

EVALUATION AND ANALYSIS OF THREAT SPECTRUM

Sr. No.	Type of threat	Nature of threat	Details of threat perceived	Vulnerable Areas
1	External	Aerial attack on high-value assets	Presence of energy facilities, coal power station, Grid stations high-security prison, major inter-district bridges and industrial units, potential aerial targets	Power stations, Grid stations, major inter-district bridges, industrial zones
2	External	Cross-border artillery or ground incursion (assessed unlikely)	Conventional artillery or ground incursion assessed as unlikely due to distance from international border; indirect effects from regional escalation should be monitored	No specific local border areas, overall transmission network to be monitored
3	External	Cyber attack causing service disruption	Risk of outages or operational disruption via cyber intrusion; requires strengthened network defenses, patch management and incident response by GSO & IT	Control centers; SCADA/OT systems; billing and public-facing IT services
4	Internal	Abduction, targeted criminality or extremist activity	Although no Kacha areas exist within the Circle, prevailing security climate raises risk of abduction/targeted attacks; outsourced and internal security instructed to remain vigilant	Public dealing offices; remote substations; field staff locations
5	Internal	Cross-boundary extremist movement and coordinated threats	Adjacent circles include LESCO, FESCO, Khanewal and Bahawalnagar: coordinated or spillover activity possible; maintain liaison with district administration and law enforcement	Boundary substations, transmission corridors, areas near circle borders
6	Internal	Vehicle and parking security vulnerabilities	Public and MEPCO vehicle parking areas present soft targets; need for improved access control, CCTV and screening policies	Public dealing office parking; designated MEPCO vehicle parking areas