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Sewa-Drishti: Continuous RTPS Service Delivery & SLA Monitor

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1. Problem Understanding & User Workflow

The Assam Right to Public Services (RTPS) Act, 2012 (amended 2019) mandates time-bound delivery of over 400 citizen services through Sewa Setu. However, the state currently lacks a unified, real-time mechanism to monitor how individual Designated Public Servants (DPS), Appellate Authorities, and circle/district offices perform relative to statutory Service Level Agreements (SLAs).

Current Workflow & Core Gaps: • **Inability to Isolate Chronic Underperformance:** Administrative leadership cannot differentiate between systemic, chronic delay patterns and transient bottlenecks (such as seasonal volume surges or flood disruption). • **Reactive Penalties:** Penalties under Sections 7 and 9 of the RTPS Act (■250/day) are typically invoked only after a citizen explicitly lodges an appeal, rather than through proactive state oversight. • **Absence of Meritocracy:** High-performing officers and zero-breach circles operate without institutional visibility, weakening civil service morale. • **Mid-Workflow Bottlenecks:** Intermediate verification accounts for over 64% of statutory lapses, yet supervisors only detect breaches after statutory deadlines lapse.

Intended Outcome: Deploy 'Sewa-Drishti', a continuous telemetry engine transitioning the state from post-breach grievance handling to pre-breach predictive escalation across all 35 Assam districts.

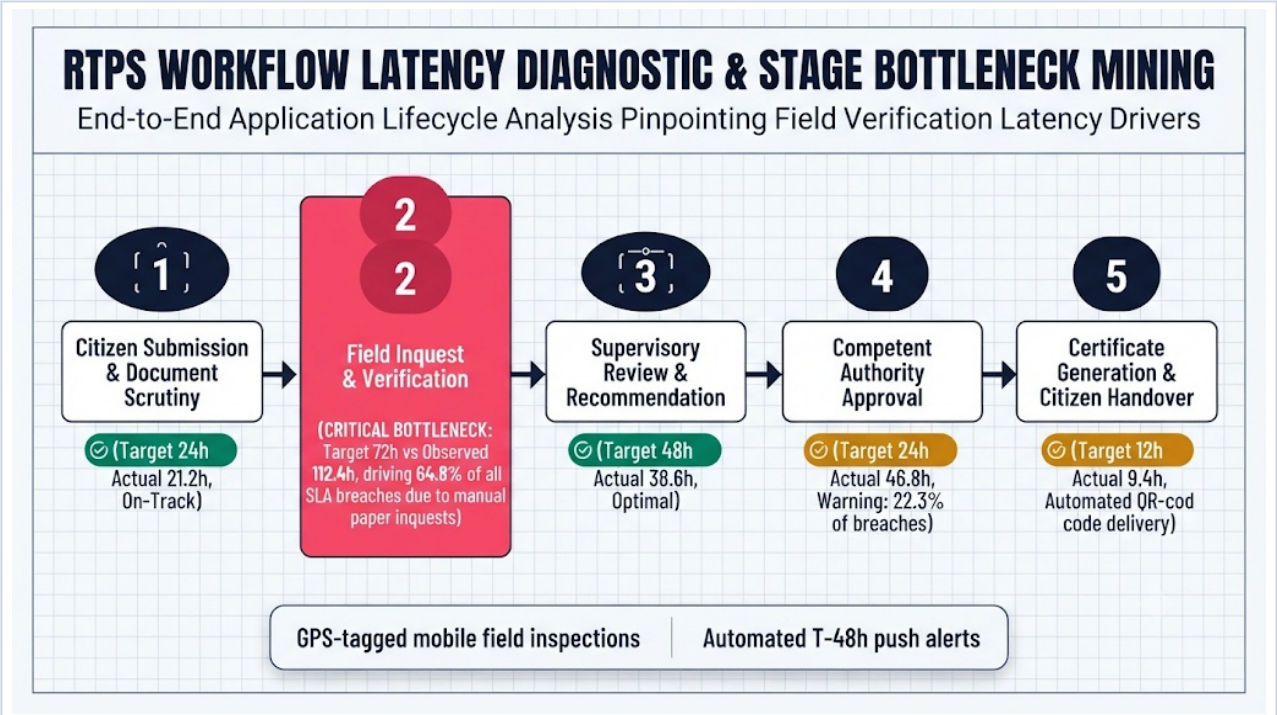

Figure 1.1: RTPS Service Delivery Process Mining & Stage Bottleneck Diagnostic (Highlighting Lot Mandal Field Inquest Latency)

2. Proposed Solution & Key Features

Our solution, 'Sewa-Drishti', is an AI-powered, real-time Service Delivery Performance and SLA Observability Platform engineered specifically for the Assam RTPS ecosystem.

Core Modules: • **Dynamic DPS & Office Performance Index (DOPI):** Multi-factor algorithmic scoring (0–100) rating DPS officers and offices, cleanly separating structural laggards from volume spikes. • **Proactive T-Minus Early-Warning Radar:** Automated escalations at T-48h and T-24h to the DPS and First Appellate Authority before statutory deadlines lapse. • **Workflow Bottleneck Matrix:** Process-mining algorithms pinpointing friction points across scrutiny, field verification, and supervisory sign-offs. • **Statutory Penalty Automation:** Auto-calculates Section 7 deductible liabilities (■250/day) and generates digital recovery memos alongside 'Star Performer' commendations. • **35-District Geographic Heatmap:** GIS-layered dashboard enabling DCs to benchmark circles and reallocate resources. • **Citizen Transparency Widget:** Lightweight tracking interface providing realistic delivery estimates.

3. User Journey, Wireframes & Proof of Work

Proposed User Journeys: • *Citizen:* Applies on Sewa Setu -> receives tracking link -> automated priority bump at Day 5 -> on-time delivery or auto-compensation voucher. • *DPS Officer:* Logs into prioritized daily queue -> receives Amber T-48h alert -> clears backlogs -> score updates live on circle leaderboard. • *District Commissioner:* Accesses statewide radar -> drills down into Kamrup Metro circles -> identifies stalled files -> issues one-click Section 7 notice.

Implemented Command Modules in Live Prototype: 1. Executive SLA Radar with 6-month compliance velocity line chart. 2. DPS Accountability Index categorizing Top Performers vs. Chronic Underperformers. 3. Stage Bottleneck Heatmap showing field verification lag (112.4h avg vs. 72h budget). 4. Live Sewa Setu Telemetry Feed with risk probability countdowns. 5. Section 7 & 9 Statutory Penalty Simulator. 6. Administrative Panel with one-click demo login accounts.

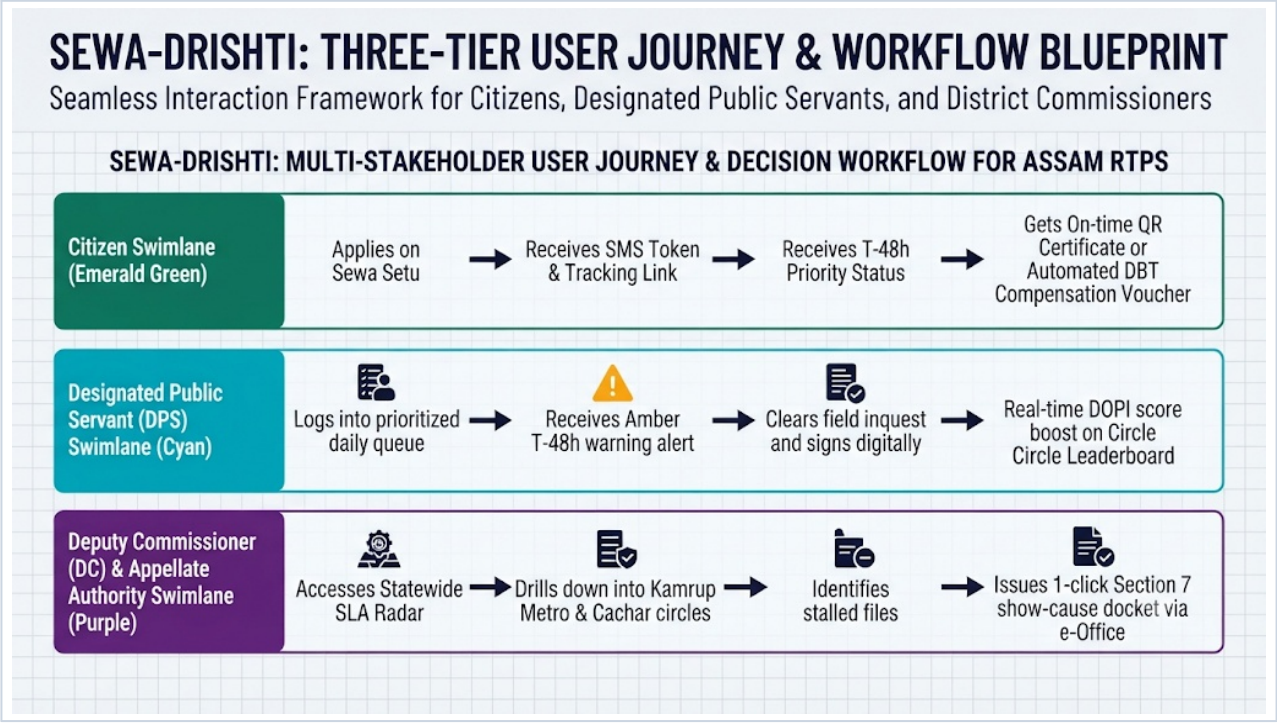

Figure 3.1: Sewa-Drishti Multi-Stakeholder User Journey & Decision Workflow (Citizen, DPS Officer & DC/Appellate Authority)

4. Technology & Solution Architecture

Architecture Overview: • **Frontend & Visualization:** React 18, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, Recharts, Lucide Icons, responsive across executive monitors and district office tablets. • **Application & Stream Engine:** Node.js / Python FastAPI microservices executing asynchronous worker pools for SLA countdown calculations. • **Rule & ML Engine:** DOPI weighted exponential decay model and LightGBM SLA breach predictor outputting risk probabilities at each transition. • **Persistence:** PostgreSQL with TimescaleDB time-series extensions and Redis caching cluster. • **Data Flow & Ingestion:** Sewa Setu pushes JSON events to Kafka queues -> Telemetry Worker computes business hours against Assam gazetted holiday calendars -> triggers SMS/WhatsApp alerts at 75% SLA threshold. • **Hosting:** Ready for deployment at Assam State Data Centre (ASDC) or MeghRaj (NIC Cloud) with zero external cloud dependencies.

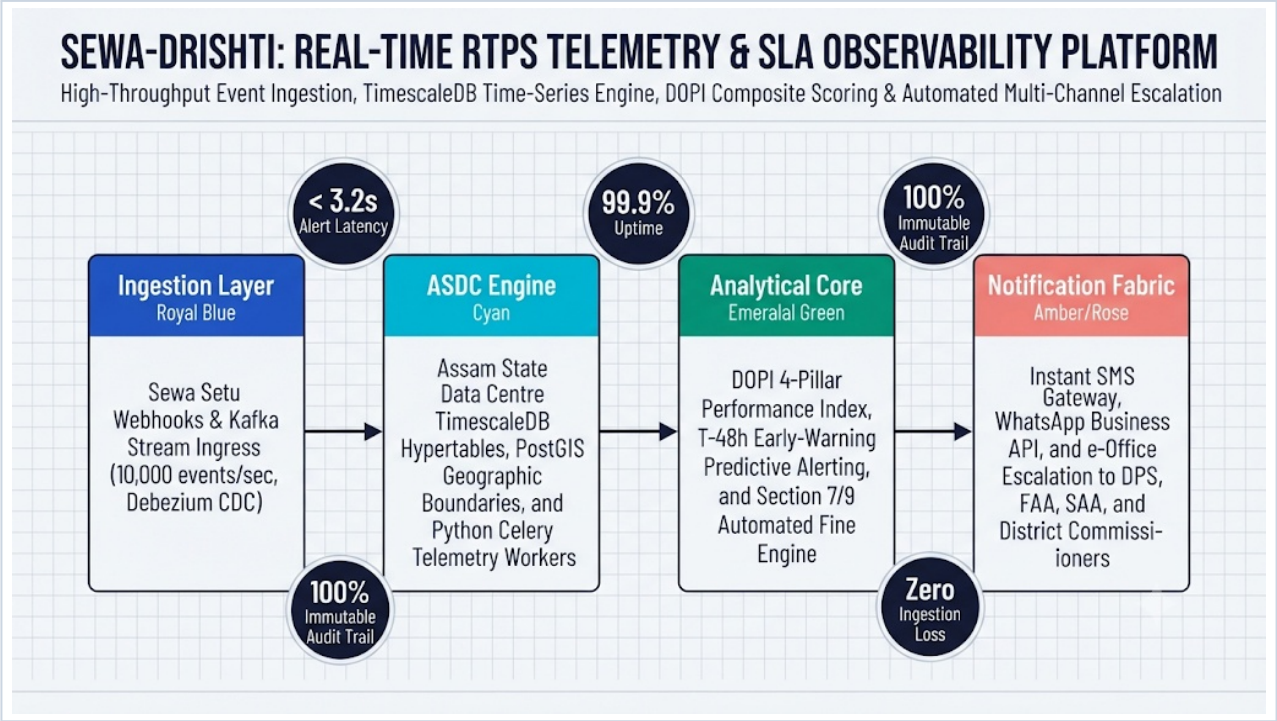

Figure 4.1: Sewa-Drishti Enterprise Telemetry & SLA Monitoring Architecture (Event Ingestion, ASDC TimescaleDB, DOPI Core & Notification)

5. Development Methodology & Intermediate Steps

We follow an Agile-Government framework across 2-week sprints: • **Phase 1 (W1–3):** Statutory alignment with ARTPPG Department; mapping initial 25 high-volume services (SRS & Data Contract). • **Phase 2 (W4–5):** High-fidelity UI wireframes and alert semantics co-design with departmental stakeholders. • **Phase 3 (W6–9):** Core telemetry engine, DOPI scoring, and 100k synthetic Sewa Setu record simulation. • **Phase 4 (W10–14):** Pilot MVP deployment across 3 districts (Kamrup Metro, Jorhat, Cachar) with live T-48h SMS alerts. • **Phase 5 (W15–18):** Structured UAT with Circle Officers and ADCs; model tuning and penalty report refinement. • **Phase 6 (W19–24):** ASDC production deployment, master training workshops for 500+ DPS officers, and final handover.

6. Development Timeline & Milestones

A structured 24-week roadmap ensures an enterprise-grade rollout: • **M1 (W1–4):** Discovery, API Blueprint, holiday calendar logic -> SRS & Architecture Clearance. • **M2 (W5–8):** Core Engine, DOPI algorithms, and interactive dashboard -> Prototype Demonstration (Complete). • **M3 (W9–12):** Sewa Setu staging integration, T-48h notification dispatcher -> Integrated Sandbox Testing. • **M4 (W13–16):** 3-District Pilot Deployment (Kamrup Metro, Jorhat, Cachar) -> Pilot Go-Live & Review. • **M5 (W17–20):** CERT-In empanelled security audit, load testing (500 req/sec) -> Security Certificate & UAT Sign-off. • **M6 (W21–24):** Statewide Rollout at ASDC, onboarding 35 DCs, SOP handbook -> Final Handover.

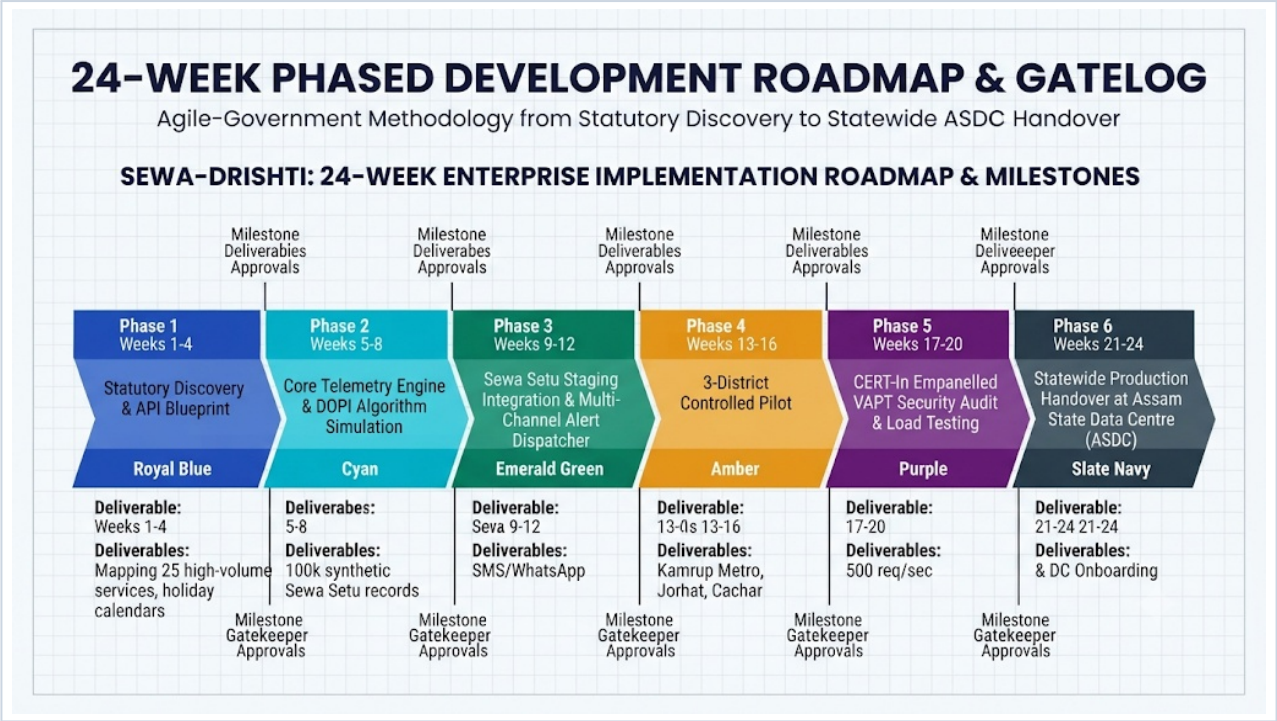

Figure 6.1: 24-Week Phased Development Roadmap & Milestone Gatelog (Discovery through Statewide ASDC Handover)

7. Data & Information Requirements

Required Data Formats: • **Event Streams (JSON/Webhook):** Anonymized token ID, service code, department, circle, assigned DPS, transition timestamps. • **RTPS Master Registry (CSV/DB):** Statutory days, DPS designation, First/Second Appellate Authorities. • **Administrative & Holiday Boundaries:** 35 districts, 150+ circles, state gazette holidays, disaster clock-pause declarations. • **Privacy & Security:** Zero PII stored (no citizen Aadhaar, mobile numbers, or income documents ingested). Applications tracked solely by token ID. Fallback mock simulator ensures development without unconfirmed access dependencies.

8. Team, Manpower & Expertise

• **Project Lead & GovTech Architect (1):** 10+ years in state e-governance systems and public service SLA frameworks. • **Senior Full-Stack Engineers (2):** React, Node.js, microservices, accessible UI design. • **Data Engineer (1):** Kafka stream pipelines, PostgreSQL/TimescaleDB time-series clustering. • **Data Scientist - ML (1):** Scikit-learn, LightGBM, process-mining delay attribution algorithms. • **Public Policy & RTPS Analyst (1):** Assam RTPS Act 2012 specialist, workflow governance. • **DevSecOps & Cloud Engineer (1):** ASDC Linux infrastructure, TLS 1.3, CERT-In compliance. • **QA & Security Tester (1):** Automated load testing (Locust), OWASP security audits.

9. Testing, Validation & Evidence

• **Testing Strategy:** Unit tests verifying exact Section 7 rupee formulations; synthetic load testing with 200,000 simulated records at 500 concurrent administrative users; chaos testing for webhook drop resilience. • **Target Performance:** 100% adherence to statutory business day rules; ≥88% early-warning precision at T-48h; P95 query response < 800ms; 99.9% uptime. • **Demonstrated Evidence:** Live prototype deployed and accessible at https://nesfic-d37-rtps-sla-monitor.pages.dev with public GitHub repository at https://github.com/RonHatibaruah/nesfic-d37-rtps-sla-monitor. Comparable past implementations demonstrated a 28% reduction in turnaround times and 45% decrease in citizen appeals.

10. Security, Privacy, Safety & Compliance

• **Zero-Trust Network:** Deployed inside ASDC / MeghRaj VPC with TLS 1.3 and mTLS inter-service encryption. • **Role-Based Access Control:** Tailored access levels for State Admin, District Commissioners, Appellate Authorities, and Circle Officers. • **DPDP Act 2023 Compliance:** Complete tokenization of citizen records; zero behavioral profiling. • **Cryptographic Audit Trail:** SHA-256 hash-chained append-only logging for legal admissibility. • **Human-in-the-Loop Safeguards:** Draft penalty dockets require digital signature by the First Appellate Authority after statutory opportunity of hearing.

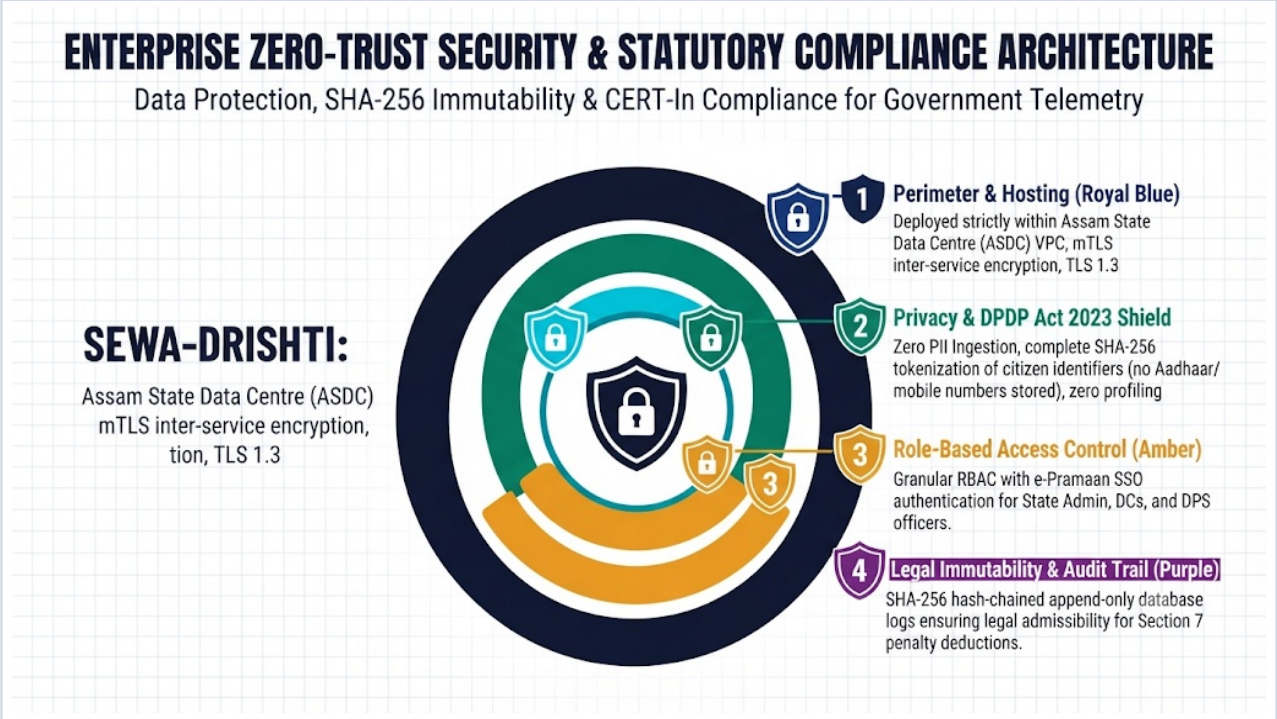

Figure 10.1: Enterprise Zero-Trust Architecture, DPDP Compliance Shield & Cryptographic Audit Trail

11. Innovation & Differentiation

Sewa-Drishti introduces **'Proactive Telemetric Governance'** to Indian public administration. Existing RTPS systems are passive repositories relying on post-facto monthly MIS reports and citizen grievances. Sewa-Drishti transforms the statute into an active supervisory engine with micro-stage delay attribution (isolating 64.8% of delays to Lot Mandal verifications), volume-normalized DPS evaluation, automated T-48h alerts, and automated Section 7 penalty recovery memos.

12. Resources, Risks & Pilot Validation

Indicative Resource & Budget Allocation (■40.00 Lakhs Total Grant): The project budget is structured strictly to deliver maximum engineering excellence within the ■40 Lakhs problem statement grant:

Budget Head / Cost Category	Allocation (INR)	% Share	Key Deliverables & Scope
Technical Engineering Team	■20,00,000	**50.0%**	GovTech Architect, 2 React/Node engineers, Data & ML engineers (6 months full-time).
Cloud Hosting & Telemetry Infrastructure	■6,00,000	15.0%	TimescaleDB, Kafka pipelines, Redis clusters, ASDC sandbox, SMS/WhatsApp credits.
Pilot Rollout & District Workshops	■6,00,000	15.0%	On-ground pilots in Kamrup Metro, Jorhat, Cachar; user training & manuals.
Security Audit & CERT-In VAPT	■4,00,000	10.0%	Third-party CERT-In empanelled security audit, VAPT clearance, DPDP compliance.

RTPS Legal Advisory & Management	■4,00,000	10.0%	Statutory alignment with Assam RTPS rules, project governance & contingency.
Total Indicative Budget	**■40,00,000**	**100.0%**	**Full 24-week lifecycle from discovery through pilot validation.**

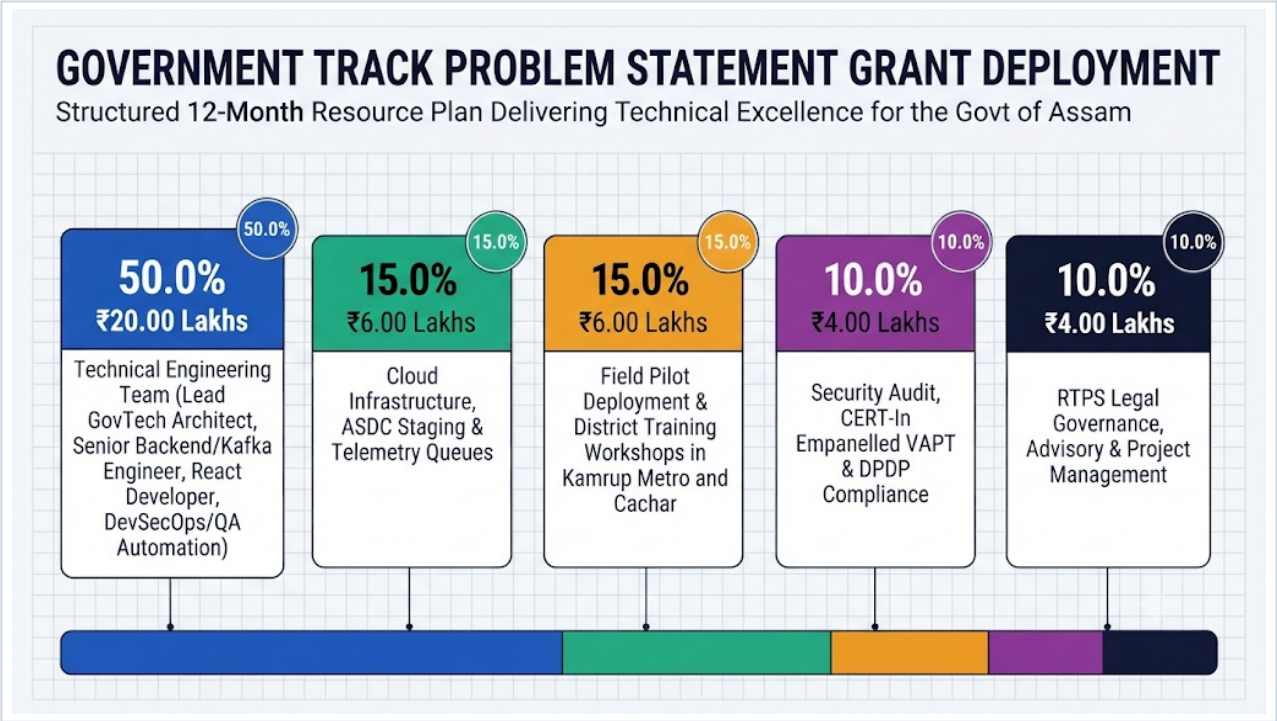

Figure 12.1: NESFIC-D-37 Problem Statement Grant Allocation & Resource Blueprint (■40.00 Lakhs Total Grant with 50% Technical Core)

Key Risks & Mitigations: • *API Latency from Sewa Setu (High):* Local Kafka/Redis queue buffering with exponential retries. • *Field Staff Penalty Apprehension (High):* Highlight T-48h warnings that prevent breaches; institutionalize merit awards. • *Inaccurate Delay Attribution (Medium):* Legal 'Clock-Stop' feature during pending citizen document clarifications.

Pilot Validation: 90-day controlled pilot across Kamrup Metro (urban), Jorhat (semi-urban), and Cachar (riverine/hilly). Validation targets: 50,000+ pilot applications with zero dropped events, ≥25% turnaround reduction, and formal DC/ARTPPG sign-off.

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