



MEGHALAYA TOURISM

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We have received many queries and concerns regarding the registration process for tourists and visitors coming to Meghalaya, against the backdrop of the approval of the Meghalaya Residents Safety and Security Amendment Ordinance 2019 by the Cabinet recently. To clear any doubts and ensure that your travel plans are not disturbed we would like to clarify the following:

The Meghalaya Residents Safety and Security Amendment Ordinance 2019 requires registration of non-residents, including visitors. However, the modalities of the implementation of the Ordinance have not been finalized. **As of now the registration process has not begun.** The objective of the Ordinance is to ensure safety of all visitors. The registration process will be designed keeping in mind the convenience of tourists who are visiting our state. It will be a simple process with both online and offline registration options and will be similar to the registration when you check into your hotel. **There will be no need to stand or wait in queues when you enter the State.** We understand that your time and resources are precious. **Meghalaya welcomes all domestic and international travellers** who wish to explore our landscapes and experience our culture and traditions. Make your plans and watch our official channels for further updates.

Please ensure that information you receive regarding the registration process is from official sources only.

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