

## **5.14 MEGHALAYA**

### **5.14.1 COMMITTEES**

#### **STATE LEVEL VIGILANCE AND MONITORING COMMITTEE**

A State Level Vigilance & Monitoring Committee under the Chairpersonship of Chief Minister reviews implementation of the PoA Act.

#### **DISTRICT LEVEL VIGILANCE AND MONITORING COMMITTEE**

The District Level Vigilance & Monitoring Committees have been constituted in all districts of the State, under the Chairpersonship of the District Magistrate to review implementation of the PoA Act.

#### **SUB-DIVISIONAL LEVEL VIGILANCE AND MONITORING COMMITTEES**

The Sub-Divisional Vigilance and Monitoring Committees have also been constituted in all Sub-Divisional under the Chairpersonship of Sub-Divisional Magistrate.

### **5.14.2 STATE LEVEL SC AND ST PROTECTION CELL**

The Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Protection Cell has been set up at the State Police Headquarters under the supervision of Deputy Inspector General of Police (CID) with supporting staff comprising of Special Superintendent of Police (CID).

### **5.14.3 IDENTIFICATION OF ATROCITY PRONE AREAS**

No area has been identified as atrocity prone where the members of Scheduled castes/Scheduled Tribes are likely to be subjected to atrocities.

#### **5.14.4 NODAL OFFICER**

A Joint Secretary, Home Department, Government of Meghalaya has been nominated as the Nodal Officer as per Rule 9 of the PoA Rules.

#### **5.14.5 SPECIAL COURTS**

The District and Sessions Judges, Nongstoin, Shillong, Thura, Jowai, Nongpoh and Williamnagar have been designated as Special Courts to try cases under the PoA Act.