

## **State Level Workshop on 'Building Capacities for taking forward SDGs in Nagaland'**

**13th and 14th November 2018, Kohima**

The Government of Nagaland in collaboration with the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), organized the first State-level workshop engaging all Departments of the State in a dialogue on the SDGs. The two-day workshop set forth strong determination and engagement of all departments in taking ahead the Global Goals. This process marked the identification of nodal officers in all departments. It also laid the foundation of a partnership between UNDP and the Government of Nagaland, for institutionalizing the SDG processes through the SDG Coordination Centre (SDGCC) under the Planning and Coordination Department, Government of Nagaland.

### **Key Objective of the Workshop:**

- Understanding the SDGs in the context of Nagaland.
- Creating a draft strategy and action framework with timelines for each department.
- Developing an Institutional structure for SDGs in Nagaland.
- Identifying monitorable indicators and developing a robust monitoring system in the State.

### **Way Forward for SDG implementation in Nagaland:**

- Finalise the mapping exercise, Action Plan and Road Map for the next 3 years.
- Strengthening the capacity of the implementers/ all stakeholders.
- Localisation & integration of SDGs to the next level (Districts/ Block/ Village Council)
- Creation of SDG Cell to fast tract SDG Agenda at all levels.
- Strengthening of institutional set-ups to spearhead the implementation of Agenda 2030.



### **Media Coverage Links:**

1. [Nagaland to integrate SDGs into State's policy process | MorungExpress | morungexpress.com](http://morungexpress.com)
2. [Nagaland: Neiphiu Rio Stress on Need to Create Alternative Employment - Sentinelassam](http://sentinelassam.com)
3. [Nagaland: CM Neiphiu Rio for alternative employment avenues in private sector \(nenow.in\)](http://nenow.in)