

SSDMA attends national meet on disaster risk reduction

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GANGTOK, March 11: The Sikkim State Disaster Management Authority (SSDMA) took part in the third session of the two-day National Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction at New Delhi. The event was inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Friday.

State Land Revenue & Disaster Management minister KN Lepcha represented the SSDMA at the ministerial meet.

A press release informs that the SSDMA was invited to be part of the platform and was selected to exhibit success stories on Mangan landslide mitigation and experiences on reducing risks and vulnerabilities due to probable GLOF at South



Lhonak Lake.

The Land Revenue & Disaster Management department team was led by secretary-cum-relief commissioner Anil Raj Rai and consisted of SSDMA director Prabhakar Rai,

Geyzing DC Yishey Yongda, SSDMA additional director Rajiv Roka and PP Sharma from SSDMA.

The exhibition stall was managed by SSDMA senior consultant Keshav Koirala and consultant Pemzang Tenzing.