

**Workshop on Incident Response System (IRS)
with District level Incident Response System in Assam:**

The Guidelines on the Incident Response System (IRS) are issued by the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) under Section 6 of the National DM Act, 2005 for effective, efficient and comprehensive management of disasters in India. The vision is to minimize loss of life and property by strengthening and standardising the disaster response mechanism in the country.

The Government of Assam has accepted Incident Response System (IRS) as the preferred disaster response system in the State for management of any disaster on 20th May 2014. For implementation of the same, the State level and District level Incident Response Team (IRT) has been notified.

In order to sensitize the district level Incident Response teams a halfday workshop was organised in 10 districts viz. Kamrup, Morigaon, Lakhimpur, Dhemaji, Jorhat, Tinsukia, Nalbari, Goalpara and Dhubri on first week of June.