

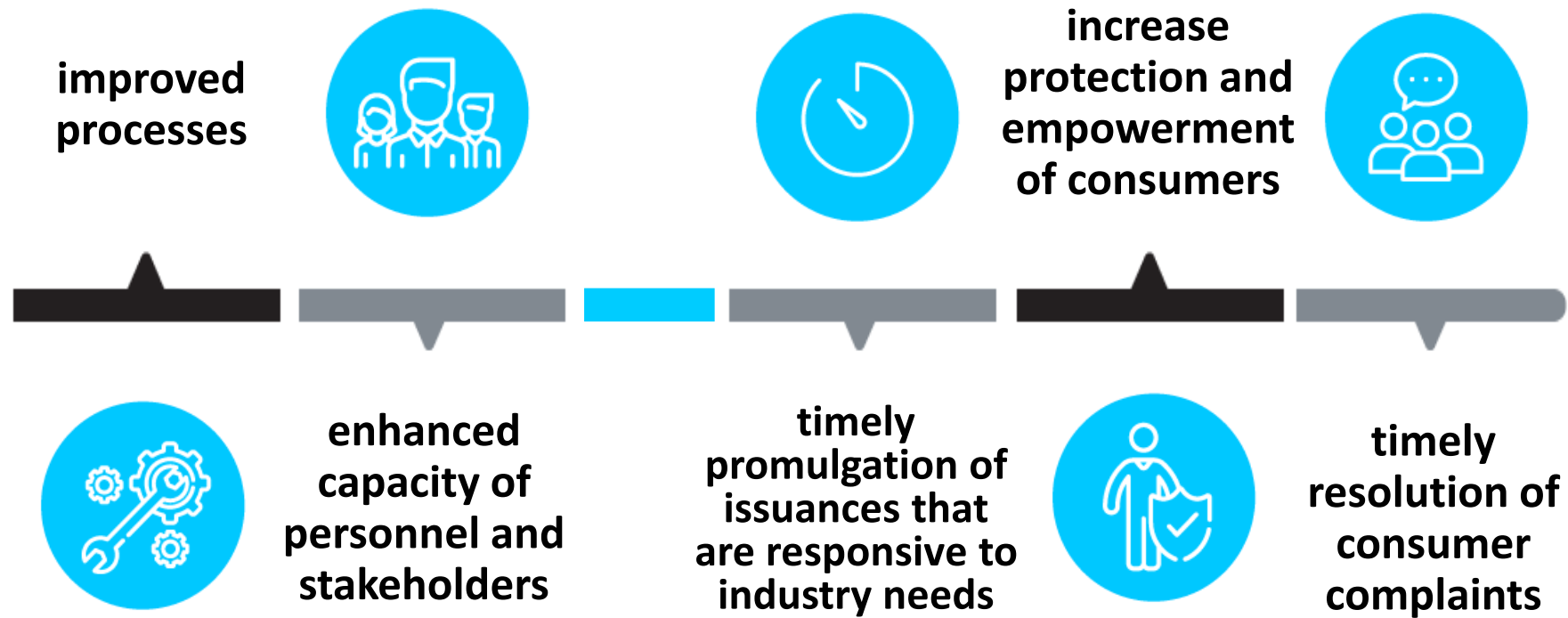


# Strategic Thrusts of the **ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

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The strategic thrusts of the Commission is to address its existing backlog thru:



# ERC's 5Es / Efficiency Program



- **ERC on Wheels**
- **ERC Academy**
- **E-Wise**  
*(ERC Web Portal for Interactive and Systematic Exchange)*
- **ERC on Emerging Technologies**
- **ERC Enabling Electrification**



# ERC ON WHEELS



1. CONSUMER Hour
2. STAKEHOLDERS Information Awareness Activity
3. CARAVAN for the Benefit of the Citizenry
4. REGIONAL Consumer Welfare Desk Training
5. CONSUMER Group Dialogues

# ERC ACADEMY



***ERC Academy shall allow for standardized design, delivery, and review and improvement of training programs designed for ERC staff, other energy industry players, consumer advocates, and media practitioners who cover the energy industry.***

*“Automating Process for Transparency and Accountability towards Excellent Results”*



1. *Automation of Filing of Applications*
2. *Electronic Compilation of Data*
3. *Ease in Comparison of Data submitted in Different Cases by the Same Entity*
4. *Facilitate Generation of Reports for Pre and Post Analytics of Regulatory Policies*
5. *Modified Paperless Internal System*

# ERC ON EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES



*As a regulator, ERC endeavors to constantly update its rules and enhance the technical competency of its personnel on emerging technologies in the power sector*

- **Regulated Solar Home System (SHS)** for Rural Electrification
- **Distributed Energy Resources and Microgrid Systems**
- **Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)**
- **Advance Metering Infrastructure (AMI)**
- **Rules on Electronic Billing (e-billing)**
- **Net Metering**

# ERC ENABLING ELECTRIFICATION



*Creation of Specialized Task Force who will resolve with **dispatch applications of QUALIFIED THIRD PARTIES (QTPs) and NEW POWER PRODUCERS (NPPs) in unserved and unviable communities.***

**“On-time issuance of **AUTHORITY TO OPERATE (ATO)** will not only enable QTPs and NPPs to *provide electric service* **but also spur economic growth to these communities”****



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## *Thank you!*

