

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA  
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER :: EAST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT  
::SHILLONG::

**PRESS RELEASE**

This is for the general information of the general public that the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs had instituted an Award designed “**Jeevan Raksha Padak Series of Award, 2017**” for meritorious acts of humane nature in saving the life of a person in incidents like drowning, accidents, fire incidents, electrocution, land slides, animal attack and rescue operation in mines, etc. As the name of the award suggests, **the award is given to a rescuer for saving someone’s life.**

The awards are given in three Categories: i) Sarvottam Jeevan Raksha Padak (ii) Uttam Jeevan Raksha Padak and (ii) Jeevan Raksha Padak.

  
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