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Deputy CM inaugurates 7 Power projects of 33 KV Power sub-station in Bamutia Special emphasis has been given upon improvement of power services to build a model state, Tripura: Deputy CM

Development naturally occurs only when human participation is ensured in implementing developmental programmes. The present state government believes in this policy and is following it. Development works will speed up when the government and the people work together, which is why success in various field is being observed in the state, enunciated Deputy Chief Minister Jishnu Dev Varma after inaugurating seven power projects under Northeast Regional Power System Improvement Project of 33 KV power sub-station in Bamutia under Bamutia block yesterday. He said, overall social development is not possible without rural development. Different steps are being taken for socio-economic improvement of people living in rural areas. Power service is linked with the word development.

Deputy Chief Minister said, special emphasis has been given upon improvement of power services to build a model state, Tripura. In this regard, different sub-stations are being constructed across the state to ensure uniterrupted power supply. He said, the work of 33 KV sub-station in Bamutia started in 2018, which was constructed at the cost of 7.5 crore rupees. After the construction of these sub-station, 8 thousand families of Bamutia, Gandhigram, Durgabari, Kalibazar, Taltola, Jharjhariya areas will be benefited. He said, the present state government has not increased a single penny in case of electricity bills, only for the benefit of the consumers. Funds have been allotted from World Bank and Asian Development Bank for improvement of power services. He called on the consumers for timely payment of electricity bill and on preventing misuse of electricity.

MLA Krishnadhan Das, Sahakari Sabhadhipati of West Tripura Zilla Parishad Haridulal Acharya, Chairman of Bamutia Panchayat Samiti Sheela Das Sen, Mohanpur SDM Subhash Dutta also spoke on the occasion. Welcome speech was delivered by Managing Director of TSECL Debashish Sarkar. Vote of Thanks was delivered by Senior General Manager of Power Grid S. I. Singh.
