## OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE EAST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT ::SHILLONG::

## **PRESS RELEASE**

This is to clarify that in connection with the theft which happened at the Sacred Grove, Mawphlang yesterday where mobiles and cash were stolen from Members of World Vision who were visiting the place, the names of two persons namely 1) Shri Skhemlang L. Marshillong and 2) Shri Babiangdor Khyriem were mentioned as accused and which was also carried by some local dailies, however, after investigation, it was ascertained that the crime was actually committed by Shri Macduff Blah, 19 years, of Mawphlang and the two above mentioned persons were witnesses to the crime. In the initial stage the accused person had mislead police into believing that 1) Shri Skhemlang L. Marshillong and 2) Shri Babiangdor Khyriem were involved. Later, the cash and mobile was recovered on being led by the arrested accused person Shri Macduff Blah. He is employed as a guide in the Sacred Groove. He is presently in 14 days judicial custody.

1) Shri Skhemlang L. Marshillong and 2) Shri Babiangdor Khyriem are NOT accused persons of the case.

The error is regretted.

Sd/- M.Kharkrang, MPS Superintendent of Police. East Khasi Hills District, Shillong. Dated Shillong the 1st May, 2014.

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