

Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region
North Eastern Council Secretariat, Shillong
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Press Note for Meghalaya

1. NEC YEARBOOK 2025

NEC Yearbook 2025, a comprehensive compilation that underscores our steadfast commitment to the development of the North Eastern Region (NER) has been published. This is the second edition of the North Eastern Council (NEC) Yearbook which delves into key socio-economic indicators and highlights the transformative initiatives in the region.

The NEC Yearbook provides information about the NE region as well as Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (MDoNER) and the NEC. It contains important statistics regarding economic and social development parameters of the region. Through this Yearbook, there will be an increased awareness about the progress made in the different sectors in recent past. Further, it will serve as a guide for future endeavours, contributing to informed decision-making and indispensable reference for policy planners, academicians, research scholars and analysis.

NEC Yearbook 2025 can also be accessed in the following link:<https://necouncil.gov.in/news-updates/nec-yearbook-2025>

2. Release of funds by North Eastern Council (NEC) for the month of May, 2025.

The North Eastern Council (NEC) released a total of Rs. 4,94,06,178/- (Four crore Ninety-Four lakhs Six Thousand One Hundred and Seventy-Eight) only during the month of May, 2025. The Project wise distribution of funds is as follow: -

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Amount
1	Integrated farming on Piggery-cum-fish culture in villages under Umling, Jirang C&RD Blocks in Ri-bhoi District Meghalaya	₹ 1,52,58,750
2	Providing sustainable livelihood and income opportunities through Improved & Scientific method of organic production of turmeric curcuma longa along with certification as organic produce C&RD Block, Ri-Bhoi District Meghalaya	₹ 33,97,834

3	Construction of Boys Hostel and School Building at Khongong of Wapung Village, East Jaintia Hills, Meghalaya	₹ 62,90,000
4	Implementation of 3 Plan of Action for the State of Tripura PoA101, PoA105, PoA110 NESAC	₹ 1,19,61,460
5	Gati Shakti based planning & site selection using geospatial Technology for 8 states of NER	₹ 17,70,000
6	Survey and Investigation of Myntdu-Leshka (Stage-II) HEP (3X70 MW) East and west Jaintia Hills District Meghalaya	₹ 51,90,965
7	Survey and Investigation of Selim HEP(2X85 MW) West Jaintia Hills District Meghalaya	₹ 1,82,066
8	Survey and Investigation Works of Mawblei HEP 140 MW West Khasi Hills District Meghalaya	₹ 28,80,103
9	Implementation of 3 Plan of Action projects finalized for the state of Sikkim as per NESAC	₹ 11,16,000
10	Implementation of 10 Plan of Action projects finalized for the state of Nagaland as per NESAC	₹ 5,59,000
11	7th Act East Business Show at Shillong Meghalaya	₹ 8,00,000
	Total	₹ 4,94,06,178

These funds were released to support a range of sectors, including tourism, industry, agriculture, transport and communication, science and technology, human resource development, irrigation, flood control and water management, and the promotion of culture and heritage, among others. The NEC remains firmly committed to the timely disbursement of funds to ensure the smooth and prompt implementation and completion of development projects in the North Eastern Region.