



Jorethang-Legship road blocked at Sikip towards Jorethang

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JORETHANG, 25 JUN:

The road from Jorethang to Legship has snapped at Sikip towards Jorethang

since Saturday afternoon. A huge slide occurred between 12:30 PM to 1PM completely blocking the road.

It might take a day or two to clear the

debris from the road, it is informed. Vehicles travelling from Gangtok, Jorethang, Siliguri Legship, Gyalshing, Pelling will have to travel via Namchi.

MLA visits landslide affected sites in Dzongu



WANGCHUK BHUTIA DZONGU, 25 JUN:

MLA Dzongu cum Advisor Power Department, Pintso Namgyal Lepcha today inspected areas affected by landslide along the lifeline of Dzongu, the Dikchu-Sangkalang Road and the ongoing construction of Phee-kyong Bridge in Shagyong, Lower Dzongu.

He was accompanied by Zilla Member Lum Gor Sangtok GPU, Tshering Gyatso Lepcha, Pan-

chayat President, Phurmit Lepcha along with vice

president and panchayats, SMC member cum general secretary SKM youth wing, Mikmar Tshering Lepcha, and the general public.

The MLA Dzongu also visited Gor secondary school and met the affected public and discussed several issues related to Phee-kyong bridge. He assured the public and panchayats that the early restoration

of the road would be his first priority.

Further, the MLA also handed over financial support for clearing the slides to the Panchayats.

It may be mentioned here that the public of Gor and Taryang have been cut off from the rest of the world as the road towards their villages have been blocked by the landslides on both sides. Even transportation is not possible because of these landslides.