



MULTI STATE LEVEL MOCK EXERCISE ON EARTHQUAKE DISASTER



[15th & 17th NOVEMBER 2022]



ORGANISED BY

ASSAM STATE DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY (ASDMA)

IN COLLABORATION WITH

NATIONAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY (NDMA)

Visuals from Assam SDMA and SEOC



Incident Commander, state IRT taking stock of the situation with state level IRT members at SEOC during the mock exercise



Assam Police Radio Organization (APRO) communication hub outside the SEOC for collating information from districts



Satellite phones with ASDMA were also used to establish communication with affected districts



Deputy Incident Commander visited the 1st Bn. NDRF communication hub outside SEOC

VISUALS FROM CACHAR DISTRICT



Rescue operation in Silchar Medical College Hospital



Medical Aid Post outside SMCH



Relief camp established in Deshbakhta Tarun Ram Phukan High School, Silchar



29-11-2024 Response by 1st Bn. NDRF



Water distribution in relief camp by PHE & Silchar Municipality Board



Involvement of NGO Volunteers in Cachar 3

VISUALS FROM KOKRAJHAR DISTRICT



Operation Section in action at EOC during the Mock exercise



Directorate of Land Records Office



Rescue of victims by CISF team in Vishal Mega Mart mall



All resources reported in Staging Area, Kokrajhar during Mock exercise



Directorate of Land Records Office



Transfer of mock victims from Directorate of Land Records Office to RNB Civil Hospital

VISUALS FROM TINSUKIA DISTRICT



Triage near the affected site, Tinsukia



Mock victim in one of the incident site, Tinsukia



SDRF Team responding incident site under the Industrial Area, Borguri, Tinsukia



Transfer of victims to hospitals, Tinsukia



The Rajput Regiment, Indian Army, Tinsukia responding in incident site

VISUALS FROM SIVASAGAR DISTRICT



Incident briefing to one Task force in Staging Area before deployment, Sivasagar



Task force and responders arrival in the ONGC residential colony incident site, Sivasagar



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Response by Civil Defence Volunteers in Sivasagar



Medical Aid post



Triage in the Sivasagar Govt. Higher Secondary School by the Civil Defence volunteers lead by the local Warden

VISUALS FROM DIMA HASAO DISTRICT



A view of the Staging Area, Haflong town, Dima Hasao



1st Bn. NDRF responding in Don Bosco School



Relief camp established in Muolhoi, Haflong



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Medical Aid Post, Haflong



Satellite Phone used to communicate to SEOC



RO and Incident Commander were briefed on the situation in ICP

VISUALS FROM CHIRANG DISTRICT



SSB unit rescuing victims from one site in Chirang



Medical Aid post



Scout & Guide volunteers responding to school building damage site



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Medical Aid Post and Relief Camp



Response by SSB team, Chaprakata



Rescue operation from high rise building

VISUALS FROM BONGAIGAON DISTRICT



Deputy Commissioner's office building collapse scenario



A view of Staging Area with man-material resources



Rescue of building collapse victims by 1st Bn. NDRF



Rescue operation by 1st Bn. NDRF in Birjhora Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Bongaigaon



Make shift DEOC established due to DC Office building collapse scenario



A view of the Medical Aid Post, Bongaigaon

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VISUALS FROM SONITPUR DISTRICT



Tezpur Treasury office building collapse and Army deployed



A view of the Staging Area Sonitpur



Response by SDRF team, Tezpur



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Debriefing session in DEOC, Sonitpur



Medical Aid Post, Tezpur

VISUALS FROM KAMRUP METRO DISTRICT (GUWAHATI)



District IRT in action during the Mock exercise



A view of the triage area outside Dispur Circle Office with the response vehicles



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During Rescue operation in Apartment building, Guwahati



Few snapshots of the exercise and response by NDRF, Civil Defence volunteers and hospital

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GUWAHATI FRIDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2022

Mock exercise on earthquake disaster scenario conducted

STAFF REPORTER

GUWAHATI, Nov 17: A multi-state mock exercise (ME) on earthquake disaster scenario was organized on Thursday by Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) in collaboration with National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA).

The ME was conducted simultaneously in 45 locations, involving approximately 1,000 stakeholders from different line departments and responding agencies across nine district headquarters, towns/cities of Assam viz. Tinsukia, Sivasagar, Silchar, Bongaigaon, Kokrajhar,

Chirang, Haflong, Tezpur and Guwahati. The mock exercise, aimed to check the preparatory level of the responders, covered schools, residential complexes, hospitals, market establishments and relief camps in each district.

In Guwahati, it was organized in Regent Paradise Apartment, Ghoramara; Apollo Excelcare Hospital, Bora-gaon; GNRC Hospital, Sixmile; Bhetapara PHC; City Centre Mall, Guwahati and Srimanta Sankardev Kristi Bikash Kendra Namghar, Rajgarh. This exercise was also organized simultaneously in the State of Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland by NDMA.

Speaking on this occasion, Gy-anendra D. Tripathi, Chief Executive Officer, ASDMA, said "Mock drill provides the opportunities to strengthen institutional capacities and coordination mechanisms for improved emergency preparedness. Mock exercises of such nature should be organized more often so that stakeholders imbibe the practise of emergency planning and operations reaching to the most affected areas during a disaster."

Col. Nadeem Arshad (retd), Consultant (Operations) from NDMA, New Delhi conducted the Mock Exercise in Assam under the supervi-

sion of Sudhir Bhal, Senior Consultant, ME & IRS. The control room at the NDMA, The SEOC, ASDMA and the DDMA's and DEOCs of nine selected districts were activated during this exercise. Live demonstration of the entire response mechanism during earthquake disaster emergency was demonstrated during this mock exercise by the responding agencies, districts administrations, etc. A debriefing session was also conducted following the mock exercise in presence of Col K.P. Singh, Advisor (Ops. & Comm), NDMA, New Delhi and Dr Karuna Kumari, IAS Secretary, Revenue & DM Depart-

ment, along with the stakeholders of all nine districts to identify the gaps in the response mechanism for further enhancement and to bring role clarity among the responders by creating a real time simulation.

Col. Nadeem Arshad (retd), Consultant (Operations) from NDMA appreciated the State Government for adopting Incident Response System as the preferred system of disaster response and Assam being the pioneer state in the entire country in this field. Besides, it also generated awareness among the general public and sensitized them by offering a visual reference to a disaster scenario.

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অৰুণাচল, নাগাল্যান্ড সহ অসমৰ বিভিন্ন জেলায় আজ অনুষ্ঠিত হয় ভূমিকম্পৰ 'মেগা মক ড্ৰিল'। এৰ অংশ হিচাবে আজ কামৰূপ মহানগৰ জেলাৰ পাঁচটি বিভিন্ন স্থানেও ভূমিকম্পৰ এক মেগা মকড্ৰিল অনুষ্ঠিত হয়। জেলা দায়িত্ব পালন



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Mock Drill conducted by DDMA at Haflong

Haflong, 17th Nov, 2022: The mock Drill exercise was conducted on earthquake preparedness in collaboration with Natural Disaster Management Authority, National Disaster Response Force NDRF, Fire & Emergency Service, Medical Unit and other line department Haflong today along with the rest of the state in Assam. The exercise was conducted under the guidance of Deputy Commissioner Nazreen



Ahmed DDMA, chief executive officer CEO Haflong. The aim of the mock drill exercise is to evaluate the preparedness of the disaster management

authority during occurrence of earthquake. The mock drill also aimed to ensure that the response to any disaster is carried out in a well planned and coordinated

manner between different line departments and agencies. The mock drill exercise was conducted at different locations including Donbosco secondary school Haflong, DC office Haflong, Molhoi villa Haflong, Haflong ci hospital Haflong, a India family mart Haflong. At the staging area Govt. boys high secondary school, NDRF taskforce performed several rescue operations.

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Mock drill conducted

OUR CORRESPONDENT

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DDMA conducts mock drill at different locations of Dima Hasao

HT Correspondent

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At the staging area in Government Boys Higher Secondary School, the NDRF taskforce performed several rescue operations.