

## Nagaland seeks ₹800-cr flood relief, Centre extends help

**GUWAHATI:** Nagaland has demanded ₹800 crore as immediate relief after a month of incessant rains wreaked havoc in the state.

“The state government of Nagaland requires immediately for the restoration of the damages caused by landslides and flash floods estimating to ₹800 crore approximately,” a statement by the state government’s home department said.

On Saturday, Prime Minister Narendra Modi tweeted: “Spoke to Nagaland CM @Neiphiu\_Rio and took stock of the situation... Assured all possible support to the state in the rescue & relief operations. We stand shoulder to shoulder with the people of Nagaland...” Chief minister Rio thanked PM Modi. **HTC**