GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER :: EAST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT :::SHILLONG:::

PRESS RELEASE

This is for the general information of the general public that the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India is implementing the 'Scheme for Residential Education for Students in High Schools in Targeted Areas' (SHRESHTA). Recently, it has come to the notice of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India that certain individuals or organizations were asking payments in the name of registration or association under the SHRESHTA Scheme.

Therefore, any claim by any individual or organization demanding payment either online or offline for registration or association under SHRESHTA Scheme is considered as fraudulent act and a misrepresentation of the scheme's provisions.

For more detailed information and clarity, please visit the official website of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment: <u>https://socialjustice.gov.in</u>.

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Deputy Commissioner, East Khasi Hills District, Shillong

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Dated Shillong, the 23rd May, 2025.

Copy to:

- The P.S. to the Director, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India for kind information of the Director. (This has reference to his D.O. Letter No.S-17021/8/2021SCD-III Dated 22.5.2025)
- The Director of Information and Public Relation, Meghalaya, Shillong for favour of wide publicity in the Local Media.
- The Deputy Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Education Department for kind information.
- The Deputy Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Social Welfare Department for kind information.
- The Additional Deputy Commissioner, I/c Development Branch for kind information and necessary action.
- The District Social Welfare Officer, East Khasi Hills District, Shillong for kind information and necessary action.
- The District School Education Officer, East Khasi Hills, Shillong for kind information and necessary action.



Deputy Commissioner, East Khasi Hills District, Shillong.