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Flag in Ceremony of National Integration Tour-2025 held



Gangtok, August 18: Flag-in-Ceremony of National Integration Tour-2025 was held at Aashirwad Hall, Raj Bhavan, today.

Governor Mr Om Prakash Mathur attended the occasion as the chief guest. Also present were GOC of 17 Mountain Division, Major General MS Rathore (SM, VSM), senior Army officers, 20 participating engineering students from SMIT and other distinguished guests.

Addressing the gathering, the Governor highlighted that National Integration Tour is not merely an educational tour but a vision that connects the youth with the soul of India. He described the youth as the torchbearers of Viksit Bharat @2047 envisioned by Prime Minister Mr Narendra Modi and urged them to contribute actively towards the collective goal of every Indian.

He further noted that for many students from rural Sikkim, this initiative gives them a first experiences of air travel, metro journeys, and visits to major urban centres. Through this programme, the youth were introduced to the diverse cultures and languages of India. He emphasised that the yatra instilled confidence, national pride and collective responsibility, while also showcased the Army's role beyond border security as a force for social upliftment and

youth empowerment.

Governor also remarked that soldiers not only guard the nation's frontiers but also nurture hope and shape the future. He called upon the students to share their experiences within their communities and to play a proactive role in building an Atmanirbhar Bharat.

Expressing appreciation, Governor commended Major General MS Rathore and the Army for this initiative, describing it as a step towards strengthening national unity, harmony and inclusivity.

Further, the Governor also felicitated the students with special souvenirs in recognition of their participation and contribution.

During the tour, the students visited prominent technological and cultural cities such as Bengaluru, Mysuru, and Hyderabad. They also toured reputed technological institutions such as ISRO, Infosys, Bharat Electronics, Biocon, Hyderabad IT Hub and Ramoji Film City where they had the opportunity to interact with the leading industry experts and innovators.

It may be mentioned that National Integration Tour was organised by Indian Army under the banner Mission Sadhbhavana.

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Governor pays tribute to former Prime Minister late Atal Bihari Vajpayee

Gangtok, August 16: Governor Mr Om Prakash Mathur paid tribute to former Prime Minister and Bharat Ratna, late Atal Bihari Vajpayee on his death anniversary at Raj Bhavan, today.

Remembering late Atal Bihari Vajpayee, Governor said "late Atal Bihari Vajpayee was a

statesman, visionary leader and a politician who upheld the highest moral values throughout his career. Vajpayee's tremendous contribution towards public life and nation's development will always be a source of inspiration for generations".

Chief Minister highlights historic milestone as SSHLC presents final ethnographic reports in New Delhi

New Delhi, August 18: The valedictory function of Sikkim State High-Level Committee (SSHLC), constituted for the inclusion of the 12 left-out communities of Sikkim in Scheduled Tribes list under the Constitution, concluded in New Delhi, today.

In his address, Chief Minister Mr Prem Singh Tamang highlighted the historic significance of the occasion, marking culmination of the Committee's nine-month-long journey. He lauded the SSHLC for producing one of the most comprehensive, research-based ethnographic reports and commended an active participation of community representatives, scholars and officials.

The Chief Minister noted that the final reports, compiled into four volumes, effectively address data gaps, while offering practical recommendations to strengthen the case for ST recognition. Reaffirming his Government's unwavering commitment, he stated



that Sikkim will continue to press its case before the Government of India with the support of elected representatives, civil society and community organisations.

Expressing gratitude to the Committee's Chairman, Prof BV Sharma Vice Chairman, Prof Mahendra P Lama, the members of

SSHLC, Chairman of EIECOS+1, representatives of the 12 ethnic communities, as well as Secretary and officials of the Social Welfare Department, Chief Minister acknowledged their dedication and expertise in preparing the

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Sikkim celebrates 79th Independence Day

Gangtok, August 15: 79th Independence Day was celebrated with great pride and honour at Paljor Stadium, Gangtok, today.

The programme commenced with the Chief Minister ceremoniously hoisting the National Flag, followed by the national salute. He reviewed the Independence Day parade, which featured contingents from ITBP, SSB, SAP, 2nd IRBn, 3rd IRBn, Sikkim Police (Male Platoon), Sikkim Police (Female Platoon), Sikkim Forest, Home Guards and Civil Defence, NCC, TNSSS, Tashi Namgyal Academy, Modern SSS, PNGSSS, Enchey SSS, West Point SSS, Tadong SSS, Deorali Girls' SSS, Sikkim Police Pipe Band and Sikkim Police Brass Band. The parade was led by Parade Commander, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Ms Sonam Yangkeela Bhutia with Police Inspector Mr Rajeev Mukhia.

Chief Minister extended heartfelt greetings and paid tribute to the sacrifices that secured India's freedom. He expressed gratitude for the Prime Minister's commitment and looked forward to



welcoming him in person to Sikkim. The Chief Minister highlighted the state's remarkable progress over the past five decades, noting significant achievements in health, education,

social welfare, and infrastructure. He announced that Sikkim now ranks second in India in per capita income, sixth in Human

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Pearls of Wisdom

"Pursue what catches your heart, not what catches your eyes."

- Roy T. Bennett

Namchi RDD hosts District Consultation on IEIAP under Sikkim INSPIRES

Namchi, August 16: District Level Consultation on Integrated Economic Inclusion Action Plan (IEIAP) under Sikkim INSPIRES organised by Rural Development Department was held at Town Hall, Namchi, today.

Present during the programme were Deputy Speaker SLA Ms Rajkumari Thapa, Minister Urban Development Department Mr Bhoj Raj Rai, MLAs Mr Rikshal Dorjee Bhutia and Mr Satish Chandra Rai, Zilla Adhyaksha Ms Anjeeta Rai, NMC Chairperson Mr Ganesh Rai and Councillors of NMC, Jorethang Nagar Panchayat President and Panchayats GPUs from Namchi District.

Also present were DC Namchi-cum-Chairperson District IEIAP Committee Ms Anupa Tamling, ADC (Dev) Ravangla Mr Sunil Mothey, ADC (Dev) Namchi Dr CP Rai, SDM (Hq) Mr Nim Pintso Bhutia and Officers and staff from RDD, along with local entrepreneurs, Self Help Groups and students from Namchi Government College.

ADC (Dev) Ravangla Mr Sunil Mothey stressed the importance of IEIAP, noting that consultations with stakeholders including elected representatives, entrepreneurs, youths and students will help shape projects and policies to create economic opportunities and build a sustainable future. He further highlighted the initiative's focus on targeted groups, especially women, youth and adolescents (10–19 years), with emphasis on mental health and well-being.

During the programme, Senior Planning Coordinator,

(PIU, RDD) Mr Nima Tashi Bhutia, presented the background and objectives of District Level Integrated Economic Inclusion Action Plans (IEIAP) under Sikkim INSPIRES. He informed that Rural Development Department is preparing the plans under this State Government initiative, supported by World Bank, with DC as Chairperson and ADC (Dev) as Member Secretary. He stated that the IEIAP is being developed as a structured, evidence-based roadmap to promote economic inclusion of women and youth in non-farm sectors, with strategies focused on entrepreneurship, enterprise development and sustainable livelihoods. The six identified priority areas are Creative Economy, IT and IT-enabled Services, Tourism, Hospitality and Wellness, Green Jobs, and Child and Elderly Care.

Meanwhile, TSA (RDD) Mr Gyan Prasad Sharma, delivered a presentation on the surveyed data on Employment and Enterprise of household for the plan. He explained that the survey aims to establish a baseline of socio-economic data on women and youth to guide the preparation of Economic Action Plans (EAPs), assess the existing landscape of non-farm livelihoods including sectoral trends, institutional support and market linkages and identify household skills and capacities, particularly among women and youth, to gauge their readiness for economic participation. Further, he added the survey sought to determine sectoral needs for enhancing non-farm livelihood

opportunities and to identify barriers, such as limited access to finance, markets and training that hinder economic inclusion.

Deputy Secretary RDD Ms Anupama Rai presented key observations by Discussion Planning Group on the economic activities of blocks under Ravangla division. She highlighted the schemes implementation of the State and Central Governments, while also noting barriers and primary focuses on skills training, infrastructure and financial and market access. She further shared potential economic opportunities along with success stories, which will be incorporated into the planning framework.

TSA Team Leader (RDD) Ms Priya Darshani Pradhan shared the draft plan for Namchi District, outlining its strengths, challenges, focus areas and required interventions along with tentative budgets for every intervention and the roles of key institutions.

During the programme, an open discussion was conducted, paneled by MLAs, Councilors, and Panchayats, where they shared insights to enhance the draft plan and proposed ways to support economic opportunities. Further, SHGs, local entrepreneurs and youth shared their suggestions and concerns related to their respective professions.

Later, a youth consultation saw students and young entrepreneurs share views on the draft plan, focusing on skills, entrepreneurship and livelihoods.

and other dignitaries in the flag off ceremony.

The Tiranga Bike Rally had the enthusiastic participation of biker groups from Mangan and surrounding areas.

Tiranga Bike Rally to mark 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign flagged off

Mangan, August 15: On the occasion of the 79th Independence Day of the nation, a Tiranga bike rally under 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign was flagged off by Minister-cum-MLA Lachen Mangan constituency Mr Samdup

Lepcha, today. The rally took off from Manul and culminated near Mangan Public Ground.

The programme was organised by the office of District Collector Mangan.

SDM Mangan Mr Rinchen Dorjee Bhutia joined the Minister

DAC Mangan launches online Ex-Gratia Management System

Mangan, August 15: District Administration Mangan launched a pioneering Ex-Gratia Management System (ExMS) on the occasion of Independence Day. The system was inaugurated by Minister-cum-MLA Mr Samdup Lepcha, today.

During the launch DC Mangan Mr Anant Jain explained that all ex-gratia claims gradually will be processed through the new platform. WhatsApp-based chatbot has been developed for applicants, enabling them to submit claims easily by filling in basic details. Upon submission, an application ID will be generated and the claim will be processed digitally via

the ExMS portal and mobile application.

Assistant Director IT Mr Muksam Limboo, gave a brief demonstration of Chatbot, as well as an overview of overall ExMS platform. The platform is entirely designed and developed by the IT Section Mangan.

Field officers will capture geo-tagged photographs of the affected sites even in areas without internet connectivity ensuring accurate location data. The reports will be routed online to the respective Sub-Divisional Magistrate (SDM) and subsequently to District Magistrate (DM) for approval. The system also digitally tracks cheque distribution by mapping

each cheque number to the corresponding beneficiary record.

Key Benefits of ExMS are automatic detection of duplicate claims, quick search of claims using Parcha No., Landowner Name, or Geo-coordinates, generation of heat maps to identify landslide-prone areas based on historical ex-gratia disbursement data and digital tracking of cheque payments for enhanced record-keeping and transparency.

This initiative marks a significant step towards efficiency, transparency, and data-driven disaster management in Mangan District.

SARAH carries out awareness programme

Pakyong, August 16: The Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services (AH&VS) Department, in collaboration with SARAH (Sikkim Anti-Rabies and Animal Health), carried out an extensive Anti-Rabies Vaccination, Deworming, Animal Birth Control (ABC) and Public Awareness programme across several locations under Chujachen constituency.

The initiative aimed at controlling zoonotic diseases, particularly rabies, has played a crucial role in significantly reducing rabies cases in the state.

During the programme, a total of 432 dogs were vaccinated and dewormed, while 107 dogs underwent Animal Birth Control (ABC) procedures. The areas covered included Chujachen, Rongli Bazar, Lingtam, Agamluk, Phadamchen, Nimachen, Quekhola, Bakhutar, Maney-Sisney, Talkharka South Regu, Thokar, and Dokchin (North Regu).

The campaign commits to eliminate rabies from Sikkim through regular vaccination drives, sterilisation programmes, and public awareness initiatives.

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Flag-in---

The tour commenced on August 9 from Gangtok Libing Helipad and concluded at Raj Bhavan on

August 18. The aim of this initiative is to connect students from border areas with the national mainstream and familiarise them with India's rich cultural diversity, technological advancements and innovations

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Chief Minister...

reports. He also extended his best wishes to the 12 left-out communities, emphasising that "this historic journey has united our communities, revived cultural heritage and paved the way for justice. Our Government remains steadfast in ensuring the rightful inclusion of 12 left-out communities in the Scheduled Tribe list".

In his address, SSHLC Chairman Prof BV Sharma applauded the proactive approach of the State Government and the collective effort of all stakeholders in advancing this historic initiative under the leadership of the Chief Minister. He commended the spirit of teamwork and collaboration that enabled preparation of such comprehensive ethnographic reports within a short span of time. He also shared his personal experiences of working closely with the Committee and the community representatives.

Earlier, Ms Sarika Pradhan, Secretary Social Welfare Department and Member Secretary of the SSHLC gave a welcome address. This was followed by Dr SK Rai Chairman of EIECOS+1 and member of the SSHLC presented a detailed community perspective.

On the occasion, the signed ethnographic reports of the 12 left-

out communities were presented to the Chief Minister by Committee members.

Prof Mahendra P Lama delivered a comprehensive summation of the SSHLC's work since its inception, after which members shared their reflections on the journey. Elected representatives of the 12 communities also offered their perspectives, underscoring the significance of reports in Sikkim's collective pursuit of constitutional recognition.

It may be mentioned that SSHLC, constituted in November 2024, has submitted its final reports recommending the inclusion of following Sikkimese communities in the ST list: Bhujel, Gurung, Jogi, Rai (Kirat Khambu), Kirat Dewan (Yakha), Khas (Chettri-Bahun), Mangar, Newar, Sanyasi, Sunuwar (Mukhia), Thami, and Majhi.

The meeting also had presence of Deputy Speaker SLA, Cabinet Ministers, MLAs, MPs (Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha), Political Secretaries, the Chairman, Vice Chairman and members SSHLC, Chairman of EIECOS+1, Presidents, Vice Presidents, Secretaries and representatives of the 12 left-out communities, along with the Principal Secretary (Chief Minister's Office), Principal Resident Commissioner, Sikkim House, Secretary Social Welfare Department and senior officials from the department.



Government of Sikkim
Culture Department
Gangtok, Sikkim

N. I. T. No: 79/SE/CD/ENG-CELL/2025-26

Dated: 13/08/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Referred to in paragraph 9.7 of Manual 2009)

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Superintending Engineer, Culture Department, invites percentage rate sealed tenders from the eligible contractors of Class II B, enlisted with the Sikkim Public Works Department through competitive bidding within the territorial jurisdiction of the Rhenock Constituency where the work is to be executed for the work as detailed below:-

Sl. No	Name of work	Value put to tender (₹)	Completion Time, (in months)	Amount of Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money @2.50% For issue of tender form (₹)
1.	Construction of Radha Krishna Mandir at Pacheykhani, Pakyong District	₹ 2,17,31,497	24	₹50,000	₹5,43,287

TIME SCHEDULE:

Sl.No.	Particulars	Date and Time
1.	Date of Publication	14/08/2025, 15/08/2025
2.	Issue of Tender Documents (excluding the Tender Form)	18/08/2025 to 15/09/2025(Office hours)
3.	Date of issue of Tender Form	16/09/2025, (Office hours)
4.	Date and Time for submission of Tender	17/09/2025, 10 A.M to 12:30 P.M
5.	Date and Time of opening of Tender	17/09/2025, 1 P.M Onwards
6.	Place of Opening of Tender	Office of the Superintending Engineer, Culture Department, Manan Bhawan

*NB: For more details about the conditions of contract, kindly check in www.sikkim.gov.in/tender

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

1. Tender is open to the eligible Contractors/ Firms of Class II B, enlisted in Sikkim Public Works Department.

2. The intending tenders/contractors should apply in writing for issue of tender documents. The application would invariably be signed by the contractor himself/herself.

3. The applicants should enclose attested copies of the following along with the application.

(a) **Validated/Updated Contractor Enlistment Certificate**, it is mandatory to produce the Original validated/updated Enlistment Certificate during sale/issue of the Tender Document for verification

(b) **Pan Card**

(c) **Photo copy of latest voter ID card**

(d) **Latest GST Clearance Certificate** from the office of the Commercial Tax (To be submitted by the successful bidder only before the issuance of Work Order as per the Notification No. 07/GOS/CTD/2018-19 dated 27/08/2018.

4. The prescribed Non-Transferable Tender Documents (excluding the Tender Form) can be obtained during the period specified in above table from the office of the Sr.Account officer of Culture Department, on production of requisite Bank receipt of the State of Sikkim towards the cost of Tender Document (non-refundable) under the receipt Head "0202-04-800-01" to the Chief Accounts Officer concerned.

5. Earnest Money Deposit @ 2.5% of the cost put to tender shall be deposited in the form of Temporary Deposit Receipt/Fixed Deposit/Bank Guarantee from State Bank of Sikkim or any Scheduled Bank of Sikkim in favour of Chief Account Officer, Culture Department, Gangtok. Tender form shall be issued only on production of the same.

6. The tenderer shall inspect the site and have their own and correct assessment before submitting the bid.

7. The tender documents, including the Tender form with the quoted offer in the BOQ should be placed in a sealed cover with the name of the tenderers and name of the work superscripted. The tenderer should sign on every page of the tender documents as acceptance of the general direction and conditions of the contract and other laid down norms. Supporting documents listed in sl.no. 3 should be enclosed with the offer.

8. Tenders will be opened by a Tender Opening Committee as prescribed by the Government in the presence of the tenderers on the date and time indicated above.

9. The Tenderer should sign on every page of the tender documents as Acceptance of the General Direction and Conditions of Contract and other laid down norms. The rate quoted should be both in figures and words and should be exclusive of GST and all other Taxes and Levies. Over writing and correction should be avoided and if made should be authenticated. Incomplete/Conditional tenders shall be rejected forthwith.

10. In case of any discrepancy in rate(s) printed in the Schedule of Rates and Quantities issued with the tender document, rates as per approved Schedule of Rates will be taken as correct. For items outside the SOR, the rates shall be as per the technically checked estimate/analysis. Decision of the Chief Engineer/Secretary/ Head of the Department will be final in this regard.

11. The Work value, scope and quantum of work are subject to change, the contractor shall execute the work as per the directives of the Department. No claim on this account shall be entertained whatsoever. If any extra claim is made, it shall be as per the agreement rates.

12. Avoidable damages due to negligence of the contractor shall be at his own risk and cost. The Department Shall not be liable for payment of such damages (If any), including accidents to laborer at site.

13. The offer (work order) shall remain valid for a period of 90 days. The work should commence within 15 days from the date of issue of work Order.

14. All the conditions as mentioned in the NIT shall be deemed to be a part of the agreement to be entered with the contractor. Security deposit shall be collected by deductions from the running bills of the contractor @ 5% of the value of work done.

15. The Department reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

16. The recoveries of GST and Royalties on Forest produces shall be as per rates notified by the Government from time to time and applicable on the date of payment. In no case, claim of any contractor for deduction as per rates incorporated in Analysis of Rates or Schedule of Rates or Rates on the date of tender shall be acceptable.

17. Sub-letting of contract work is against the norms and if it comes to the notice, the original contract shall be cancelled and appropriate action shall be initiated as per the rules.

18. In case the man powers employed by the contractor are from outside the State or neighboring countries, it shall be the responsibility of the contractor to get them registered with the Labour Department, Government of Sikkim as per the relevant Labour Laws.

19. The Department also reserves the right to increase, decrease, alter or modify the item of works as indicated in the NIT without assigning any reason thereof.

20. The contractor shall also make arrangements to have photographs of the works taken at least at three stages of the construction period i.e. beginning, middle and completion stage.

21. Damages to properties in and around the work site must be avoided at all cost. The contractor shall be held responsible for any acts of negligence and shall be made to make good the damages.

22. The contractor will have to pay all taxes and duties as applicable and notified by the State/Central Government and no claim shall be entertained in this regard whatsoever.

23. The contractor shall be solely responsible for the water supply and electricity connection.

The department shall not be held responsible for these assigning any reasons thereof.

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Manan Bhawan, Gangtok

N.I.T. No: 03/CD(S/W)/Eng.Cell/25-26

Dated:12/08/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Superintending Engineer, Culture Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok, invites sealed tenders from **Class II-B** Contractors within 15-Rangang-Yangang Constituency of the State for the work detailed as under-

Sl. No	Name of work	Value put to tender (₹)	Completion Time, (in months)	Amount of Challan/Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money @2.50% For issue of tender form (₹)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Construction of Himalayan Baptist Church at Upper Yangang, Rangang-Yangang Constituency, Namchi District	₹3,29,83,656.00	30	₹1,00,000	₹8,24,592.00

TIME SCHEDULE:

1. Date of publishing in newspaper:	13.08.2025 & 14.08.2025
2. Date of issue of Tender Documents:	14.08.2025 to 15.09.2025
3. Date of issue of Tender Form:	16.09.2025
4. Date of submission of Tender Forms and Documents:	18.09.2025 (from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm)
5. Date of opening of Tender:	18.09.2025 (1:30 pm onwards)
6. Place of submission of tender documents and form and the opening of tender:	Office of Superintending Engineer, Culture Department, Manan Bhawan, Gangtok

For terms & conditions, kindly visit www.sikkim.gov.in/tender

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N. I. T. No: 04/CD/(S/W)E-CELL/2025-26

Dated: 12/08/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Referred to in paragraph 9.7 of Manual 2009)

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Divisional Engineer, Culture Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok, invites percentage sealed tenders from the eligible contractors of **Class III** as per Memo No: 515/R&B/PWD/Secy Dated: 12/06/2018 enlisted with the SPWD through competitive bidding within the territorial jurisdiction of the GPU where the work is to be executed for the work as detailed below:

Sl. No	Name of work	Value put to tender (₹)	Amount of Challan/Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit @ 2.50% for issue of tender form (₹)
1.	Construction of Manilakhang at Ben, Temi Namphing, Namchi District.	₹1,40,25,628.00	₹50,000.00	₹3,50,641.00

• Completion Time: 24 months.

TIME SCHEDULE:

1. Date of publishing in newspaper:	13.08.2025 & 14.08.2025
2. Date of issue of Tender Documents:	14.08.2025 to 15.09.2025 (office hours)
3. Date of issue of Tender Form:	16.09.2025 (office hours)
4. Date of submission of Tender Forms and Documents:	17.09.2025 (from 10:00 am to 12 pm)
5. Date of opening of Tender:	17.09.2025 (12.30 pm onwards)
6. Place of submission of tender documents and form and the opening of tender:	Office of Gram Panchayat Unit, Ben Namprik GPU, 14-Temi Namphing Constituency, Namchi District.

For terms & conditions, kindly visit www.sikkim.gov.in/tender.

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Culture Department, Gangtok
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Government of Sikkim
Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services Department
Krishi Bhawan, Tadong

No. 2165/AH&VS/Adm.

Date: 13.08.2025

WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

Applications are invited from local domiciled (C.O.I and SSC holders) candidates for filling up of 06 post of Veterinary Officers under Mobile Veterinary Units and 01 post of Veterinary Officer for State Nodal Call Centre in the Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services.

The selection and appointment of above post are purely co-terminous basis and their services will end as and when projects completes. The incumbents shall not have any right of claim for regular appointment in the department after the expiry of the stipulated period of appointment.

Sl. No.	NAME OF POST	NO. OF VACANCY	MONTHLY REMUNERATION	EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION	AGE LIMIT
01.	Veterinary Officer	06	56100/- p.m.	B.V.Sc & AH	8-40 years
02.	Veterinary Officer	01	56100/-p.m.	B.V.Sc & AH	18-40 years

Interested candidates may apply with photocopies of all requisite documents such as qualification, age, experience, (if any) COI/SSC for registration on or before 25th August 2025 to the office of the undersigned.
Further, candidates must bring requisite documents in original at the time and venue of Walk-in-interview to be held on 01st September 2025 at office of State Livestock Dev. Board, Deorali from 10.30 a.m. onwards.
The selected candidates are subject to be posted at various Mobile Veterinary Units across the State. The decision of the selection committee constituted for conducting Walk-in-interview shall be final and binding in all respect.
List of selected candidates shall be notified in the Notice Board of the department at Krishi Bhawan, Tadong, Gangtok after completion of Walk-in-interview.
No TA/DA shall be paid for attending the interview.

Sd/-
Nanda Maya Sunar, SCS
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Sikkim
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Office of the Additional Chief Engineer-II
Government of Sikkim
Roads & Bridges Department
Nirman Bhawan, Gangtok-737101

NIT No:- 03/NIT/GoS/R&B(SOR)/25-26

Date: 07.08.2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Additional Chief Engineer (II), Roads & Bridges Department invites sealed tenders on Item Rate basis from the eligible contractors of Class II-A Grade within the Soreng District enlisted with the Sikkim Public Works Department vide Notification No: 21/R&B/PWD/Secy/2023-24 dated 18.10.2023, for the execution of the work with the details as under:-

SI No.	Name of Work	Tender Value (in Lakh)	Earnest Money @2.5 % of the Tender value (in Lakh)	Cost of Tender documents /Bid Form (in Lakh)	Completion Period
1	Carpeting of road from Chumbung to Zoom Fatak via Khutidara under SorengDistrict (6.93 KM)	₹685.90	₹17.15	₹1.00	24 months

Note:-

***The tender is only opened to the registered Class II-A contractors of Soreng District.**

*The Earnest Money Deposit indicated in the above table is exempted for Enlisted Women Contractors participating in the bidding process. In case of such tender being accepted, the lowest bidder (Enlisted Women Contractor) has to deposit the Earnest Money as mentioned in table above before the issue of work order. Further, if the tenderer of the above-mentioned exempt category withdraws her tender within the validity period, then the Government without prejudice to any right or remedy, be at the liberty to debar such applicant from participation in any future tender for a period of 1 year. The same is governed by Notification No: 40/R&B/PWD/Secy/2-23-24 dated 31.01.2024.

TIME SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Particulars	Date	Time
1	Date of submission of application along with Bank receipt.	25/08/2025	11:00 am to 3:00 pm
2	Date of issue of Tender Documents and Tender Form on receipt of 2.5% EMD.	27/08/2025	11:00 am to 3:00 pm
3	Submission of bid documents	02/09/2025	11:00 am to 4:30 pm
4	Opening of bid documents	03/09/2025	11:30 am

Terms and Conditions:-

- The intending tenderers/contractors should apply in writing for issue of tender documents. The application would invariably be signed by the contractor himself/herself. The tender document shall not be issued to any person other than the INTENDING TENDERER.
- The applicants should enclose attested copies of the following along with the application:-
 - Validated/Updated Contractor Enlistment Certificate. Further, it is mandatory to produce the Original validated/Updated Enlistment Certificate during sale/issue of the Tender Document for verification.
 - Latest Goods & Service Tax Clearance Certificate issued from the office of the Commercial Tax, Government of Sikkim.
 - Bank Receipt in original.
 - Aadhaar Card.
 - Voter Identification Card.
- The applicant should be an elector of any Constituency within the Soreng District and the residential address in the Enlistment Certificate should be within the territorial jurisdiction of the Soreng District.
- The intending bidder should apply in writing to the Additional Chief Engineer (II), Roads & Bridges Department for issue of tender documents. The same should be accompanied by a Bank Receipt of the State Bank of Sikkim (non-refundable) under the receipt Head "0059.80.800.01-other receipts" in favor of the Additional Chief Engineer (II), Roads & Bridges Department during the time schedule mentioned in the NIT.
- Earnest Money Deposit @ 2.5% of the cost put to tender shall be deposited in the form of Temporary Deposit Receipt/Fixed Deposit Receipt/Bank Guarantee from State Bank of Sikkim or any nationalized bank in favor of the Additional Chief Engineer (II), Roads & Bridges Department, Gangtok. The Fixed Deposit Receipt/Bank Guarantee to be valid for entire execution period. Tender form shall be issued only on production of the same. In case of the Enlisted Women Contractors participating in the bidding, the cost of the Earnest Money Deposit shall be governed by Notification No: 40/R&B/PWD/Secy/2-23-24 dated 31.01.2024.
- The soft copy of the BOQ shall be provided along with the tender documents on submission of Earnest Money Deposit as mentioned vide sl. no. 5. The intending bidder shall submit his/her bid in the BOQ provided in printed format. In case the bidder submits the bids in hand written format, the same shall be summarily rejected. The bid offer should also be mentioned in the Form of Bid provided to the bidder.
- The tenderer shall inspect the site and have their own correct assessment before submitting the bid.
- The Tender Documents, including the Form of Bid with rate offer quoted in the BOQ provided should be placed in a sealed cover with the name of the tenderers and the name of the work superscripted on it. The Tenderer should sign on every page of the tender documents as acceptance of the general direction and conditions of the contract and other laid down norms. Supporting documents listed vide SI No. 2 should be enclosed with the offer.
- Sealed tenders may be deposited in the Tender box in the office of the Additional Chief Engineer - II, Roads and Bridges Department, Gangtok, on the date and within the time indicated above.
- The rate quoted should be both in figures and words and should be inclusive of GST and all other Taxes in vogue.
- Over writing and correction should be avoided and if made should be authenticated. Incomplete/Conditional tenders shall be rejected forthwith.
- Tenders will be opened by the Tender Opening Committee as prescribed by the Government in the presence of the tenderers on the date and time indicated above.
- In case of any discrepancy in the specifications printed in the BOQ issued with the tender documents, specifications as per approved Schedule of Rates-2020 will be taken as correct. For items outside the SOR, the decision of the Principal Chief Engineer -cum - Secretary/ Head of the Department will be final.
- The Department reserves the rights to withhold payments to the contractor unless test certificates are produced by the contractor when called upon to do so.
- Avoidable damages due to negligence of the contractor shall be at his/her own risk and cost. The Department shall not be liable for payment of such damages (if any). including accidents to labourer at site.
- The offer shall remain valid for a period of 90 days. The work should commence within 15 days from the date of issue of work order.
- All the conditions as mentioned in the NIT shall be deemed to be a part of the agreement to be entered with the contractor. Security deposit shall be collected by deductions from the running bills of the contractor @ 5% of the value of work done.
- The Department reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof.
- The recoveries i/c deduction of taxes and duties as applicable shall be as per the rates notified by the Government from time to time and as applicable on the date of payment.
- Subletting of contract work is against the norms and if it comes to the notice, the original contract shall be cancelled and appropriate action shall be initiated as per the rules.
- In case the man power employed by the contractors are from outside the State or neighboring countries, it shall be the responsibility of the contractors to get them registered with the Labour Department, Government of Sikkim as per the relevant Labour Laws.
- The contractor shall also make arrangements to have photographs of the works taken up at least of three stages during the construction period. i.e., beginning, middle and completion stage.
- Quarrying of non-stock materials shall be allowed only from designated/approved quarries.
- The specifications in execution of the works are to be followed as per the guidelines laid by the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MoRTH).
- Damage to properties in and around the work site must be avoided at all costs. The contractor shall be held responsible for any act of negligence and shall bear the responsibility to repair/restore such damage.
- Expenditure involved for material testing, cube strength of concrete, crushing strength of road metals etc., at site or in laboratories shall be borne by the contractor. The contractor shall make necessary arrangements accordingly as and when instructed by the concerned authorities.
- Defect liability period for the pavement work shall be for a period of five (05) years which shall not cover the damages due to natural calamities, formation sinking. landslides etc.
- In case the tender date is declared as Government Holiday, the process shall continue in the subsequent working days.

Additional Chief Engineer - II,
Roads & Bridges Department,
Government of Sikkim, Gangtok - 737101
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Culture Department, Manan Bhawan, Gangtok

N. I. T. No: 05/CD/(S/W)E-CELL/2025-26

Dated: 12/08/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Referred to in paragraph 9.7 of Manual 2009)

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Divisional Engineer, Culture Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok, invites percentage sealed tenders from the eligible contractors of **Class III** as per Memo No: 515/R&B/PWD/Secy Dated: 12/06/2018 enlisted with the SPWD through competitive bidding within the territorial jurisdiction of the GPU where the work is to be executed for the work as detailed below:

Sl. No	Name of work	Value put to tender (₹)	Amount of Challan/Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit @ 2.50% for issue of tender form (₹)
1.	Construction of Loveism Semchiong Bhawan, Temi Namphing, Namchi District.	₹1,79,99,398.00	₹50,000.00	₹4,49,985.00

*Completion Time: 24 months.

TIME SCHEDULE:

1. Date of publishing in newspaper:	13.08.2025 to 14.08.2025
2. Date of issue of Tender Documents:	14.08.2025 to 15.09.2025 (office hours)
3. Date of issue of Tender Form:	16.09.2025(office hours)
4. Date of submission of Tender Forms and Documents:	17.09.2025 (from 10:00 am to 12 pm)
5. Date of opening of Tender:	18.09.2025 (12:30 pm onwards).
6. Place of submission of tender documents and form and the opening of tender:	Office of Gram Panchayat Unit, Ben Namprik GPU, 14-Temi Namphing Constituency, Namchi District.

For terms & conditions, kindly visit www.sikkim.gov.in/tender

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Culture Department
Manan Bhawan, Gangtok

N.I.T. No: 07/CD(S/W)/E.Cell/25-26

Dated:13/06/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Referred to in paragraph 9.7 of Manual 2009)

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Divisional Engineer, Culture Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok, invites percentage sealed tenders from the eligible contractors of **Class III** as per Memo No: 515/R&B/PD/Secy Dated: 12/06/2018 enlisted with the SPWD through competitive bidding within the territorial jurisdiction of the GPU where the work is to be executed for the work as detailed below:

Sl. No	Name of work	Valueput to tender (₹)	Amount of Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit @2.50% For issue of tender form (₹)
1.	Upgradation of Shivalaya Mandir at Lingmoo, Middle Kolthang, Rangang Yangang Constituency, Namchi District.	₹ 1,16,83,486.00	₹. 50,000.00	₹. 2,92,087.00

*Completion Time: 24 months.

TIME SCHEDULE:

1. Date of publishing in newspaper:	18.08.2025
2. Date of issue of Tender Documents:	19.08.2025 to 18.09.2025(office hours)
3. Date of issue of Tender Form:	19.09.2025(office hours)
4. Date of submission of Tender Forms and Documents:	20.09.2025 (from 10:00 am to 12 pm)
5. Date of opening of Tender:	20.09.2025 (1:30 pm onwards)
6. Place of submission of tender documents and form and the opening of tender:	Office of Gram Panchayat Unit, Kolthang Tokdey GPU, Rangang-Yangang Constituency, Namchi District.

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Culture Department, Gangtok
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Culture Department
Manan Bhawan, Gangtok

N.I.T. No: 06/CD(S/W)/E.Cell/25-26

Dated:13/08/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Additional Chief Engineer, Culture Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok, invites sealed tenders from Class II-A Contractors within Namchi District of the State for the work detailed as under-

Sl. No	Name of work	Value put to tender (₹)	Completion Time, (in months)	Amount of Challan/Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit @ 2.50% For issue of tender form (₹)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Construction of Perbing Samteling Sherpa Gumpa, Namthang Rateypani Constituency, Namchi District.	₹6,93,63,086.00	30	₹ 1,00,000.00	₹17,34,077.00

TIME SCHEDULE:

1. Date of publishing in newspaper:	18.08.2025 & 19.08.2025
2. Date of issue of Tender Documents:	19.08.2025 to 20.09. 2025
3. Date of issue of Tender Form:	19.09.2025
4. Date of submission of Tender Forms and Documents:	20.09.2025 (from 10am to 12:30pm)
5. Date of opening of Tender:	20.09.2025 (1:30 pm onwards)
6. Place of submission of tender documents and form and the opening of tender:	Office of Additional Chief Engineer, Culture Department, Manan Bhawan, Gangtok

For terms & conditions, kindly visit www.sikkim.gov.in/tender

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Government of Sikkim
Office of the Additional Chief Engineer
Sports and Youth Affairs Department
White Hall Complex, Gangtok

NIT NO:-1019/SYA/EC/2025/1699

Dated: 18/08/2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, the Additional Chief Engineer, Sports and Youth Affairs Department, invites sealed tender in percentage rate basis from contractors enlisted with SPWD, of **class II-B** category under **Zoom Salghari Constituency**, in Namchi District, Sikkim for the work listed below

SL. No.	Name of work	Work Value put to tender (₹)	Completion Time, (in months)	Amount of BR for cost of tender documents (in ₹) Revenue Head (0202-03-800-01 Miscellaneous Receipts, Sports & Youth Affairs Department.	Amount of Earnest Money @2.50% For issue of tender form (₹)
1.	Construction of Alternate Playground at Jorethang, Namchi District	₹4,92,92,648.00	24 Months	₹1,00,000.00	₹12,32,316.00

TIME SCHEDULE

(i)	Date of submission of application with Bank Receipt, for issue of Tender Documents (excluding Tender Form)	15-09-2025 to 16-09-2025 (From 10:00hrs to 15:30 hrs)
(ii)	Date of issue of Tender Form on submission of Earnest money (TDR)	18-09-2025 (From 10:00hrs to 15:00 hrs)
iii)	Date and time for submission of Tender Form	22-09-2025 till 12:00 hrs
iv)	Date and time of opening of Tender	22-09-2025 (From 13:00 hrs to 14:00 hrs)

A. GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

1) Tender is open only to the eligible contractors of appropriate Class/Area.
2) The intending tenderer/contractor should apply in writing for issue of tender documents. The application would Invariably be signed by the contractor himself/herself.
3) The applicants should enclose attested copies of the following.
(a) Validated Contractor Enlistment Certificate along with the application is mandatory to produce in original during sale/issue of the Tender Documents for verification.
(b) PAN Card.
(c) Voter's Card.
4) The prescribed Non-Transferable Tender Documents (Excluding the Tender Form) can be obtained during the period specified in as above from the office of the **Assistant Engineer (Planning), Sports and Youth Affairs Department, Gangtok**, on the production of receipt deposit to the Revenue Head 0202-03-800-01 (Miscellaneous Receipts)
5) Earnest Money Deposit @ 2.5% in the State Bank of Sikkim shall be in the form of deposit receipt of scheduled bank which includes deposits in the form of Temporary Deposit Receipts in favor of **Sr. A.O, Sports and Youth Affairs Department, Gangtok**. The Tender Form shall be issued from the office of Sr.A.O, S&YA Deptt, only on the production of TDR to those contractors who have obtained the tender documents, on production of bank BR/Challan for the cost of tender documents Since the work value put to tender is below Rs. 5.00 crore the women Contractors are exempted from depositing 2.5% TDR as per notification No. 104/R&B Dated-08/10/2020. In case the lowest bidder is enlisted women contractor, the work order shall be issued only after the production of Temporary Deposit Receipt (TDR) of 2.5% of the cost put to tender.
6) The Tender Documents, including the tender form with quoted offer should be placed in a sealed cover with the name of tenderer and the name of work superscripted on it. Supporting documents listed at Sl. No.: 3(a), (b) & (c) should be enclosed with the offer.
7) Sealed Tenders may be deposited in the Tender Box in the **Office of the Additional Chief Engineer, Sports and Youth Affairs Department, Gangtok**, in his presence, on the date and within the time indicated above.
8) Tenders will be opened by a tender opening committee as prescribed by the Government in the presence of the tenderers on the date and time indicated above.
9) The Tenderer should sign on every page of the tender documents as Acceptance of the General Direction and condition of Contract and other laid down norms. **The rate quoted should be both in figures and words and should be exclusive of GST and all other Taxes and Levies.** Over writing and correction should be avoided and if made should be authenticated. Incomplete/Conditional tender shall be rejected forth with.
10) The contractor will have to pay all taxes and duties as applicable and notified by the State/Central Government and no claim shall be entertained in this regard whatsoever. The payment due to the contractor shall be made as and when the funds are available in the department.
11) The Department reserves the right to reject the incomplete tender without assigning any reasons there-off.
12) All the other conditions of the contract shall be obtained from the office of the Divisional Engineer, SYAD, White Hall Complex, Gangtok.

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Government of Sikkim
Gangtok

N. I. T. No: GOS/CD/ENGCELL/DE/01/25-26

Dated: 12.08.25

Notice Inviting Tender

(Referred to in paragraph 9.7 of Manual 2009)

For and on behalf of the Governor of Sikkim, Divisional Engineer, Culture Department, invites percentage rate sealed tenders from the eligible contractors of Class III enlisted with the Sikkim Public Works Department (Road's & Bridges Department) through competitive bidding within the territorial jurisdiction of Rhenock Gram Panchayat where the work is to be executed for following work:-

SL No	Name of work	Value put to tender (₹)	Completion Time, (in months)	Amount of Bank receipt for cost of tender documents (₹)	Amount of Earnest Money 2.50% For issue of tender form (₹)
1	Construction of Samthung Choeling Gumpa at Reshi, Pakyong District.	₹1,07,18,300.00	24 months	₹50,000	₹2,67,958.00

TIME SCHEDULE:

Sl.No.	Particulars	Date and Time
1	Date of Publications	21/08/2025, 22/08/2025
2	Date of issue of Tender Documents (Excluding the Tender forms)	22/08/2025 to 22/09/2025 (Office Hours)
3	Date of issue of Tender forms	23/09/2025 (Office Hours)
4	Date and Time for Submission of Tender	24/09/2025, 10 AM to 12:30 PM
5	Date and Time of Opening of Tender	24/09/2025, 1 PM Onwards
6	Place of Opening of Tender	GPU Office

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79th Independence Day celebrated in Districts

Mangan, August 15: Upper Dzongu Passingdong celebrated the 79th Independence Day at the Passingdong Secondary School ground, today.

The event was graced by Minister for Forest and Environment Department-cum-Area MLA Mr Pintso Namgyal Lepcha. Also present were Chairpersons, Panchayats, other dignitaries and officers from various departments.

SDM Dzongu Mr Gideon Lepcha read out the message of Governor Mr Om Prakash Mathur, followed by BDO Dzongu Dr Mahendra Tamang read the message of Chief Minister Mr Prem Singh Tamang.

The Shravan Kumar Award was conferred to 11 GPUs under the Dzongu Constituency.

In his address, Minister Mr Pintso Namgyal Lepcha highlighted the significant improvements made in roads, bridges, healthcare and education system. He congratulated the students for achieving a 100% pass result and expressed optimism that, through advancements in science and technology, research would help revive cardamom cultivation.

Minister was presented with a JEJYU as a token of appreciation for his valuable contribution.

Similarly, 79th Independence Day celebration was observed at Bhaichung Stadium in Namchi.

Minister for Urban Development and Food and Civil Supplies Departments Mr Bhoj Raj Rai graced the occasion as the chief guest.

He was accompanied by Mr Satish Chandra Rai MLA Namchi-Singhithang, Ms Anupa Tamling DC Namchi, ADC Namchi (Hq), ADC Namchi, Chairpersons, SDMs, HoOs, Councillors, Ex-Army Personnel, Officers from various departments, teachers, students and public.

DC Namchi read out the message of Governor, while ADC

(Hq) Namchi conveyed the message of Chief Minister.

As part of the celebration, DC Namchi administered ‘Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan’ (NMBA) Pledge, showcasing the district’s commitment to a drug-free India.

Minister paid tribute to Late Ms Helen Lepcha, fondly remembered as Savitri Devi, a distinguished freedom fighter from Sikkim. He highlighted her unwavering courage and remarkable contributions to India’s struggle for independence.

He also spoke at length about the progress being made in the education and healthcare sectors, underlining the Government’s commitment in strengthening these essential areas for the welfare of the people.

He addressed the ongoing efforts under ‘Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan’, sharing how the district administration has been actively combating drug abuse and trafficking.

The event honoured the dedication of employees of Namchi through the District Meritorious Service Award.

Additionally, District Topper from PM SHRI Government Senior Secondary School Jorethang was presented Simran Award.

On the occasion, 56 individuals from 8 blocks of Namchi District were honoured with Shravan Kumar Award for their dedication and service.

In Gyalshing, the 79th Independence Day was celebrated at Kyongsa Ground, wherein Minister for Buildings and Housing Department-cum-Area MLA Mr Bhim Hang Limboo graced the occasion as the chief guest. He was accompanied by DC Gyalshing Mr Tenzing D Denzongpa, SP Gyalshing Mr Tshering Sherpa, and senior officials.

The Governor’s address was read by DC Gyalshing, followed by the Chief Minister’s message delivered by ADC (Gyalshing).

As part of the event, District

Meritorious Awards were presented to 23 individuals from various departments for their exemplary service, along with Aama Sahayog Yojana beneficiaries and Sharvan Kumar Awardees. CBSE District Toppers (2025) were also honoured for their academic achievements.

Ex-Army personnel were felicitated for their distinguished service to the nation, followed by colourful cultural performances from various schools and institutions.

In his address, Minister paid tribute to the sacrifices of freedom fighters, outlined the State Government’s developmental initiatives, and urged the youth to stay away from drugs, contributing to the mission ‘Sunaulo Sikkim, Samriddha Sikkim and Samarth Sikkim’.

Likewise, district-level celebration of 79th Independence Day was held at St Xavier’s School ground, Pakyong.

The programme was attended by Mr Raju Basnet Minister for Education Department. He was accompanied by Zilla Adhyaksha, Additional Political Secretary to CM, Chairman Department of Panchayati Raj, Chairman Transport Department, DC Pakyong, ADC (Hq), ADC Pakyong, Sr SP, ADC (Dev) Pakyong, SDM (Hq), SDM Pakyong and OSD to MLA Namcheybong. Also present were Zilla Panchayats, Panchayats, Head of offices and officials from various departments, Principal, teachers and students and public.

In the course of the programme, DC Pakyong read out the Independence Day message of the Governor Mr Om Prakash Mathur followed by ADC Pakyong, reading the message of Chief Minister Mr Prem Singh Tamang.

Minister Mr Raju Basnet paid tribute to the soldiers, recalling their unwavering commitment and sacrifice in service

to the nation. He urged students to actively support the Chief Minister’s vision of Sunaulo, Samriddha ani Samartha Sikkim, emphasising their vital role in becoming self-sufficient and self-reliant individuals as the future of Sikkim.

He also noted that under the Chief Minister’s initiatives, the State Government has introduced the Shravan Kumar Award to recognise the sons and daughters of Sikkim who render selfless service to their parents, inspired by the values of the legendary Shravan Kumar. Additionally, he spoke about the distribution of bank passbooks under Sikkim Sishu Samriddhi Yojana, provision of scholarships to marginalised students for higher education and other welfare measures undertaken for the well-being of the State’s citizens. He called upon the people to work collectively towards the district’s progress and betterment.

The programme also featured the presentation of awards and felicitation of achievers, including the District Meritorious Award to Government employees and Letters of Appreciation to the individuals on various field.

Academic excellence Awards was presented to the toppers of Class X and XII from Pakyong District.

Furthermore, Shravan Kumar Award and passbooks under Sikkim Sishu Samriddhi Yojana were also handed over to beneficiaries.

The programme also saw the launch of two applications, including NIRPEKSH-Disaster Record Management System and SciMatix AI.

Also, Soreng District observed 79th Independence Day celebration at Jautar Stadium, Soreng.

Minister Rural Development

IPR Department and SBI sign MoU

Gangtok, August 19: The Information and Public Relations Department (IPR) and State Bank of India (SBI), Gangtok region, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) at the Chamber of Secretary, IPR Department, Soochna Bhawan, today.

The MoU was signed by Secretary, IPR Department, Ms Annapurna Alley, and Deputy General Manager (Business and Operation), SBI, Mr Prashant Kumar Singh.

Chief Manager, SBI, Mr Phurba Tenzing Sherpa, explained that under a group term life insurance scheme, SBI would provide life insurance coverage of ₹10 lakh. He informed that the employees would be covered under a group policy, based on a list submitted by the IPR Department, and no individual policy would be issued. The coverage would also include natural death.

He further stated that the personal accidental insurance linked to salary accounts had been

Department graced the occasion as the chief guest.

Minister Mr Arun Kumar Upreti extended his warm greetings on the occasion and congratulated the District Level Independence Day Celebration Committee (IDCC) for organising the event.

In his address, he paid tribute to the indelible contributions of the nation’s freedom fighters and reflected on India’s historic journey to independence.

He expressed pride in the Chief Minister’s initiative to establish Soreng as a district and enabling the hosting of district-level programmes. He stated that under the guidance of both the Chief Minister and MLA, several new projects have been initiated and are currently underway in the district. He also highlighted some of the major ongoing projects that include the Centre of Excellence at Chakung, a 100-bedded district hospital, various road widening projects under Soreng District, Eco-Tourism Complex at Daramdin, Stairway to Heaven, Peacock Park and other various projects.

He outlined several initiatives implemented under the Rural Development Department which include Sikkim Garib Aawas Yojana, Aama Samman Diwas, distribution of GCI sheets, Har Ghar Jal under the Jal Jeevan Mission, house upgradation and Gramin Sadak Yojana. He also spoke about ‘Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan’, calling for greater coordination and community participation to create a society free from drug abuse.

Earlier, DC Soreng Mr Dhiraj Subedi read out message of the Governor, whereas ADC-I (Soreng) Mr DR Bista conveyed the message of Chief Minister.

One individual from 36 GPUs of Soreng District was felicitated with ‘Shravan Kumar Award’.

revised to ₹1 crore. The scheme would also cover ₹1.6 crore for air accidents, ₹1 crore for permanent disability and ₹80 lakh for partial disability due to accidents. He added that additional benefits would include coverage for transport of imported medicines, repatriation of mortal remains, and provision of an air ambulance.

Mr Phurba Tenzing Sherpa also mentioned that SBI would issue either a RuPay Platinum or RuPay Select debit card, depending on the type of account held by the customer. Holders of these debit cards would receive an additional accidental insurance cover of ₹10 lakh and an additional air accident insurance cover of ₹1 crore. He clarified that availing of the air accident insurance required the flight ticket to be purchased using the respective debit card.

During the meeting, officials of the Department discussed the schemes of SBI with the representatives and sought clarifications on the provisions under them.

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SI.No. A382352	
AFFIDAVIT	
1. Neetu Singh Baraily , W/o Subash Baraily, aged about 46 years, resident of Tibet Road, Gangtok Sikkim, P.O. Gangtok & P.S. Sadar, under District Gangtok, Sikkim do hereby solemnly affirm and declare on oath as follows:	
1. That I am wedded wife of Subash Baraily .	
2. That prior to my marriage I was known by name i.e. Neetu Singh and after my marriage to Subash Baraily I adopted my husband title i.e. Baraily and became Neetu Singh Baraily .	
3. That in my Birth Certificate bearing Registration No. 587 dated 12.02.190 issued by the Chief Registrar of Births and Deaths Bureau of Economics and Statistics, Govt. of Sikkim my name has been recorded as Neetu Singh .	
4. That in my Secondary School Examination Certificate, 1997 issued by the Central Board of Secondary Education, my name has been recorded as Nitu Singh .	
5. That in my Aadhar Card bearing Aadhar No. 619 865 564 862 issued by the Unique Identification Authority of India my name has been recorded as Neetu Singh Baraily same has been also recorded in my Electoral Identity Card.	
6. That this affidavit is made bonafide and to declare on oath that the person by different names i.c. Neetu Singh, Nitu Singh and Neetu Singh Baraily denotes the name of one and single person i.e myself. Henceforth my name may be read/known/called/written as Neetu Singh Baraily for all the intent thereof.	
VERIFICATION	
I verified that the statements made above in paragraphs 1 to 6 are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. No part is false and nothing has been concealed and suppressed there from.	
And I sign this verification on this the 5th day of August, 2025 , at Gangtok, Sikkim.	
Identified by Palman Sunar Development Area, Gangtok	Deponent Neetu Singh Baraily

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Sikkim celebrates...

Development Index with a score of 0.762, and has an SDG (sustainable development goal) score of 76, placing it among the top-performing states. Between 2018 and 2023-24, the State achieved front-runner status in several indicators, reflecting low deprivation levels and a holistic approach to sustainable and equitable growth.

Addressing the gathering, the Chief Minister reaffirmed Sikkim’s commitment to the vision of ‘Sunaulo Sikkim, Samriddha Sikkim, ani Samarth Sikkim’. He affirmed that the State Government is focusing on sustaining growth and progress through forward-looking policies that promote economic and social development, strengthen community bonds, safeguard cultural heritage, and protect the state’s unique ecological biodiversity. The Chief Minister also stated that this vision is closely aligned with the Prime Minister’s mission of building a Viksit Bharat, noting that the dream of a developed India can be realised through strong and prosperous states. He then highlighted key developments across critical sectors, including health, education, power, drinking water, all-weather roads, and more.

The Chief Minister further announced the creation of the Institute for Transforming Sikkim (ITS), a new policy nerve centre for the State built on the principles of data, evidence, innovation, and accountability. Structured under a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and expert members, and supported administratively by the Planning and Development Department, the ITS will guide Sikkim’s development strategy with clarity and foresight. It will align State policies with national goals, including the vision of a Viksit Bharat by 2047, and focus on key growth drivers such as agriculture, energy, tourism, education, and climate resilience. The Institute will evaluate Government schemes for effective delivery, institutionalise grassroots planning through Constituency Development Committees in all 31 Assembly Constituencies, and track progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals with full accountability. It will also promote capacity building, policy dialogue and knowledge exchange with experts nationwide enabling Sikkim to think boldly, act wisely, and govern responsibly.

The Chief Minister emphasised that the State’s true strength lies in its people-farmers, workers, entrepreneurs, teachers, students, sportspersons, artists, and public servants whose collective efforts shape its destiny. He celebrated the achievements of the State’s meritorious awardees, whose hard work and talent bring pride to Sikkim, and reaffirmed the shared commitment to building a Viksit Bharat and a Sunaulo, Samriddha, ani Samartha Sikkim where every citizen can dream freely, aspire fearlessly, and achieve without barriers.

As part of the celebration, several individuals and Departments were recognised for their outstanding service and dedication to duty by Chief Minister.

The event began with the presentation of medals received from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, namely, President’s Medal for Distinguished Service and Medal for Meritorious Service (Republic Day 2024), awarded to Mr Hari Prasad Chhetri Deputy Inspector General of Police, President’s Medal for Distinguished Service and Medal for Meritorious Service (Independence Day 2024), awarded to Mr Pratap Pradhan Deputy Inspector General of Police, President’s Fire Service Award for Meritorious Service, awarded to Mr Bhim Bahadur Shilal Assistant Sub-Fire Officer and President’s Police Medal for Meritorious Service awarded to Mr Rinzing Choda Bhutia Head Constable.

Gallantry Awards; the State Government also honoured soldiers from Sikkim for their bravery, namely, Naik Mr Sonam Tshering Tamang Paratroop Regiment, Khamdong awarded the Shaurya Chakra with a cash reward of ₹10 lakh, Lance Naik Mr Roman Pradhan, Sadam awarded the Sena Medal with a cash reward of ₹5 lakh.

Cash rewards of ₹1 lakh were also presented to Naik Subedar Tshering Thendup Bhutia from Simick Lingzey, Naik Subedar Dilli Ram Gurung from Pacheykhani, Pakyong, Naik Milan Limboo from Machong Ravangla, Scout Jigme Lachenpa from Lachen, Mangan and Lance Naik Karma Wangyal Bhutia from Sombaria.

Chief Minister’s Police Medal for Meritorious Service were presented to (Sikkim Police Raising Day 2023) Mr Khilburna Gurung SPS, IGP/HG and CD, Mr Bishal Rai SPS, SP/Reserve Line, Mr Tul Man Chettri, Sub Inspector CB-CID and Ms Popo Bhutia, Sub Inspector, Communication and Computers.

During the programme, State Meritorious Service Awards were presented with a citation and a cash reward of ₹1 lakh to Mr Bikash Tiwari Additional Superintendent of Police SDPO Namchi, Sikkim Police, Mr Bishal Khawas Additional Director, Information and Public Relations Department, Ms Tenzing Pema Bhutia Joint Secretary Planning and Development Department, Ms Chanda Rani Rai Managing Director, Commerce and Industries Department, Mr Bhoj Bahadur Rai Revenue Officer-cum-Deputy Director, DAC, Soreng, Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Mr Saran Das Kalikotey Sub Divisional Magistrate, Namchi, Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Mr Navin Lama Deputy Director, Sports and Youth Affairs Department, Mr Raj Kamal Pradhan Scientist ‘D’, Project Manager and Solutions Architect, Finance Department, Mr Pushpa Lal Adhikari Senior Accounts Officer-cum-Deputy Director (Pranali), Finance Department, Mr Ganesh

Kumar Pradhan Sub Inspector, Sikkim Police, Mr Pema Dadul Bhutia Head Assistant, Department of Personnel, Mr Khem Prasad Adhikari Head Constable, Sikkim Vigilance Police, Mr Yangchok Lachenpa Artiste, Culture Department and Mr Dorjee Lepcha Safaikarmachari, Health and Family Welfare Department.

A Posthumous Award was presented to Late Padam Bahadur Giri Head Assistant, Education Department, who passed away, while in service on February 16, 2025. His family received a citation and a cash incentive of ₹1 lakh.

The Chief Minister also conferred ‘Shravan Kumar Award’ upon 22 individuals from 22 Gram Panchayat Units under Gangtok District.

Thereafter, Academic Excellence Awards were given to the top three CBSE performers from Government schools of Class X and XII with a cash of ₹50,000/-, ₹35,000/- and ₹25,000/- respectively.

Similarly, the programme also saw Chief Minister’s Award for the Best Performing Multi Purpose Cooperative Society (MPCS) to Luing Perbing MPCS Limited, Kitam MPCS Limited and Polok-Borong MPCS Limited.

Also, State Sports Awards for Outstanding Sportspersons were Ms Akriti Rai, Mr Samir Khadka and Ms Eluma Subba.

The Chief Minister also presented Teesta-Rangeet Aviral Kalam Puraskar 2025 to Mr Sanjib Lama (Tamang) during the event.

Later, the Chief Minister unveiled several significant publications and digital platforms which are book titled ‘Ecclesiastical Affairs in Sikkim’ by Ecclesiastical Department offering an overview of the religious, cultural and administrative aspects of the Department.

Book titled ‘Database of Passed Out Trainees (Artisans and Weavers) from 1957 to 2025’ by the Directorate of Handicrafts and Handloom—the first official database by the Department, useful for policy-making and planning.

‘Sikkim State Data Policy’ released by the IT Department to help collect, store and share data safely and transparently for better public services. ‘Digital Police Web Application’ by Sikkim Police Department for improved case tracking, investigation, leadership monitoring, anti-drug action and cybercrime response. ‘Online Property Registration System’ by Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department aimed at improving transparency and reducing disputes in land registration.

Official website ‘IPR.Sikkim.gov.in’ launched by the Information and Public Relations Department for access to verified information, public notices, and e-services and ‘Paper Lottery Management’ Software by the Directorate of Sikkim State Lotteries enhancing accounting transparency and efficiency in paper lottery management, marking a national first in lottery technology.

Upgraded Yuksom PHC with modern health equipment inaugurated

Gyalshing, August 14: Minister for Tourism and Civil Aviation Department and Area MLA Yuksom-Tashiding constituency, Mr Tshering Thendup Bhutia, inaugurated a state-of-the-art health equipment support system at Health and Wellness Centre, Yuksam, Gyalshing District, today.

The facility was upgraded under Swastha Sikkim mission of the Government of Sikkim, funded through the CSR initiative of NHPC Limited in collaboration with the Gyalshing District Administration. The project was spearheaded by the Gyalshing district administration with CSR assistance from NHPC limited.

Present at the occasion were Zilla Adhyaksha Gyalshing, DC Gyalshing, Principal Director Health Department, ADC (Development), CMO Gyalshing, SDM (Hq), SDM Yuksom, officiating Commandant 72 Bn SSB Yuksom, Deputy Commandant 72 Bn SSB, BDO Yuksom, MO/IC Yuksom PHC, Panchayats, officials from the health department, PPHF representatives, Yuksom PHC medical staff, and locals.

Following the inauguration, the Minister, accompanied by officials, inspected various units of the centre. T-shirt for Yuksam Health & Wellness Centre was also unveiled jointly by the Minister and DC. Later, a brief programme was held at Gram Prashashan Kendra, Yuksom.

Addressing the gathering later at the Gram Prashashan Kendra, Yuksom, the Minister congratulated the residents of Yuksam-Tashiding on the upgraded facilities and reiterated the State Government’s commitment to improving healthcare under the leadership of Chief Minister Mr Prem Singh Tamang. He also highlighted initiatives like the Garib Jankalyan Prakostha for patient assistance,

and commended the Yuksom PHC for adopting a paperless workflow system to minimize paper usage. The Minister expressed gratitude to NHPC and the Gyalshing District Administration for their role in equipping Yuksam PHC with modern medical systems, noting the importance of such facilities in rural and tourist areas.

Earlier, the DC Gyalshing Mr Tenzing D Denzongpa spoke on CSR partnerships, expressing gratitude to NHPC for its proactive role in upgrading public health infrastructure in the district. He emphasized the importance of the upgraded PHC in serving both rural residents and tourists in medical emergencies.

The newly installed equipment includes a cardiac monitor, BP monitor, 5 kVA inverter, crash cart trolley, eight bedside tables, slit lamp, dental RVG X-ray, laptop, fetal doppler, instrument boiler, ultrasonic scaler, and digital vision box.

A blood donation drive was also organised by the SSB 72 Bn Yuksam, in which the Minister, dignitaries, SSB personnel, locals, and medical staff donated the blood.

Deputy General Manager NHPC limited Mr Praveen Subarna reaffirmed NHPC’s commitment to holistic community development through impactful CSR activities.

On the occasion, Minister-cum-Area MLA and DC Gyalshing were felicitated by the Yuksom PHC with Letters of Appreciation. Similarly, the CMO Gyalshing, SSB 72 Bn Yuksam, and other officials were also honoured with Letters of Appreciation by the Yuksom PHC for their significant contributions towards the holistic development of Yuksam PHC and other social initiatives.

The programme concluded with a vote of thanks by MO/IC Yuksom PHC Dr Biswas Basnett.

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NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that Shri Bal Hang Subba, son of Late Ratna Singh Subba resident of Hee Yangthang, P.O Hee Bazar, Gyalshing District, working in the capacity of Office Attendant under District Office Gyalshing, Labour Department, West Sikkim has unfortunately passed away on 09.11.2024.

Therefore, as per Sikkim Government Service (Leave) Rules 1982 the family of deceased is entitled to cash equivalent of leave salary in lieu of unutilized earned leave at the credit of the deceased Government Servant.

All legal heirs of the deceased are hereby invited to submit their claims for their benefit within a month (30 days) from the date of publication of this Notice.

Claimants, if any, must provide valid proof of relationship with the deceased before the Labour Department, Government of Sikkim, Shram Bhawan, Gangtok, East Sikkim. If no claim is received within the stipulated period, the matter will be settled as per the prevailing rules.

**Deputy Secretary,
Labour Department, Government of Sikkim,
Shram Bhawan, Gangtok
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Governor participates in Shree Krishna Janmashtami celebrations



Gangtok, August 16: Governor Mr. Om Prakash Mathur, participated in the auspicious Shree Krishna Janmashtami celebrations at Thakurbari Mandir, Gangtok, today.

Extending his warm greetings on the occasion, the Governor said that Shree Krishna Janmotsav inspires joy, devotion, and spiritual fervour among all. He added that the life, character, and

teachings of Lord Krishna guide us on the path of righteousness, and we must strive to imbibe these values in our daily lives.

Also present on the occasion were the Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Governor Mr. Jitendra Singh Raje, Deputy Mayor (GMC) Mrs. Tshering Palden, members of the Thakurbari Mandir Committee, and devotees.

Chief Secretary chairs 3rd State Level Coordination Committee Meeting

Gangtok, August 19: The 3rd State Level Coordination Committee (SLCC) meeting on the PM Surya Ghar Muft Bijili Yojana was held at Tashiling Secretariat, today.

The meeting was chaired by Chief Secretary Mr. R. Telang.

During the meeting, Chief Secretary sought updates from the DCs and ADCs, who joined through video conference on the number of individuals registered for the scheme district-wise. After reviewing the progress, he urged the district heads to achieve better targets and strengthen implementation.

A presentation was made by the Sikkim Renewable Energy Development Agency (SREDA) team led by Director Mr. Jeewan Thapa.

Director SREDA presented the follow-up action from the 2nd SLCC meeting held on July 4, 2025. He reported on the progress of solar panel installations, vendor registrations, and scheme enrolments. A district-wise breakdown of DLC meetings and awareness programmes conducted since the last SLCC meeting was also shared. He further informed members about the revised installation guidelines under

PMSGMBY, amendments to scheme provisions, and updates on the model solar village component. He added that a Special Gram Sabha was conducted in the run-up to the 79th Independence Day.

The Chief Secretary Mr. R. Telang set deadlines and targets to ensure progress and directed departments for effective execution.

The meeting was attended virtually by the DCs Gangtok, Mangan, Gyalshing, Pakyong, and Soreng. The ADC of Namchi and BDOs Nandok, Regu and Kaluk also joined online.

Present at the meeting were Commissioner-cum-Secretary Urban Development Department Mr. Jitendra Singh Raje, Secretary Rural Development Department (Panchayat) Mr. Dushyant Pariyar, Secretary Finance Department Mr. MCP Pradhan, Secretary Power Department Mr. Bikash Deokota, Municipal Commissioner GMC Mr. R. B. Bhandari, senior officials of line departments, AGM SLBC Mr. Gopal Lama, CL Lead Bank SLBL Mr. Kollal Bhattacharya, and Junior Engineers of the Power Department.

High Court and Sikkim State Legal Services Authority celebrate 79th Independence Day

Gangtok, August 15: High Court of Sikkim commemorated the 79th Independence Day at its premises in Gangtok, today.

Mr. Justice Biswanath Somadder, Chief Justice High Court of Sikkim and Patron-in-Chief of Sikkim State Legal Services Authority and Sikkim Judicial Academy, hoisted the National Flag, followed by a Guard of Honour and rendition of the National Anthem by the officers and staff of the High Court.

Mrs. Justice Meenakshi Madan Rai and Mr. Justice Bhaskar Raj Pradhan, Judges of High Court of Sikkim, Mr. Justice AP Subba and Mr. Justice Sonam Pintso Wangdi former Judges, Registrar General, Registrar General (Judicial Service), Central Project

Coordinator, Principal District and Sessions Judge Gangtok, judicial officials and staff of High Court of Sikkim were present.

Likewise, Sikkim State Legal Services Authority celebrated the 79th Independence Day at its Office premises in Development Area, Gangtok.

On this occasion, Mrs. Justice Meenakshi Madan Rai, Judge, High Court of Sikkim and Executive Chairperson, Sikkim SLSA hoisted the National Flag followed by a Guard of Honour and the rendition of the National Anthem by the Officers and staff of the Sikkim SLSA.

The event was graced by Mr. Justice AP Subba Former Judge, High Court of Sikkim and Chairperson Lokayukta Sikkim Mr.

Roger R. Rai, former Managing Director, SIDICO, Ld Registrar, High Court of Sikkim, Legal Remembrancer-cum-Secretary, Law Department, Government of Sikkim, Ld Judicial Officers, Ld Member Secretary, Sikkim SLSA, Ld Additional Advocate General, Government of Sikkim, representatives of Ex-Officio Members, Sikkim SLSA, Designated Senior Advocates, High Court of Sikkim, Members of Bar Association of Sikkim (High Court & Subordinate Courts), Retainer Lawyers and Panel Advocates, Sikkim SLSA, Officers and Staff of High Court of Sikkim and Sikkim SLSA and members of electronic and print media.

Press Release from UDD regarding various upcoming urban projects in Gangtok

Gangtok, August 14: A series of detailed presentations on upcoming urban projects in Gangtok were showcased before Chief Minister Mr. Prem Singh Tamang, in the presence of Mr. Bhoj Raj Rai Minister Urban Development Department (UDD), Mr. Delay Namgyal Barfungpa (Lepcha), Advisor, UDD, Mrs. Chung Chung Bhutia, Chairperson, UDD, Mr. R. Telang Chief Secretary, Mr. Jitendra Singh Raje Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Mr. Yogeeta Rai Secretary, UDD, Mr. Bhupendra Kuthari, CEO, GSCDL, Mr. MK Rai, Chief Engineer, UDD, Mr. RB Bhandari, Municipal Commissioner, GMC and Mrs. Deo Kumari Pradhan, Officer on Special Duty, UDD.

Three major presentations were discussed in detail during the session:

Proposed Public Utility Centre at the Old Tourism Building, MG Marg, planned under a People-Public Partnership framework, the centre will serve as a landmark entry point to MG Marg, featuring a dedicated taxi waiting bay, commercial and exhibition spaces, and modern public convenience facilities.

Ridge Park Development Project envisions the creation of a vibrant Ridge Promenade with a nature walk, a 200-capacity parking facility, and an elevated road for ease of access. Conceptually, the Ridge will emerge as an alternative destination to MG Marg, offering exhibition areas, cultural spaces, and leisure amenities for residents and visitors alike.

Proposed Cable Car System as a Sustainable Mode of Urban Transport for Gangtok, designed to address the city's growing

transportation challenges, the project aims to decongest roads and introduce an eco-friendly, efficient, and scenic mobility option. The cable car project is being designed to improve transportation in the city where it has often struggled with roadway saturation and limited transit options. This project intends to introduce an aerial cable car system, providing an efficient alternative for office commuters. Rapid urbanization characterized by the growth of personalized vehicles and migration has become a common phenomenon across all cities, Gangtok is facing growing traffic congestion caused by multiple factors, including the steady rise in private vehicles, the city's linear road alignment, limited carriageway capacity, and increasing trip lengths. These challenges not only strain daily mobility but also impact the city's economic activity and overall quality of life. The proposed cable car system offers a practical solution by introducing a faster, more reliable, and safe commuting option tailored to the hilly terrain of Gangtok. By bypassing road-level constraints, it will minimize the risks associated with landslides, frequent blockages, and disruptions to road transport.

Deliberations on the project covered station locations, alignment, financial feasibility, funding models, and implementation timelines. The identified stations will be designed with earthquake-resistant features while incorporating traditional Sikkimese architectural elements to preserve the cultural character of the city. It was also highlighted that the Sikkim Aerial Ropeways

Act, 2023 has already been enacted to facilitate the development of the project. The cable car will complement existing modes of transport and strengthen Gangtok's public mobility infrastructure, ensuring that the city evolves into a more resilient and accessible capital, and serves as a model for sustainable urban transport in hill stations across the country.

Collectively, the projects cable car mobility, public utility centre, Ridge Park development, and supporting urban infrastructure form a critical roadmap under the Sikkim Urban Vision 2047 framework. These initiatives span key urban sectors: sustainable mobility, public utilities, green and recreational spaces, and integrated commercial development. These are essential for improving infrastructure, enhancing quality of life, and supporting sustainable economic growth. Each project balances infrastructural modernization with cultural preservation, ensuring that Sikkim's urban identity remains rooted in its heritage.

The Chief Minister directed expedited procedures with proper coordination and concluded by highlighting that the projects are not merely infrastructure initiatives but represent a long-term vision for Gangtok as a resilient, accessible, and culturally enriched capital. The roadmap and milestones discussed will guide their timely execution, ensuring the creation of inclusive, safe, and people-centric urban spaces that prepare Sikkim for the aspirations of 2047 of Viksit Bharat and Viksit Sikkim.



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