



EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL FOR HANDICRAFTS

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All Members EPCH,

North Eastern Region has huge potential for investments particularly in the field of textiles and handicrafts due to its strong traditional skill base and a variety of unique designs and eco-friendly products. Ministry of Textiles is implementing projects worth Rs. 1050 cr under North Eastern Region Textile Promotion Scheme (NERTPS) for Handlooms, Handicrafts, Sericulture, Apparel & Garmenting, Technical Textiles etc. in the eight States of North East Region in line with the "Act East" policy of Government of India. DoNER coordinates several other policy and programme interventions to promote industry in the North East.

Ministry of Textiles and Ministry of DoNER are jointly organizing the first ever "Investor's Summit" exclusively for NER focusing on manufacturing in textiles and allied sectors in association with FICCI on **29th -30th January, 2017 at State Convention Centre, Pinewood Hotel, Shillong**. The Summit aims to showcase the NER as a global destination for investment and explore possibility of convergence of efforts of various central Ministries and North Eastern States to attract investment in the NER.

Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani, Hon'ble Union Minister of Textiles and **Dr. Jitendra Singh**, Minister of State (Independent Charge), Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region have kindly agreed to grace the occasion.

The Summit will be attended by all North Eastern States, industry from North East and leading investors across the country. The Summit is expected to unlock huge potential of the NER in textile manufacturing and generate new avenues for employment in the region.

Interested EPCH Members are invited to visit and source the exclusive handicrafts of North East Region at the **Buyer Seller Meet on 30th January, 2017 (Monday)** and requested to send your confirmations to Mr. Siddhartha Tyagi (Tel: 011- 26135256 extn.130, email: projects@epch.com) at the earliest. FICCI will provide the following arrangement to the member exporters of EPCH who intend to confirm their visit as Buyers to the Summit:

- Return journey air ticket in economy class on shortest route to & from Guwahati (Suggest to reach Guwahati on 29th January, 2017)
- Transfer by Coaches from Guwahati to Shillong (about 2 hrs travel)
- Hotel stay in Shillong for two nights (29th & 30th January, 2017)
- Departure from Shillong to Guwahati on 31st January, 2017

After receiving the response from EPCH members, FICCI will make arrangements and issue confirmations to the Buyer delegation of EPCH.

With regards,

Rakesh Kumar
 Executive Director-cum-Secretary

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PARTICIPATION CONFIRMATION FORM TO ATTEND

**Handicrafts Buyer Seller Meet at Ministry of Textiles and Ministry of DoNER NE Textiles Investors' Summit on
29th -30th January, 2017 at State Convention Centre, Pinewood Hotel, Shillong**

Send your confirmation on email: projects@epch.com

Name of the Organization	
EPCH Membership Number	
Address for Correspondence	
Telephone	
Handicrafts Products presently being exported by your company	
Handicrafts Products you intend to source from North East States	
Name & Designation of the Person who will attend the Buyer Seller Meet at Shillong	
Mobile no.	
Email	

Place:

Signature & Stamp:

Date:

Name:

Designation: