

Press Release

A delegation from National Commission for Women comprising Smt. Mamta Sharma, Hon'ble Chairperson, Smt. Laldingliani Sailo, Member, and other officials of National Commission for Women are visiting Arunachal Pradesh on 5th – 6th June, 2014 for meeting the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Minister of Social Welfare and concerned officials of the State Government on need for codification of Customary Law – Inheritance, marriage/divorce, customary system of dispensing justice in crimes against women .

The Commission would also have a dialogue with State Commission and raise issues of crimes against women in the State, the implementation of Domestic Violence Act, 2005 including the appointment of Protection Officers in the State and the effective implementation of Sexual Harassment of Women at Work Place (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 in the State. The visit of the National Commission for Women is a step towards increasing interaction and cooperation between NCW and State Commission of Arunachal Pradesh on women related issues.