

**ROUNDTABLE
ON
“CONSUMER AWARENESS IN THE NORTH EAST REGION”**

13th September 2022, NEDFI House, Guwahati, Assam

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| 10.00 AM – 10.30 AM | Registration | |
| 10.30 AM – 1.00 PM | Opening Session | |
| | Welcome address | Mr. S. K. Jain Chairman - ICC North East Council & CMD - S M Group |
| | Keynote address | Prof. Bejon Kumar Misra Chairman, ICC North East Food Safety & Consumer Protection Committee |
| | Special Address | Senior Representatives from Trade & Industry Association** |
| | Special Address | Ms. Ramdiniani, MCS Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs Department, Govt of Mizoram |
| | Special Address | Mr. Opak Gao, IAS** Secretary, Legal Metrology & Consumer Affairs Department, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh |
| | Special Address | Mr. Bobby Waikhom, IAS** Commissioner & Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs Department, Govt of Manipur |
| | Special Address | Mr. Pravin Bakshi, IAS Commissioner & Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs Department, Govt. of Meghalaya |
| | Special Address | Ms. Chubasangla Anar, IAS ** Principal Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs Department, Govt. of Nagaland |
| | Special Address | Mr. Biswaranjan Samal, IAS Addl. Chief Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Department, Govt. of Assam |
| | Special Address | Ms. Nidhi Khare, IAS ** Additional Secretary, Consumer Affairs Department, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Govt. of India |
| | | Vote of Thanks |
| 1.00 PM-1.30 PM | LUNCH BREAK | |
| 1.30 PM- 4.00 PM | <u>Sector wise initiatives & updates-strategic way forward for consumer protection</u> | |
| | Panelists | <p>Mr. Sumyesh Krishnanan Deputy Director, Food Safety & Standard Authority of India</p> <p>Mr. Rajat Banerji Vice Chairman, Indian Direct Selling Association</p> <p>Mrs. Saba Shaikh Deputy General Manager, Financial Inclusion & Development Department, Reserve Bank of India</p> <p>Mr. Somnath Ghosh ** Insurance Ombudsman, Guwahati</p> <p>Mr. M N Sarma ** Secretary General, General Insurance Council of India</p> <p>Mrs. R Lalrodingi Adviser(Banking & Industries) North Eastern Council, Ministry of DoNER</p> <p>Mr. B P Acharya , IAS Retd. Chairman, Advisory Committee to IRDAI</p> |

****Subject to Final Confirmation**