## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2474 ANSWERED ON MONDAY, THE 4th AUGUST, 2025 / Sravana 13, 1947 (SAKA)

**IICA Regional Campus in North-East** 

## **QUESTION**

2474. Shri Balabhadra Majhi: Shri Khagen Murmu:

Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the key objectives of establishing Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs's (IICA) regional campus in Shillong;
- (b) the manner in which the Shillong campus will contribute to national goals such as Ease of Doing Business and Atmanirbhar Bharat:
- (c) whether there is any specific domains of training and research planned for this regional centre; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

## **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS.

(SHRI HARSH MALHOTRA)

- (a) & (b): The establishment of a regional campus of the Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA) in Shillong, Meghalaya was approved under the PM-DevINE Scheme with the main objective of fostering social development in the region by advancing areas such as Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) practices, skill enhancement, corporate governance in the North Eastern Region (NER).
- (c) & (d): To strengthen collaboration and support IICA Shillong's objectives in the North Eastern Region, Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) were signed between IICA and the following institutions
  - 1. Meghalaya Administrative Training Institute (MATI)

- 2. Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Shillong
- 3. Software Technology Parks of India (STPI)
- 4. The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI)
- 5. The Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI)
- 6. The Institute of Cost Accountants of India (ICMAI)
- 7. National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam

Further, as part of its initiatives, IICA Shillong has started its activities in the North Eastern region as follows:-

- (i) A conclave "IICA NER Conclave 2025" on theme of "Ideation to Incorporation" was held on 11-12 July, 2025 at IICA Shillong. The conclave hosted sessions on start-up incorporation & regulatory guidance, Incubation and innovation models etc.
- (ii) Capacity Building Program on "Navigating Procurement via GeM, Procurement Integration, Choices & Strategic Options" from 29–31 July 2025.
- (iii) IICA-DPE Program on Corporate Governance, Compliance, and DPE Guidelines from 28 July 01 August 2025, targeted at DGMs and GMs of CPSEs.

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