## **GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT**

## MEGHALAYA, SHILLONG

## Press Communiqué

**Shillong, April 01, 2025:** The Raj Bhavan, Shillong, hosted a grand celebration on the occasion of the Statehood Day of Odisha along with belated celebration of statehood day of Rajasthan, and Bihar at the Durbar Hall. The event was graced by the esteemed presence of the First Lady of Meghalaya, Smti. Babita Vijayashankar, distinguished dignitaries, and esteemed guests.

A special video presentation showcased the diverse heritage, traditions, and contributions of these three states to the nation's progress. The cultural segment featured mesmerizing performances by the Bhojpuri Samaj Shillong, Shubham Charitable Association, Mrs Chandrakanta, professor from NEHU, and Keshav Mishra from Odisha, presenting the vibrancy of their respective traditions.

The celebration also included a felicitation ceremony, acknowledging individuals and organizations contributing to cultural and social harmony. The event was a resounding success, bringing together communities in a spirit of festivity, cultural appreciation, and national integration.