

CM interacts with beneficiaries in Jirania

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The government is working to build a self-sufficient Tripura. The goal of the government's development program is the overall development of people living in marginal areas, enunciated Chief Minister Biplab Kumar Deb in an interaction programme with beneficiaries of different public welfare schemes (such as PMKISAN, PMAY-G) conducted at Agnibina Hall in Jirania yesterday. He said, 2 lakh 28 thousand housing have been approved in the state in the last 4 years. So far, drinking water connection has been provided to 52% houses. Each and every house will be provided with drinking water connection. He said, one has to compare and see in what condition he was and in what condition he is in presently. We have got this second life due to the far-sighted administration of Prime Minister Narendra Modiji. Our main goal during the Covid-19 pandemic was to save lives. The Prime Minister gave us our second lives.

The Chief Minister said, PMAY, PMKISAN, Jal Jeevan Mission are central schemes, but we have started few schemes in the state as well for welfare of the people such as Chief Minister Swanirbhar Parivar Yojana, Mukhyamantri Adarsh Gram Yojana, Mukhyamantri Fasal Bima Yojana, Unnata Godhan Prakalp, Mukhyamantri Matri Pushti Upahar, Mukhyamantri Cha Shramik Prakalp etc.. He said, we must count what we have got in life. If we count what we did not get, then we have to suffer in disappointment. Many of us get overwhelmed easily for small things instead of thinking what should be done next. In this regard, mentioning an old lady, the Chief Minister said, an old lady of 80 years of age lost her 45 years old only son as he died in stroke. She now gets old age pension. She is bringing up two grandchildren with the help of her pension. Apart from that, even at such an old age, she sells clothes going door to door. We must be inspired by her. He said, Tripura is a small state. And to take Tripura to the pinnacle of development, we will for sure need Prime Minister Narendra Modiji's guidance. The Chief Minister interacted with the beneficiaries present in the programme and enquired about the schemes they are getting benefits from.

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Information & Cultural Affairs Minister Sushanta Choudhury in the interaction programme said, Chief Minister personally interacting with common people is a noble initiative. This has never happened before. He expressed his gratitude to the Chief Minister for this. Prior to the interaction programme, the Chief Minister and ICA Minister visited an Anganwadi Centre in Joynagar Gram Panchayat of Jirania block. They also attended Sadh Bhakhan ceremony of a pregnant lady and Annaprashan ceremony of an infant. The Chief Minister handed over financial assistance of 2 thousand rupees to a beneficiary under Mukhyamantri Antyodaya Shradhanjali Yojana. He also handed over Mukhyamantri Matri Pushti Upahar kit to a pregnant lady. Later he visited the houses of beneficiaries built under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana.

Welcome speech at Agnibina Hall was delivered by District Magistrate Debapriya Bardhan. Vote of Thanks was delivered by Director of Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare department Saradindu Das. Other dignitaries present during the interaction programme were Chairperson of Jirani Panchayat Samiti Manju Das, Vice Chairperson Pritam Debnath, Chairperson of Jirania Nagar Panchayat Ratan Kumar Das and social worker Gouranga Bhowmik.
