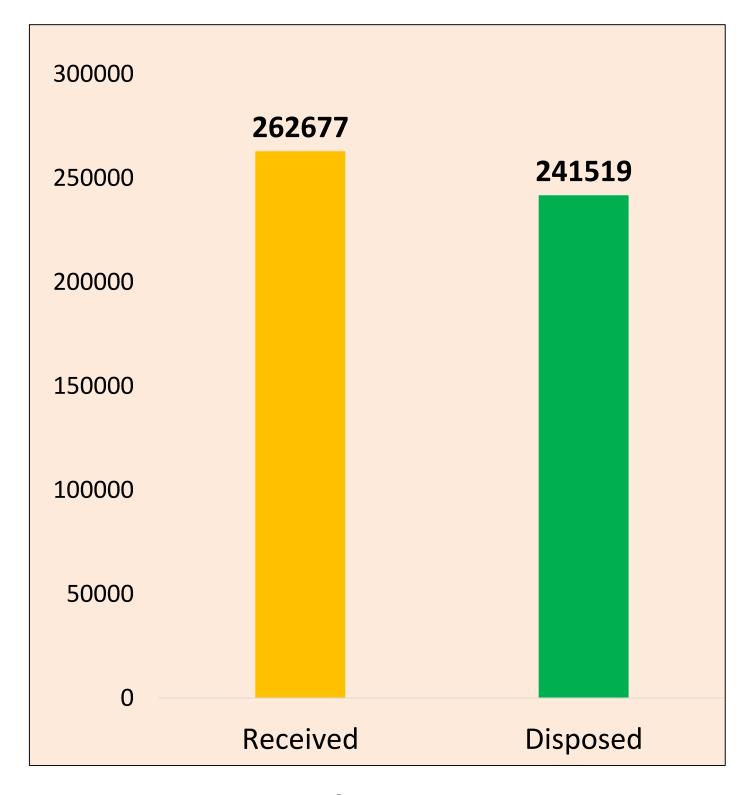
Total Time Taken for Resolution: 26 Days

Complaint Closed by: Ministry of Petroleum and Gas

After the passing of Mr. Rabiul Islam's father, who had an LPG connection with Indian Oil Corporation Limited (IOCL), it was insisted that he surrender the old connection and take a new connection with a composite cylinder. Mr. Islam approached the agency by filing a CPGRAMS, advocating for the transfer of the active connection from his late father's name to his own. A thorough investigation was initiated by MoPNG after the filing of the CPGRAMS. Mr. Islam's request was granted and the connection's name was successfully changed.

BEST PRACTICES IN GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL IN CPGRAMS - COVID

- A separate category 'COVID-19' for lodging of public grievances by citizens during COVID
- The stipulated time for redressal of COVID-19 grievances was brought down to 3 days
- A national Dashboard was launched for exclusive monitoring of COVID-19 public grievances
- Category wise daily reports were sent to Empowered
 Group



Disposal Rate = ~92%

REPLICATING GRIEVANCE PORTALS BEST PRACTICES

SWAGAT State Wide Attention on Grievances By Application of Technology CMO Gujarat

Dr. Narander Kumar Meena, IAS

Collector and District Magistrate,

Devbhumi Dwarka District, Gujarat

Public Grievance Redressal System



https://aaplesarkar.maharashtra.gov.in/

An initiative by Chief Minister's Office, Mantralaya, Mumbai. Supported by Directorate of Information Technology (DIT)

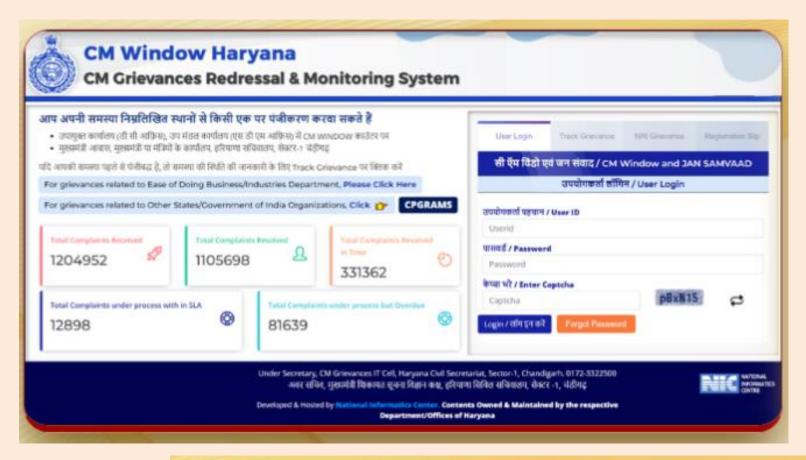


One-stop platform for citizens of Maharashtra to seek redressal of their grievances.



- The grievances can be filed under appropriate category (District Administration/ Mantralaya departments).
- Once grievance has been submitted, a tracking number will be generated.
- Citizens can track the status of the grievance with the help of the tracking number.
- The grievance will be addressed by the competent authority within a period of 21 working days

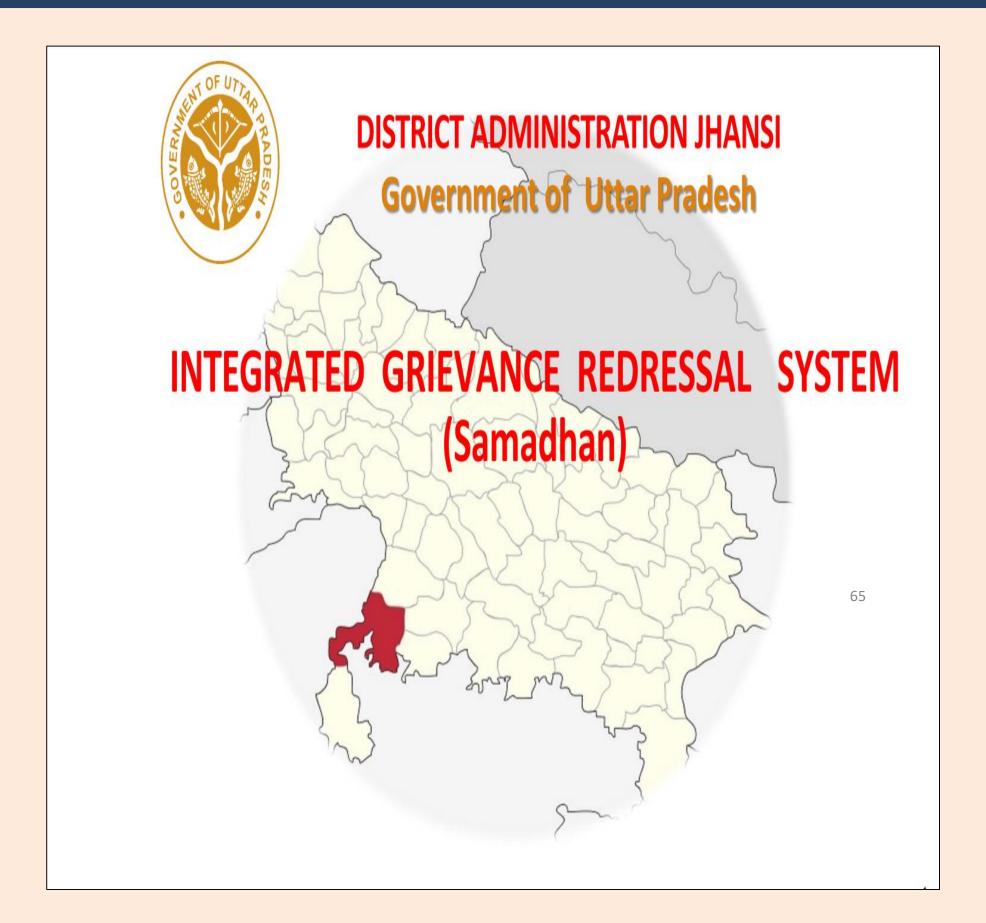
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REPLICATING GRIEVANCE PORTALS BEST PRACTICES







National E- Service Delivery- NeSDA

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NeSDA | About

National e-Governance Service Delivery Assessment (NeSDA) assesses States/UTs and Central Ministries with regard to their delivery of e-services as a benchmarking exercise, covering seven sectors over 4 parameters.

Two NeSDA Reports (NeSDA 2019 & 2021) have been released, the third report (NeSDA 2023) is under formulation

To implement the recommendations, NeSDA Way Forward PMU monitor the monthly progress in e-service delivery, across States/UTs. DARPG has built NeSDA Way Forward Dashboard to collate timely data inputs from States/UTs.

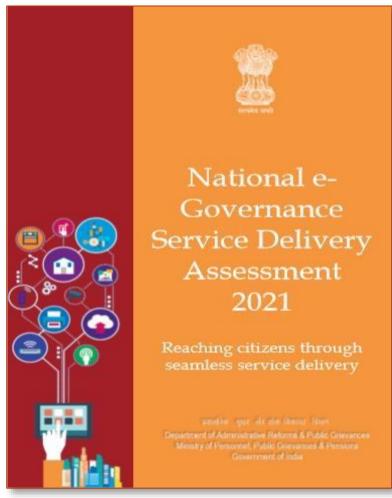
NeSDA 2021 | Improvements from NeSDA 2019

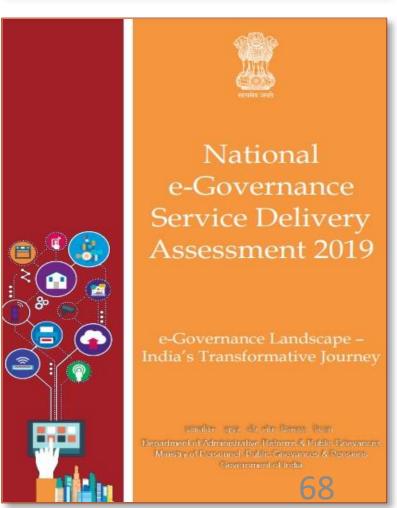
1. Increased delivery of e-Services

- > Over 60% more services evaluated, from 872 services in 2019 to 1400 services in 2021
- > 69%% mandatory e-Services delivered in 2021 by States/UTs, up from 48% in NeSDA 2019
- > 74% respondents for nation-wide Citizen Assessment Survey are Satisfied

2. Rise of Integrated / Centralized Portals

- 3. Improvement across Parameter Scores
 - In NeSDA 2021, scores have improved for –
- Parameters for State/UT/Central Ministry Portals
- Parameters for State/UT/Central Ministry Services Portals
- Information Security & Privacy was the most improved aspect across all sectors





NeSDA – Way Forward | Objective

Saturation of e-Services



- Increase in delivery of total e-Services
- Provision of all **56 mandatory services**
- Identification of all G2B and G2C services provided

Promote faceless and suo-moto entitlement-based delivery of services



• Monitor improvement in the number of services provided facelessly, i.e., without any physical visits, paperwork and human intervention. Provision of e-services to the citizens as per their entitlement, based on their socioeconomic status

Rise in use of Unified / Centralized Portals for delivery of e-Services



 Adoption of integrated service delivery through unified portal provides multiple benefits including faster rollout of services, consistent interfaces, reduced friction and increased trust

Identification of bottlenecks and Dissemination of Best Practices



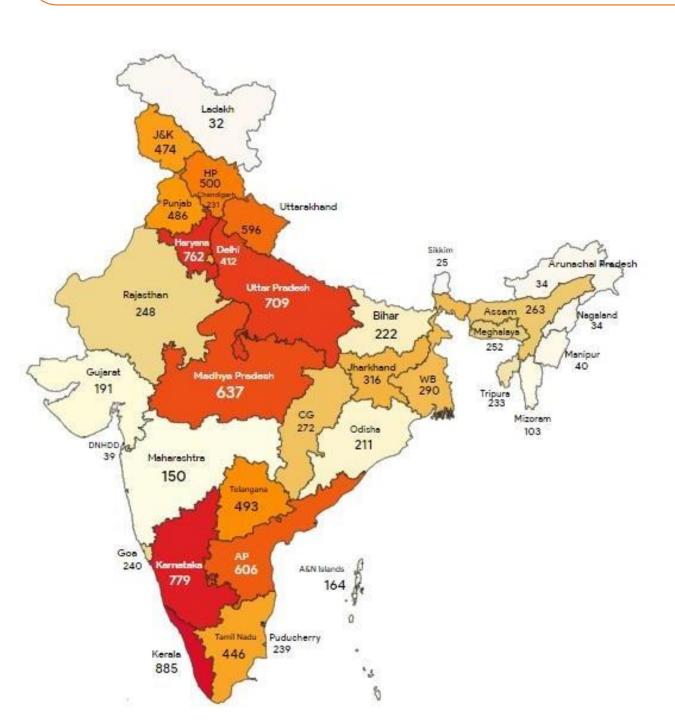
• Recognize the existing knowledge gaps and learn from best practices

NeSDA – Way Forward | Highlights

- 3 Regional Conferences were organized on e-Governance in Bhopal, Mumbai and Guwahati, respectively
- 16,517 Total e-services are provided across States/UTs
- Jammu and Kashmir and Tamil Nadu provide the highest number of e-Services, across States/UTs
- 76% Mandatory e-services are available i.e., 1,528 out of 2,016 (56*36 States/UTs), an increase from 69% under NeSDA 2021
- Jammu and Kashmir, Kerala, Assam and Odisha provide 100% of their services through their identified Single Unified
 Service Delivery Portal i.e., e-UNNAT, e-Sevanam, Sewa Setu and Odisha One, respectively
- Meetings were held with RTS Act Chief Commissioners/Appellate Officers on 06.06.2023 and 09.10.2023, resp., on improving e-service delivery
- A brainstorming session was conducted on 04.01.2024 on the theme- Emerging and Future e-Governance Initiatives, and Emerging Technologies
- Interactive session with Manipur and Jammu & Kashmir to improve unified services delivery portals and leverage existing digital infrastructure
- 40+ Best practices in e-service delivery were featured in 11 NeSDA Way Forward monthly reports
- 250+ Tweets, 15 PIBs were issued by the department on e-Governance and NeSDA Way Forward

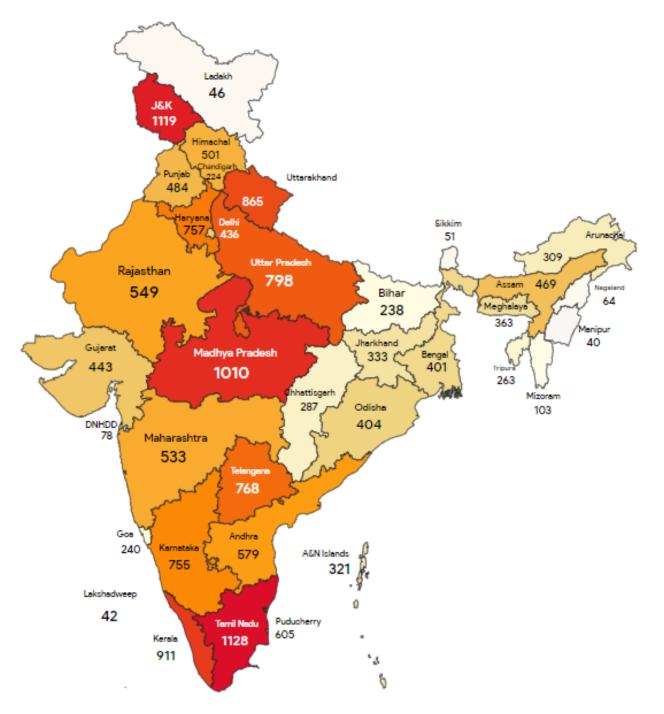
NeSDA – Way Forward | Expanding e-Service Delivery

42% Rise in mapping of Total e-Services on NeSDA Way Forward Dashboard from April'23 – February'24



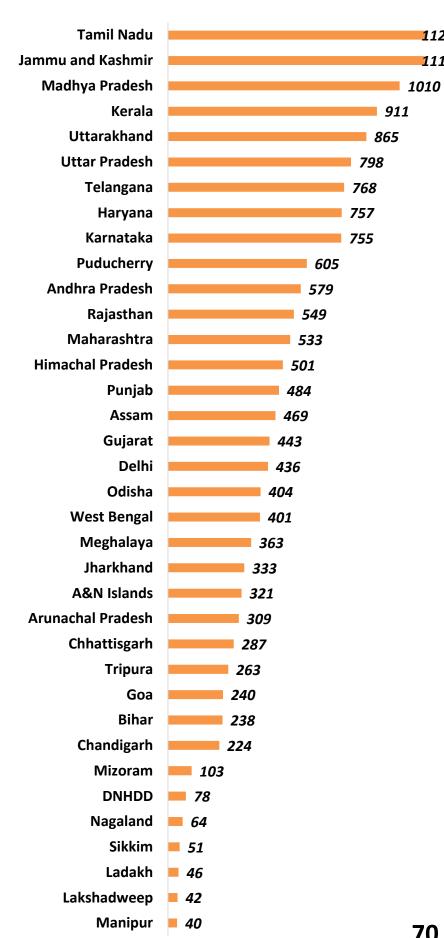
11,614 Total e-Services mapped on

NeSDA Way Forward Dashboard, April 2023



16,517 Total e-Services mapped on

NeSDA Way Forward Dashboard, February 2024



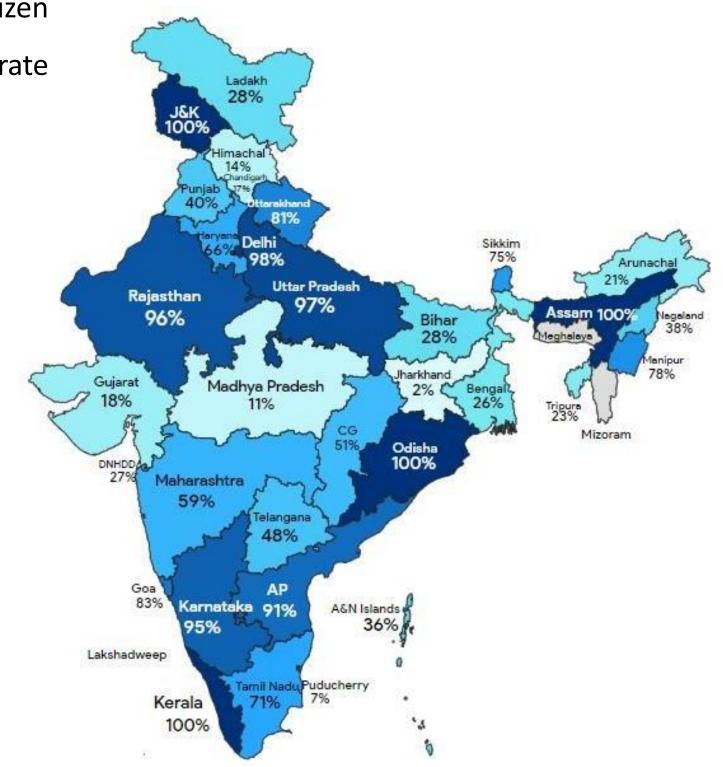
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NeSDA – Way Forward | Unified Service Portal

A unified service delivery portal seamlessly integrates services across Departments to provide better governance and service availability. These help ensure that all citizen entitlements are available on the cloud, enhance the ease of doing business, and integrate a number of technologies for development activities.

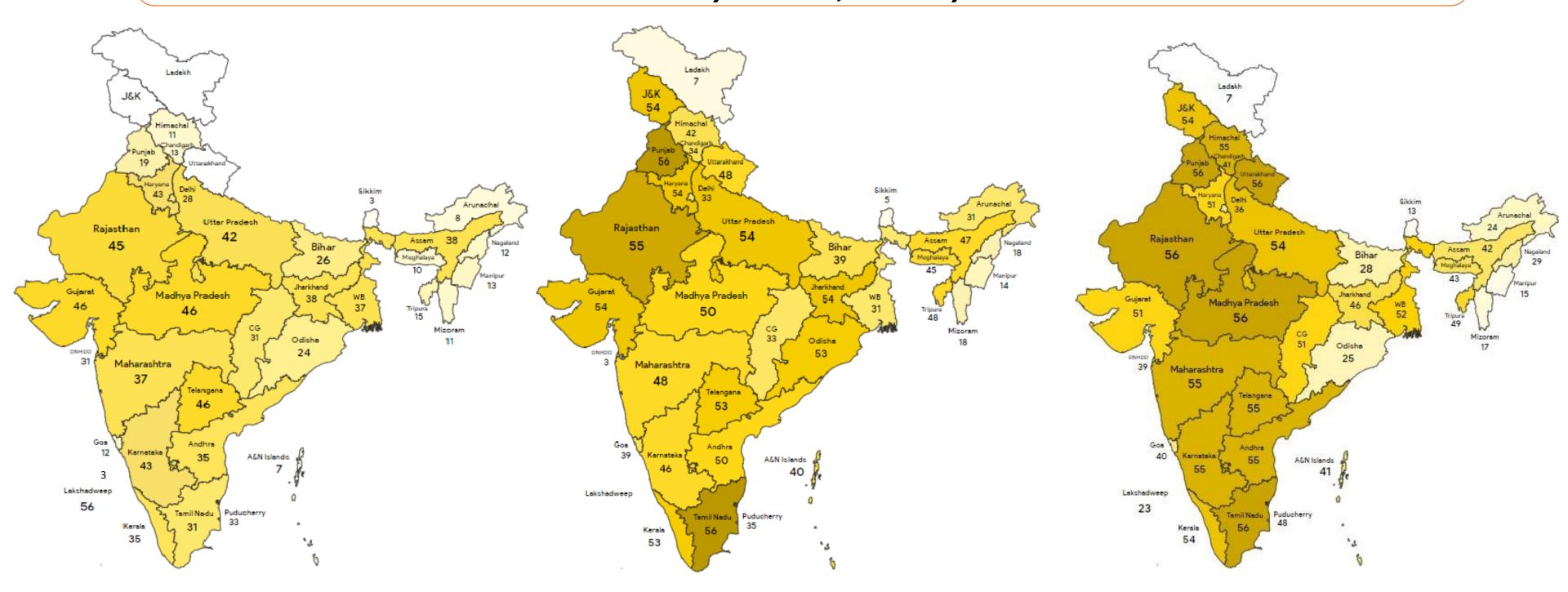
Top 10 States/UTs with Highest Share (%) of e-Services Available on the Identified Single Unified Service Delivery Portal

# State/UT	Share (%)	Unified Service Delivery Portal
1 J&K	100% (1119)	e-UNNAT
2 Kerala	100% (911)	e-Sevanam
3 Assam	100% (469)	Sewa Setu
4 Odisha	100% (404)	Odisha One
5 Delhi	98% (426)	e-District
6 Uttar Pradesh	97% (774)	Nivesh Mitra & e-District
7 Rajasthan	96% (529)	e-Mitra
8 Karnataka	95% (721)	Seva Sindhu
9 Andhra Pradesh	91% (524)	AP Seva
10 Uttarakhand	84% (724)	Apuni Sarkar



NeSDA – Way Forward | Growth in Mandatory e-Services

Rise in Saturation of Mandatory e-Services from 48% in NeSDA 2019 to 69% in NeSDA 2021 to 76% in NeSDA Way Forward, February 2024



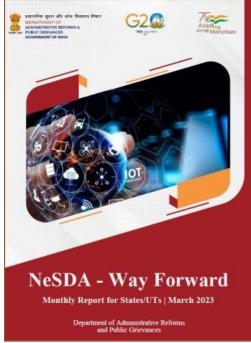
872 Mandatory e-services

1400 Mandatory e-services

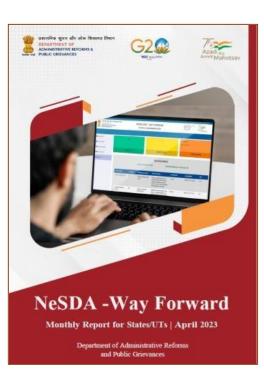
1528 Mandatory e-services

69% Saturation in NeSDA 2021

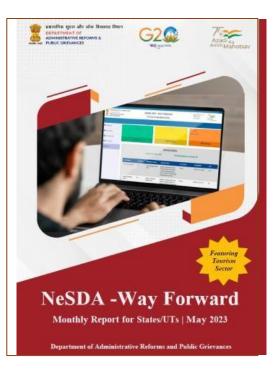
NeSDA – Way Forward | Monthly Reports & Annual Report



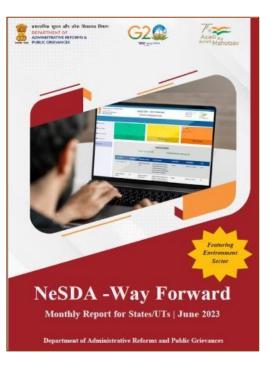




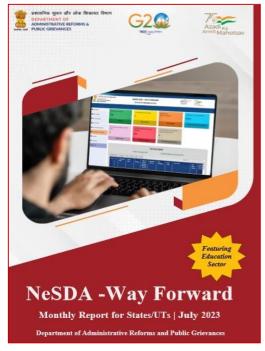
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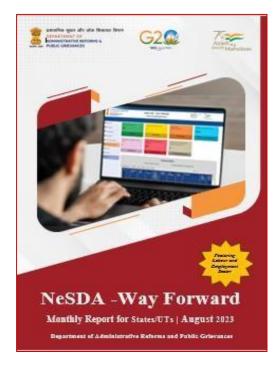
May 2023 -**Tourism**



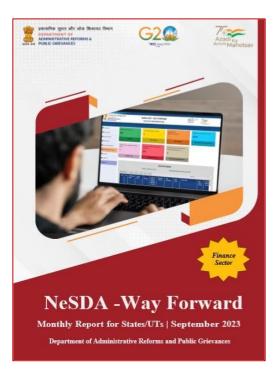
June 2023 -**Environment**



July 2023 -**Education**

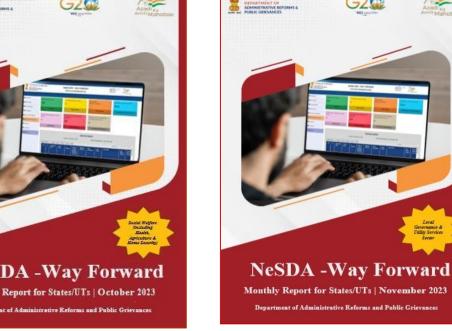


August 2023 -**Labour & Employment**



NeSDA - Way Forward Monthly Report for States/UTs | October 2023

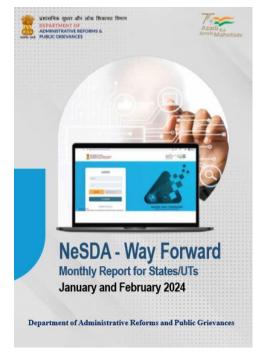
October 2023 -







Annual Report 2023



January & February 2024

September 2023 -**Finance**

Local Governance & Social Welfare Ind. Agriculture, Health & Home Security

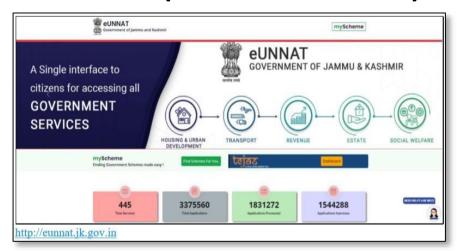
NeSDA – Way Forward | Multi-Pronged Approach

Enhancing e-Service Delivery



NeSDA – Way Forward | Best Practice

eUNNAT (Jammu & Kashmir)



MeeSeva (Telangana)



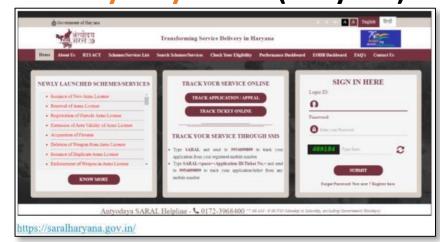
Seva Sindhu (Karnataka)



Nivesh Mitra (Uttar Pradesh)



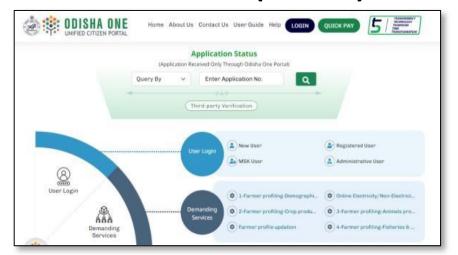
Antyodaya Saral (Haryana)



SWAAGAT (Tripura)



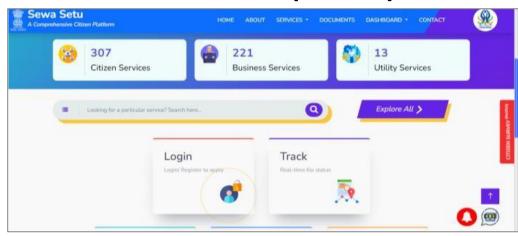
Odisha One (Odisha)



Connect Punjab (Punjab)



Sewa Setu (Assam)



NeSDA – Way Forward | Best Practice

AP Seva (Andhra Pradesh)



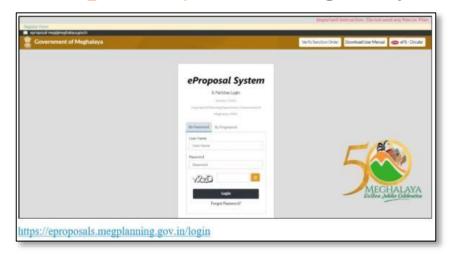
Unified Data Hub (Puducherry)



eSevanam (Kerala)



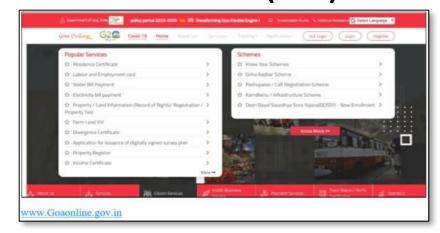
eProposal System (Meghalaya)



Apuni Sarkar (Uttarakhand)



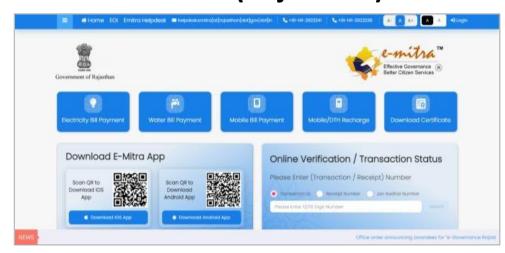
Goa Online (Goa)



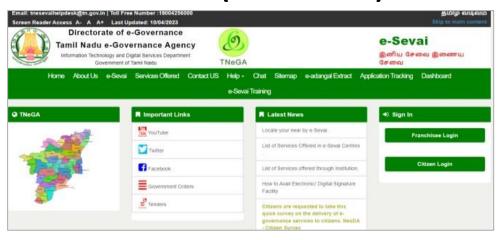
Bihar eLokSeva (Bihar)



e-Mitra (Rajasthan)



e-Sevai (Tamil Nadu)



NeSDA – Way Forward | Right to Service (RTS) Commission

The DARPG has embarked on a collaborative initiative with the Chief Commissioners and Appellate Officers of the Right to Service (RTS) Act across various States/UTs. The department held two virtual meetings on 16.06.2023 and 09.10.2023, respectively.

This collaboration aims to leverage the RTS framework and enhance eservice delivery nationwide in line with the NeSDA Way Forward.

Status of RTS Act across States/UTs

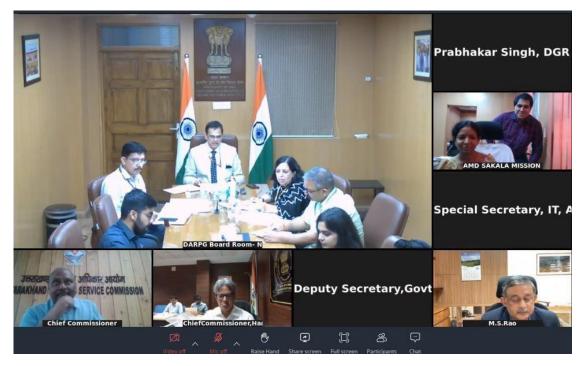
7 States/UTs with established RTS Commission

23 States/UTs with enacted RTS Act without any Established RTS Commission

States/UTs with no RTS Act or any Established RTS Commission



Meeting with Chief Commissioners of the RTS Act in States/UTs on 16.06.2023



Meeting with Chief Commissioners & Appellate officers of the RTS Act in States/UTs on 09.10.2023

NeSDA – Way Forward | Brainstorming Session

The DARPG conducted a **brainstorming session** on the theme- Emerging and Future e-Governance Initiatives, e-Commerce Initiatives, and Emerging Technologies on 04.01.2024 at CSoI, New Delhi.

15 domain experts and distinguished representatives from leading organizations, including PwC, QCI, Primus Partners, KPMG, Deloitte and EY attended the session along with the DARPG officials.

Govt Seeks Ideas to Push AI-Driven eGovernance Experts suggest AI solutions in areas like crop disease diagnosis, face authentication etc.

Anubhuti Vishnoi

New Delhi: As the government looks to scale up At-backed face authorized to be the control of the control of

with experts proposing a range of solutions from diagnosis of cataracts to crop diseases besides an Aadhar 2 o and treating the family as a governance unit.

The Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DAPRG) recently brainstormed with nearly 15 domain experts from EY to PwC to stay in step with sweeping technology shifts and plan future public service delivery models using AI.

PWC, for instance, has submitted the case of rising cataracts in the country and how diagnosis can be timely simplified and machanism.

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cuments for citizens.

It also says that AI can help check bias in feedback on policy making and if only a particular section/sections are amplifying a viewpoint to influence policy decisions. A Virtual Public Servant' has been mooted as well-for a personalised citizen engagement in a natural language and by culling information from my-clads of government sources separtments.

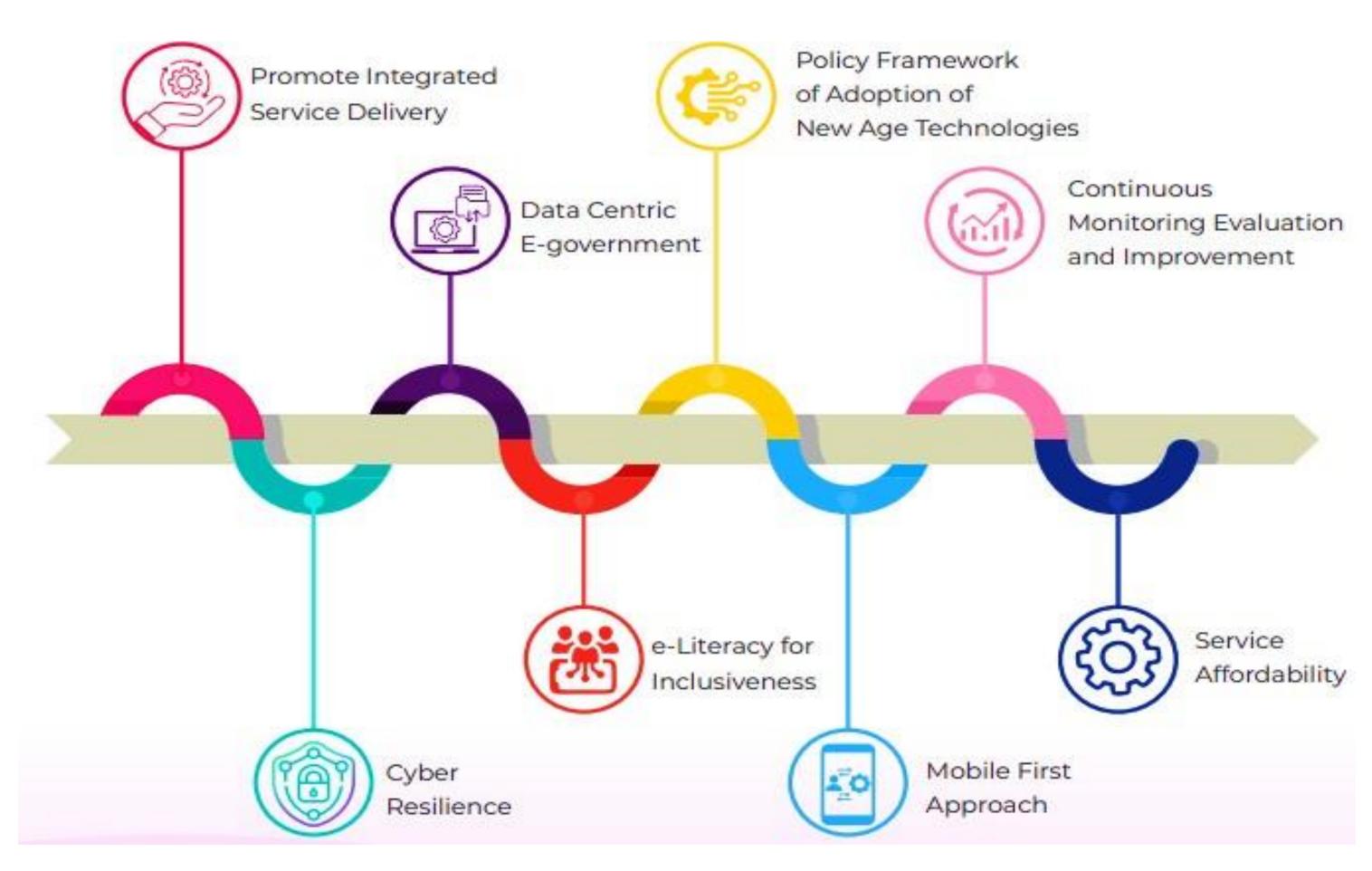
The idea was basically that the bovernment stays updated on technical sections of the properties of the separation of the properties of the separation of the properties of the separation of the separation of the properties of



The roadmap forward, following the day long deliberations envisaged :



NeSDA – Way Forward | Roadmap Ahead



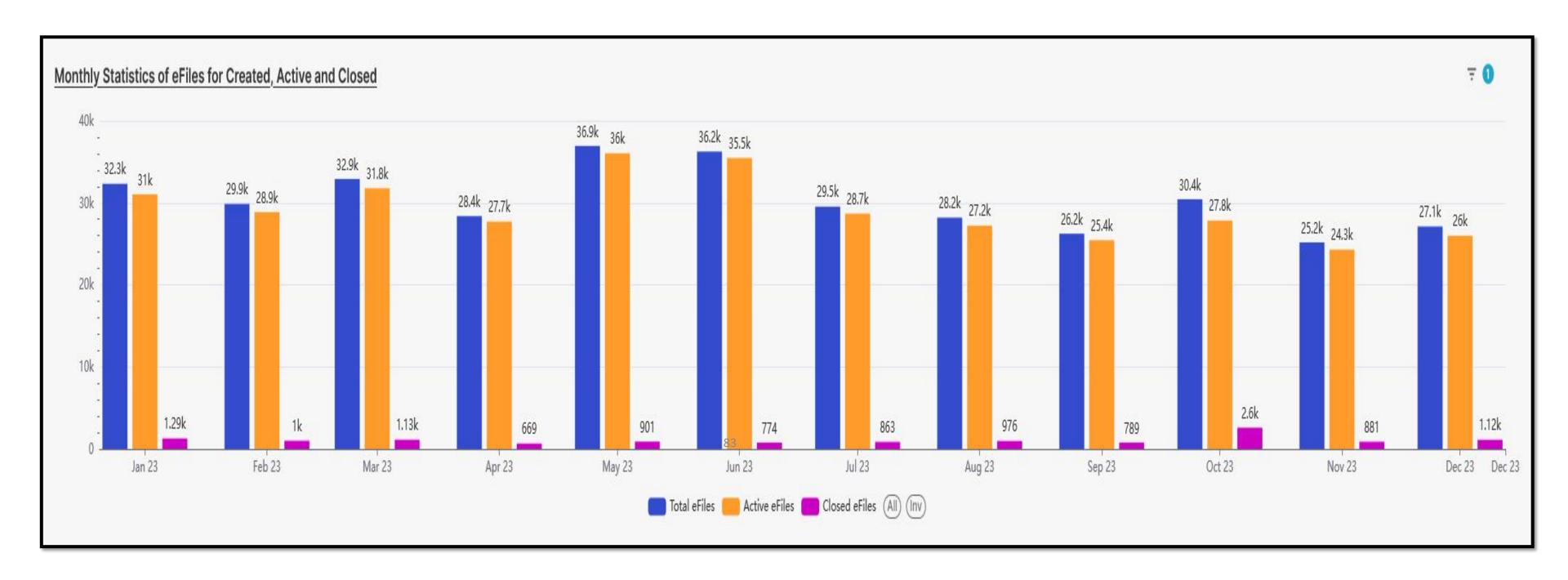


Secretariat Reforms – e-office

e-OFFICE: DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION OF GOVERNANCE - FEATURES

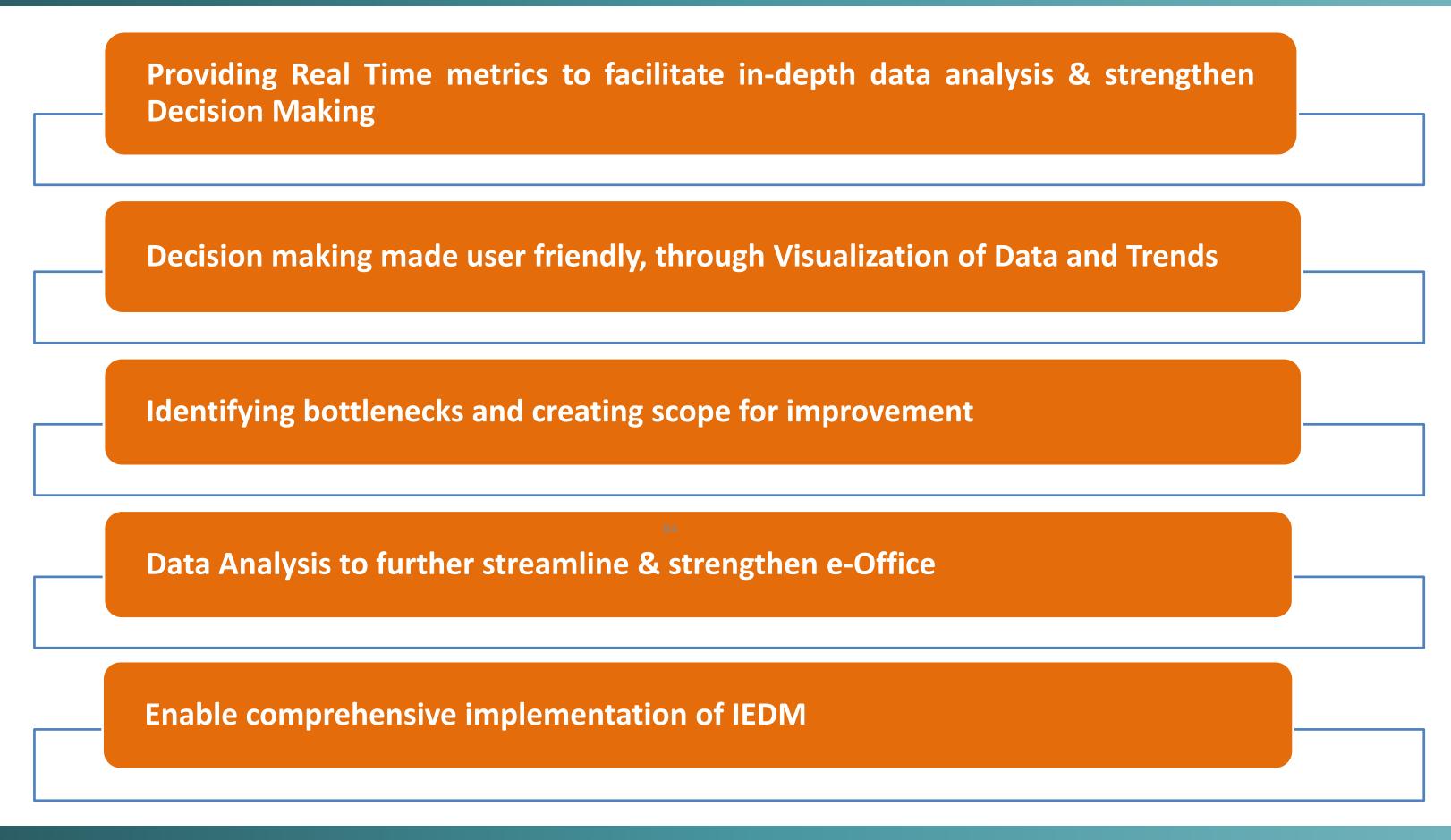


e-OFFICE: ANALYTICS DASHBOARD



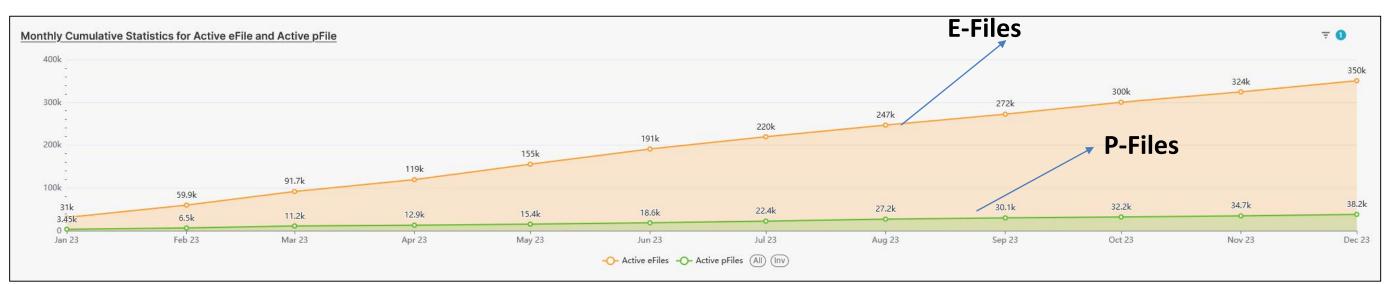
A Dashboard Monitoring nearly 3.8 Million Active files

BENEFITS OF e-OFFICE - ANALYTICS DASHBOARD



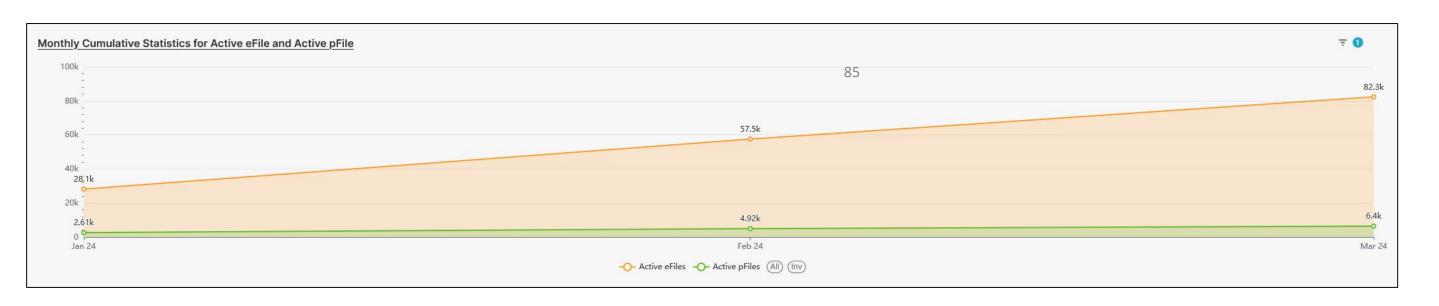
A transition from Physical File to e-File for a Transparent, Faster and Efficient Decision Making

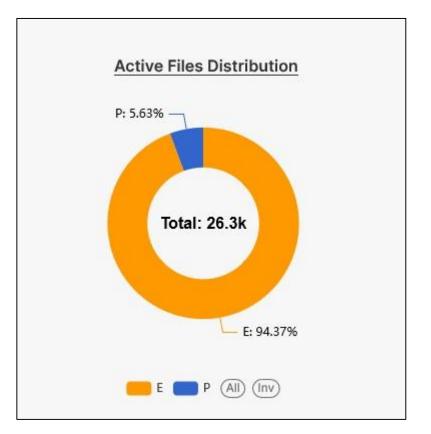
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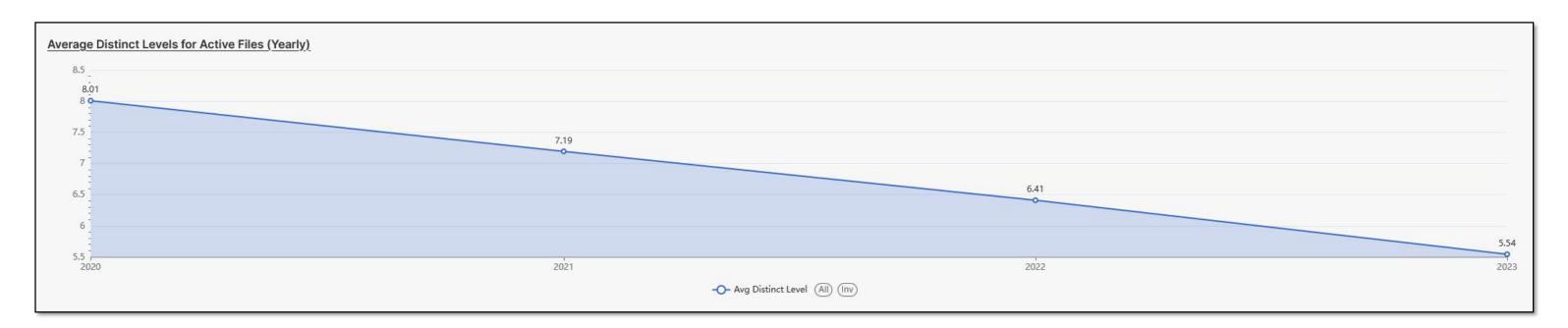
Nearly 95% new files opened in Mar 2024 were e-Files

2024

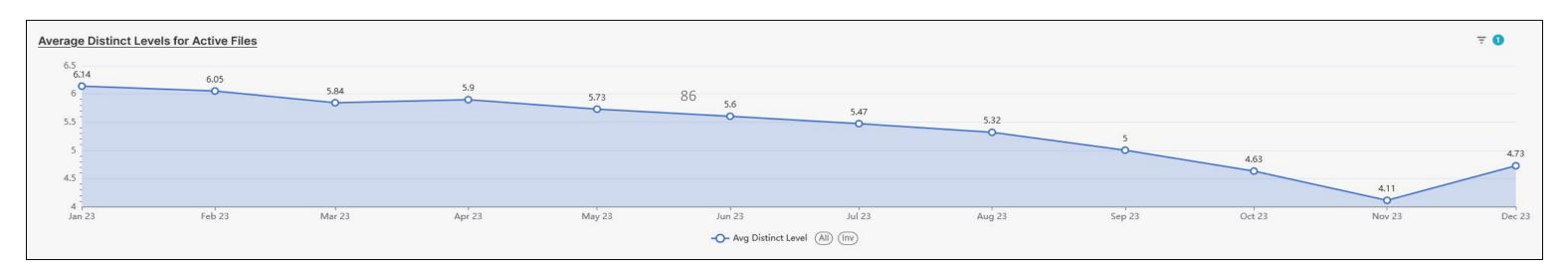




Successful Delayering, towards a Flatter Hierarchy of Decision Making



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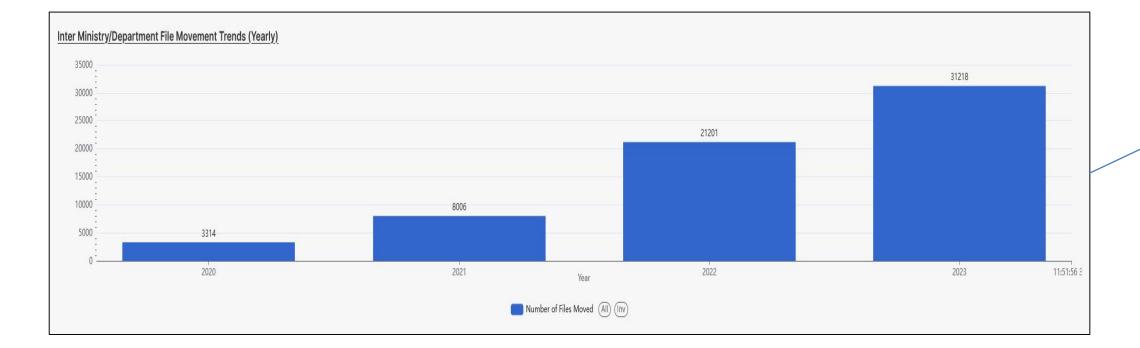


The distinct levels of file movement fell from an Average of 8.01 in 2020 to a minimum of 4.11 in Nov 2023.

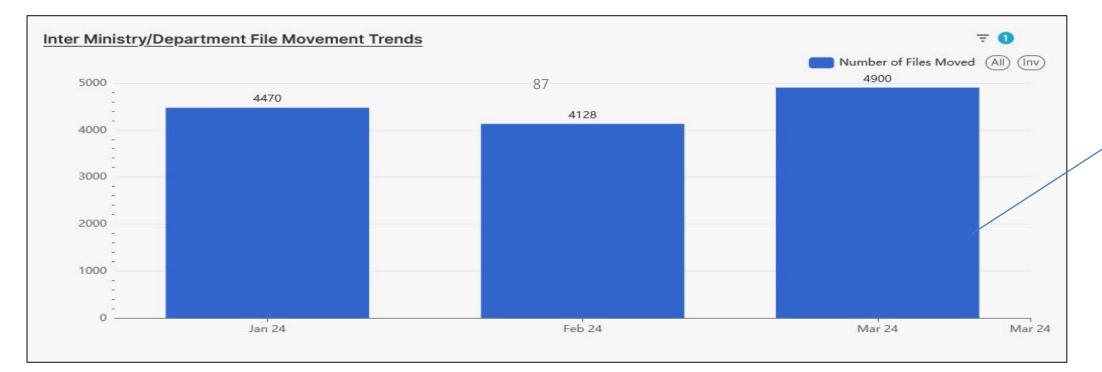
The Average was 4.4 levels in March 2024

Inter Ministerial e-file movement links pivotal components of government decision making

2020-23



Average of about 2500 files per month in 2023.



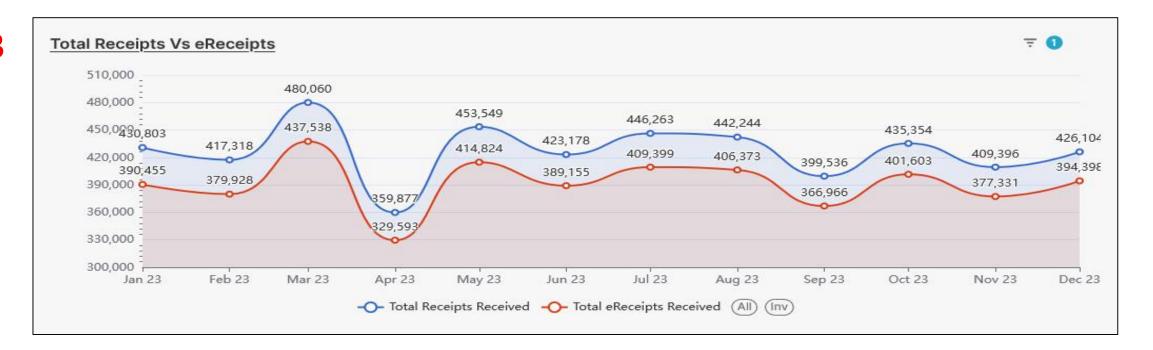
The Inter-Ministerial File movement is steadily increasing.

The figures for the Year 2024 are well over 4000 files movement in each month so far.

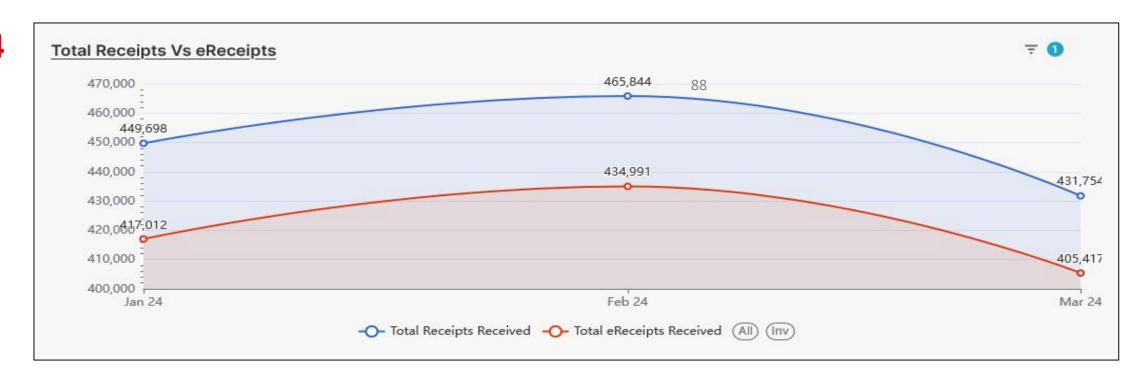
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The progress in digitizing communications to Government, a shift to e-Receipts

2023



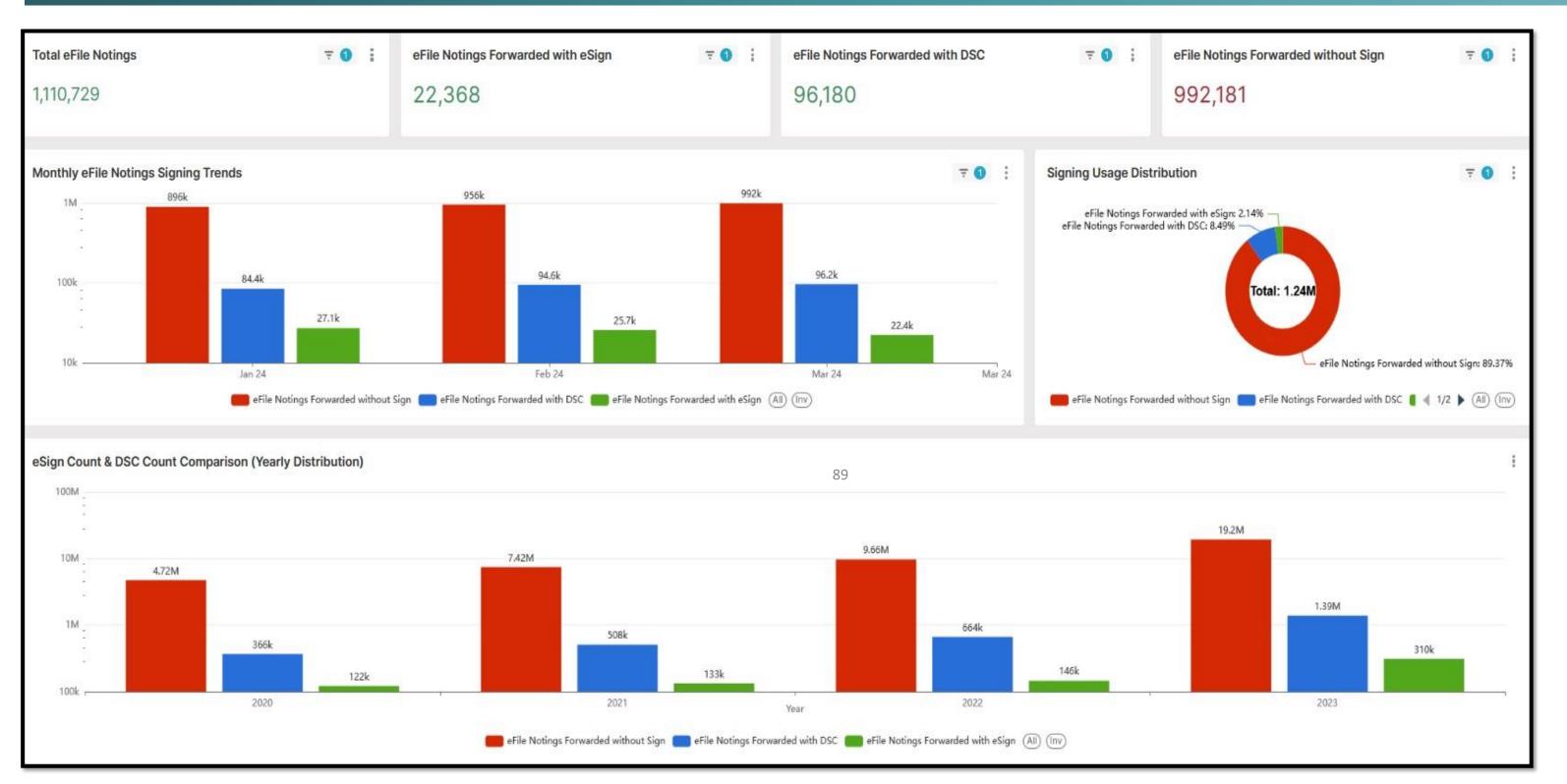
2024



Over 90% of Receipts are getting digitized as e-Receipts. This entails enhanced focus and tracking of action taken on each communication.

Nearly 93% of the Receipts were digitized in March 2024.

A highly secured environment A gradual increase in DSC / e-Sign usage



There is a steady increase in DSC & e-Sign usage, specifically the usage has doubled in the Year 2023 over the Year 2022.

E-Office is work in progress Future Initiatives

Timely Closing and Parking of Files for a cleaner system

Deduplication of Receipts

Sensitization on usage of Digital Signature & e-Sign

A flatter decision making of 3 Levels

Thank you