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KEC bags Rs 179-crore electrification deals

MUMBAI: RPG group's flagship power transmission company, KEC International on Thursday said that it has bagged two orders worth Rs 179 crore from NTPC Electric Supply Company (NESCL) and Power Grid Corp of India. The company bagged an order worth Rs 124 crore from NESCL for a rural electrification project in Jharkhand, KEC said in a filing to the Bombay Stock Exchange. The contract entails electrification of 1,307 villages and providing electricity connections to around 20,500 families below the poverty line (BPL). KEC has also bagged a Rs 55-crore turnkey contract from PGCIL for providing electrification in Sonepur district of Orissa.