

PREFACE

The National Sample Survey Office (NSSO) was set up by the Government of India in 1950 to collect socio-economic data employing scientific sampling methods. The NSSO conducted its 72nd round survey on the subject of 'Domestic Tourism Expenditure' covering the period July 2014 – June 2015. This report presents the findings of the survey on Domestic tourism expenditure in Nagaland.

The survey on Domestic Tourism Expenditure conducted by the National Sample Survey (NSS) are the primary sources of data on various indicators on domestic tourism scenario of the country. The survey provides estimates in relation to indicators like volume of domestic tourism, number of households undertaking domestic tourism activity, number of overnight trips and same day trips, average tourism expenditure, etc. The results/data as per this survey are useful for planning, policy formulation and decision support and as input for further analytical studies relating to tourism by various government organizations, academicians, researchers and scholars.

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I hope this report will be useful to planners, policy makers, academicians and researchers. Suggestions for improvement in content, layout and other aspects of this report will be highly appreciated.

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