

## **New Transformers in Prayagraj**

## Why in News?

According to the **Purvanchal Vidyut Vitaran Nigam Limited (PVVNL)**, they are guaranteeing round the clock electricity supply in **Prayagraj**, covering both urban and rural regions of the district.

## **Key Points**

- To prevent power outages caused by faulty transformers, Prayagraj's urban areas have received 294 new transformers.
  - To enhance the electricity supply, two additional sub-stations were to be constructed in the city, with one station in **Malawa** prepared to commence operations from April 2024.
- Attempts have also been undertaken to reduce electrical malfunctions stemming from deteriorating electrical cables.

## Purvanchal Vidyut Vitaran Nigam Limited (PVVNL)

- It is a co-successor of Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited aimed for distribution of Electric Power in the Eastern area of Uttar Pradesh.
- It was established on 5 July 2003, having its headquarters at Varanasi.

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